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Sponsor(s): Senate Committee on Commerce, Trade, Housing & Financial Institutions (originally sponsored by Senators Gardner, Winsley, Fraser, Shin, Kohl-Welles, Brown, Costa, Fairley and Jacobsen)

Brief Description: Providing for the licensing of geologists.

SB 6455-S.E - DIGEST

(DIGEST AS ENACTED)

Declares that it is unlawful for any person to practice, or offer to practice, geology for others in this state, or to use in connection with his or her name or otherwise assume or advertise any title or description tending to convey the impression that he or she is a geologist unless the person has been licensed or exempted under the provisions of this act.

Creates the state geologist licensing board.

Designates the requirements for licensure.

Designates the acts which are prohibited and constitute grounds for disciplinary action.

Provides that the secretary of state shall submit section 5 of this act to the people for their adoption and ratification, or rejection, at the next general election to be held in this state, in accordance with RCW 43.135.090.