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SB 5126

An act relating to the Washington climate commitment act.



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How does it apply to state employed women.

The legislature finds the following:

- Requires the Governor to establish a comprehensive program to implement the state's climate commitment and convene a Climate Commitment Task Force.
- Convenes an Environmental Justice and Equity Advisory Panel to provide recommendations on the development and implementation of the cap and invest program.
- Authorizes Ecology to require persons who produce or distribute fossil fuels or other products that emit GHG in Washington, to comply with air quality standards, emission standards, or GHG emission limitations.
- Provides a definition of emission, emission standard, and emission limitation as applied to GHG emissions that includes indirect emissions from the production or distribution of petroleum products or natural gas.

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