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**SENATE BILL 6171**

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**By** Senators Keiser, Conway, Carlyle, Saldaña, Hasegawa, Pedersen, Frockt, and Hunt

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1 AN ACT Relating to the disassembly of tower cranes; and adding a  
2 new section to chapter 49.17 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 49.17  
5 RCW to read as follows:

6 (1) No tower crane may be disassembled in this state without the  
7 department present to ensure approved tower crane disassembly  
8 procedures are followed by the employers and workers on the worksite.

9 (2) Any additional inspection personnel hired by the department  
10 to meet the requirements of subsection (1) of this section must be  
11 assigned to the county in which the most tower cranes are assembled.

12 (3) A violation of subsection (1) of this section by an employer  
13 is a willful violation of this chapter and subject to the penalties  
14 established under RCW 49.17.180 and 49.17.190.

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