

**Weekly Report**  
**Wednesday, February 10th, 2010**

**Wa. Airport Management Association**  
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**Upcoming Committee Hearings**

02/13/2010	HFinance	HHR A @ 09:00 AM	Public Hearing - ESB 6843 - Preserving essential public services by temporarily suspending the two-- thirds vote requirement for tax increases.
02/13/2010	HFinance	HHR A @ 09:00 AM	Public Hearing - HB 3176 - Increasing state revenues to preserve funding for education, public safety, health care, and safety net services for elderly, disabled, and vulnerable people by preventing abusive tax avoidance transactions, narrowing or eliminating certain tax prefe
02/13/2010	HFinance	HHR A @ 09:00 AM	Possible Executive Session - ESB 6843 - Preserving essential public services by temporarily suspending the two-- thirds vote requirement for tax increases.

**Overview of Bills Being Tracked**

**Other Bills**

<b>Bill #</b>	<b>Bill Title</b>	<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Status</b>
<a href="#">SHB 1992</a>	Concerning the application of chapter 39.12 RCW to construction projects that involve tax incentives, loans, or public land or property that is sold or leased.	Conway	Monitoring	HCap Budget
<a href="#">HB 2748</a>	Concerning dues paid to the Washington public ports association by port districts.	Simpson	Monitoring	H2nd Reading
<a href="#">HB 2824</a>	Making 2010 operating supplemental appropriations.	Linville	Monitoring	HWays & Means
<a href="#">HB 2833</a>	Requiring aerospace tax incentive claimants to periodically reaffirm their commitment to the economic well-being of Washington.	Williams	Monitoring	HFinance
<a href="#">HB 2899</a>	Concerning state tax incentives to encourage the redevelopment of port district property.	Upthegrove	Monitoring	HFinance
<a href="#">HB 3007</a>	Authorizing airport operators to make airport property available at less than fair market rental value for public recreational or other community uses.	Upthegrove	Monitoring	HRules R
<a href="#">HB 3176</a>	Increasing state revenues to preserve funding for education, public safety, health care, and safety net services for elderly, disabled, and vulnerable people by preventing abusive tax avoidance transactions, narrowing or eliminating certain tax	Hunter	Monitoring	HFinance

	preference			
<a href="#">SB 6304</a>	Regulating siting of large commercial airports.	Keiser	Monitoring	STransportation
<a href="#">SB 6444</a>	Making 2010 operating supplemental appropriations.	Prentice	Monitoring	SWays & Means
<a href="#">SB 6560</a>	Concerning state tax incentives to encourage the redevelopment of port district property.	McDermott	Monitoring	SWays & Means
<a href="#">SSB 6603</a>	Concerning land uses adjacent to general aviation airports.	Marr	Monitoring	SRules 2
<a href="#">SSB 6678</a>	Concerning the creation of entities to address the long-range impact of opportunities and changes in the aerospace industry.	Hobbs	Monitoring	SRules 2
<a href="#">SB 6838</a>	Regarding condemnation and compensation for state-owned trust lands.	McAuliffe	Monitoring	SWays & Means
<a href="#">SB 6843</a>	Preserving essential public services by temporarily suspending the two-thirds vote requirement for tax increases and permanently modifying provisions of Initiative Measure No. 960 for improved efficiency and consistency with state budgeting.	Prentice	Monitoring	SWays & Means

### Detailed Bill Information

[SHB 1992](#) **Construction projects** **Conway**  
 House Commerce & Labor (originally sponsored by Representatives Conway, Simpson, Wood, Moeller, Williams, Lias, Sullivan, and Chase)

<http://apps.leg.wa.gov/billinfo/summary.aspx?bill=1992>

[HB 2748](#) **Public port association dues** **Simpson**  
 Representative Simpson  
 Revises provisions relating to dues paid by port districts to the Washington public ports association.

<http://apps.leg.wa.gov/billinfo/summary.aspx?bill=2748>

[HB 2824](#) **Operating supp budget 2010** **Linville**  
 Representatives Linville and Ericks; by request of Governor Gregoire  
 Makes 2010 operating supplemental appropriations.

<http://apps.leg.wa.gov/billinfo/summary.aspx?bill=2824>

[HB 2833](#) **Aerospace tax incentives** **Williams**  
 Representatives Williams, White, Moeller, Green, Nelson, Hasegawa, Takko, Dunshee, Sells, Ormsby, Conway, Appleton, Dickerson, and Chase

Requires aerospace tax incentive claimants to periodically reaffirm their commitment to the economic well-being of Washington.

<http://apps.leg.wa.gov/billinfo/summary.aspx?bill=2833>

<a href="#"><u>HB 2899</u></a>	<b>Port district property</b>	<b>Upthegrove</b>
Representatives Upthegrove, Orwall, and Hudgins		
Provides state tax incentives for port district business redevelopment zones. Expires January 1, 2025.		
<a href="http://apps.leg.wa.gov/billinfo/summary.aspx?bill=2899"><u>http://apps.leg.wa.gov/billinfo/summary.aspx?bill=2899</u></a>		
 <a href="#"><u>HB 3007</u></a>	 <b>Airport property rental</b>	 <b>Upthegrove</b>
Representatives Upthegrove, Orwall, and Williams		
Authorizes airport operators to make airport property available for public recreational or other community uses, for less than fair market rental value.		
<a href="http://apps.leg.wa.gov/billinfo/summary.aspx?bill=3007"><u>http://apps.leg.wa.gov/billinfo/summary.aspx?bill=3007</u></a>		
 <a href="#"><u>HB 3176</u></a>	 <b>Increasing state revenues</b>	 <b>Hunter</b>
Representatives Hunter, Hasegawa, Ericks, Conway, and Springer		
Addresses state revenue related to: (1) Minimum nexus standards; (2) Abusive tax avoidance transactions; (3) Placing a cap on the first mortgage deduction; (4) Direct seller business and occupation tax exemption; (5) Business and occupation tax preferences for manufacturers of products derived from certain agricultural products; (6) Eliminating tax preferences for bullion; (7) Ending the preferential business and occupation tax treatment received by directors of corporations; (8) Airplane excise tax; (9) Public utility tax on interstate hauls; (10) Foreclosure exemption; (11) Tax debts; and (12) Repealing the nonresident sales tax exemption, the sales and use tax exemption for livestock nutrient equipment and facilities, and the business and occupation tax credit for new employment for international service activities.		
<a href="http://apps.leg.wa.gov/billinfo/summary.aspx?bill=3176"><u>http://apps.leg.wa.gov/billinfo/summary.aspx?bill=3176</u></a>		
 <a href="#"><u>SB 6304</u></a>	 <b>Large commercial airports</b>	 <b>Keiser</b>
Senator Keiser		
Requires a local government, in which there is planned to be a primary commercial service airport, to create an aviation protection zone. Requires the aviation division of the department of transportation to hire an independent consultant to identify the location of the next primary commercial service airport. This requirement expires July 1, 2011. Makes an appropriation.		
<a href="http://apps.leg.wa.gov/billinfo/summary.aspx?bill=6304"><u>http://apps.leg.wa.gov/billinfo/summary.aspx?bill=6304</u></a>		
 <a href="#"><u>SB 6444</u></a>	 <b>Operating supp budget 2010</b>	 <b>Prentice</b>
Senators Prentice and Tom; by request of Governor Gregoire		
Makes 2010 operating supplemental appropriations.		
<a href="http://apps.leg.wa.gov/billinfo/summary.aspx?bill=6444"><u>http://apps.leg.wa.gov/billinfo/summary.aspx?bill=6444</u></a>		
 <a href="#"><u>SB 6560</u></a>	 <b>Port district property</b>	 <b>McDermott</b>
Senators McDermott and Keiser		
Provides state tax incentives for port district business redevelopment zones. Expires January 1, 2025.		
<a href="http://apps.leg.wa.gov/billinfo/summary.aspx?bill=6560"><u>http://apps.leg.wa.gov/billinfo/summary.aspx?bill=6560</u></a>		

**[SSB 6603](#)****General aviation airports****Marr**

Senate Transportation (originally sponsored by Senators Marr, Haugen, Swecker, Eide, and Keiser)

<http://apps.leg.wa.gov/billinfo/summary.aspx?bill=6603>

**[SSB 6678](#)****Aerospace industry****Hobbs**

Senate Economic Development, Trade & Innovation (originally sponsored by Senators Hobbs, Kilmer, Marr, Berkey, Tom, and Shin)

Creates the Washington state aerospace training and coordination institute to enhance the vitality of the aerospace industry by coordinating, providing, and developing curricula for a statewide consortium of schools and programs that provide aerospace workforce education and training. Creates the center for aerospace technology innovation to lead a collaborative effort between the state's universities, private industry, and government for the aerospace industry. Requires the University of Washington, Washington State University, and the department of commerce to work cooperatively with the private sector in the development and implementation of research and new technology. Provides a retail sales tax exemption to certain four-year institutions. Creates the Washington aerospace futures account. Makes an appropriation.

<http://apps.leg.wa.gov/billinfo/summary.aspx?bill=6678>

**[SB 6838](#)****State-owned trust lands****McAuliffe**

Senators McAuliffe, Fraser, Tom, and Prentice

Prohibits the condemnation of state trust lands.

<http://apps.leg.wa.gov/billinfo/summary.aspx?bill=6838>

**[SB 6843](#)****Essential public services****Prentice**

Senators Prentice, Murray, Kohl-Welles, Regala, Fairley, Ranker, McDermott, Kline, and Keiser

Suspends the two-thirds vote requirement of the legislature for tax increases. Provides a means for the legislature to raise new revenue to fund voter-approved initiatives so existing education, public safety, health care, and safety net services for the elderly, disabled, and vulnerable people may be preserved.

<http://apps.leg.wa.gov/billinfo/summary.aspx?bill=6843>