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SENATE BILL 5003

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By Senators Jacobsen and Swecker

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1 AN ACT Relating to providing a sales and use tax exemption for  
2 breathalyzers sold to businesses who provide alcohol for consumption  
3 on-site; adding a new section to chapter 82.08 RCW; adding a new  
4 section to chapter 82.12 RCW; and providing an effective date.

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

6 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 82.08 RCW  
7 to read as follows:

8 The tax levied by RCW 82.08.020 does not apply to sales of alcohol  
9 detection breathalyzers or other devices, which are used to measure an  
10 individual's blood alcohol content in an establishment that provides  
11 alcohol for consumption on-site, or for labor or services rendered in  
12 respect to the installation of such devices.

13 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** A new section is added to chapter 82.12 RCW  
14 to read as follows:

15 The provisions of this chapter do not apply with respect to the use  
16 of alcohol detection breathalyzers or other devices, in an  
17 establishment that provides alcohol for consumption on-site, for

1 purposes of measuring an individual's blood alcohol content.

2 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 3.** This act takes effect August 1, 2009.

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