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**SENATE BILL 5255**

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**State of Washington**

**66th Legislature**

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**By** Senators Sheldon and Honeyford

1 AN ACT Relating to prohibiting road usage charges in rural  
2 counties; and adding a new section to chapter 46.08 RCW.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 46.08  
5 RCW to read as follows:

6 The state of Washington is prohibited from imposing or collecting  
7 any new road usage charge, vehicle miles traveled fee, or other  
8 similar type of comparable charge, tax, or fee, in rural counties as  
9 defined in RCW 43.160.020. This prohibition shall be liberally  
10 construed.

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