#### SIXTY THIRD LEGISLATURE - SECOND SPECIAL SESSION

# SEVENTEENTH DAY

House Chamber, Olympia, Friday, June 28, 2013

The House was called to order at 10:00 a.m. by the Speaker (Representative Moeller presiding). The Clerk called the roll and a quorum was present.

The flags were escorted to the rostrum by a Sergeant at Arms Color Guard, Joe DePinto and Andy Aboen. The Speaker (Representative Moeller presiding) led the Chamber in the Pledge of Allegiance. The prayer was offered by Representative Cindy Ryu, 32nd District, Washington.

Reading of the Journal of the previous day was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

There being no objection, the House advanced to the eighth order of business.

There being no objection, the Committee on Rules was relieved of ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1089 and the bill was placed on the third reading calendar.

There being no objection, the House reverted to the seventh order of business.

#### MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

6/27/2013

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 2068 with the following amendment:

and the same is herewith transmitted.

Hunter Goodman, Secretary

# SENATE AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL

There being no objection, the House concurred in the Senate amendment to ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 2068 and advanced the bill as amended by the Senate to final passage.

#### FINAL PASSAGE OF HOUSE BILL AS SENATE AMENDED

Representative Fitzgibbon spoke in favor of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker (Representative Moeller presiding) stated the question before the House to be the final passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 2068, as amended by the Senate.

#### **MOTIONS**

On motion of Representative Van De Wege, Representatives Hurst, Liias, Stanford and Takko were excused. On motion of Representative Harris, Representatives Crouse, Hope, Johnson and Rodne were excused.

#### ROLL CALL

The Clerk called the roll on the final passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 2068, as amended by the Senate, and the bill passed the House by the following vote: Yeas, 74; Nays, 15; Absent, 0; Excused, 8.

Voting yea: Representatives Alexander, Angel, Appleton, Bergquist, Blake, Buys, Carlyle, Clibborn, Cody, Dahlquist, Dunshee, Fagan, Farrell, Fitzgibbon, Freeman, Goodman, Green, Habib, Haigh, Haler, Hansen, Hargrove, Harris, Hawkins, Hayes, Holy, Hudgins, Hunt, Hunter, Kagi, Kirby, Klippert, Kochmar, Lytton, Magendanz, Manweller, Maxwell, McCoy, Moeller, Morrell, Morris, Moscoso, Nealey, Ormsby, Orwall, Parker, Pedersen, Pettigrew, Pollet, Reykdal, Riccelli, Roberts, Ross, Ryu, Santos, Schmick, Scott, Seaquist, Sells, Smith, Springer, Stonier, Sullivan, Tarleton, Tharinger, Upthegrove, Van De Wege, Vick, Walsh, Warnick, Wilcox, Wylie, Zeiger and Mr. Speaker.

Voting nay: Representatives Chandler, Condotta, DeBolt, Fey, Jinkins, Kretz, Kristiansen, MacEwen, Orcutt, Overstreet, Pike, Sawyer, Shea, Short and Taylor.

Excused: Representatives Crouse, Hope, Hurst, Johnson, Liias, Rodne, Stanford and Takko.

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 2068, as amended by the Senate, having received the necessary constitutional majority, was declared passed.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2044, by Representatives Hunter and Sullivan.

Delaying the implementation of the family leave insurance program until funding and payment of benefits are authorized in law.

The bill was read the third time.

Representatives Hunter and Alexander spoke in favor of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker (Representative Moeller presiding) stated the question before the House to be the final passage of House Bill No. 2044.

#### **ROLL CALL**

The Clerk called the roll on the final passage of House Bill No. 2044, and the bill passed the House by the following vote: Yeas, 70; Nays, 19; Absent, 0; Excused, 8.

Voting yea: Representatives Alexander, Angel, Appleton, Bergquist, Blake, Carlyle, Chandler, Clibborn, Cody, Condotta, Dahlquist, Dunshee, Fagan, Fey, Fitzgibbon, Freeman, Green, Habib, Haigh, Haler, Hansen, Hargrove, Hawkins, Hayes, Holy, Hunt, Hunter, Jinkins, Kagi, Kirby, Klippert, Kochmar, Kretz, Lytton, Magendanz, Manweller, Maxwell, Moeller, Morris, Moscoso, Nealey, Orcutt, Ormsby, Orwall, Parker, Pedersen, Pettigrew, Pollet, Riccelli, Roberts, Ross, Ryu, Santos, Schmick, Scott, Seaquist, Sells, Short, Smith, Springer, Sullivan,

Upthegrove, Van De Wege, Vick, Walsh, Warnick, Wilcox, Wylie, Zeiger and Mr. Speaker.

Voting nay: Representatives Buys, DeBolt, Farrell, Goodman, Harris, Hudgins, Kristiansen, MacEwen, McCoy, Morrell, Overstreet, Pike, Reykdal, Sawyer, Shea, Stonier, Tarleton, Taylor and Tharinger.

Excused: Representatives Crouse, Hope, Hurst, Johnson, Liias, Rodne, Stanford and Takko.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2044, having received the necessary constitutional majority, was declared passed.

There being no objection, the House reverted to the sixth order of business.

#### SECOND READING

# HOUSE BILL NO. 2051, by Representatives Lytton, Hunter, Sullivan, Maxwell and Pollet

#### Implementing basic education expenditures.

The bill was read the second time.

There being no objection, Substitute House Bill No. 2051 was substituted for House Bill No. 2051 and the substitute bill was placed on the second reading calendar.

SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 2051 was read the second time.

Representative Hunter moved the adoption of amendment (580).

Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the following:

"NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. The legislature intends to fund a plan to carry out the reforms enacted in chapter 548, Laws of 2009, and chapter 236, Laws of 2010, and to make the statutory changes necessary to support this plan.

- Sec. 2. RCW 28A.150.220 and 2013 c 323 s 2 are each amended to read as follows:
- (1) In order for students to have the opportunity to develop the basic education knowledge and skills under RCW 28A.150.210, school districts must provide instruction of sufficient quantity and quality and give students the opportunity to complete graduation requirements that are intended to prepare them for postsecondary education, gainful employment, and citizenship. The program established under this section shall be the minimum instructional program of basic education offered by school districts.
- (2) Each school district shall make available to students the following minimum instructional offering each school year:
- (a) For students enrolled in grades one through twelve, at least a district-wide annual average of one thousand hours, which shall be increased to at least one thousand eighty instructional hours for students enrolled in each of grades seven through twelve and at least one thousand instructional hours for students in each of grades one through six according to an implementation schedule adopted by the legislature, but not before the 2014-15 school year; and
- (b) For students enrolled in kindergarten, at least four hundred fifty instructional hours, which shall be increased to at least one thousand instructional hours according to the implementation schedule under RCW 28A.150.315.

- (3) The instructional program of basic education provided by each school district shall include:
- (a) Instruction in the essential academic learning requirements under RCW 28A.655.070:
- (b) Instruction that provides students the opportunity to complete twenty-four credits for high school graduation, subject to a phased-in implementation of the twenty-four credits as established by the legislature. Course distribution requirements may be established by the state board of education under RCW 28A.230.090;
- (c) If the essential academic learning requirements include a requirement of languages other than English, the requirement may be met by students receiving instruction in one or more American Indian languages;
- (d) Supplemental instruction and services for underachieving students through the learning assistance program under RCW 28A.165.005 through 28A.165.065;
- (e) Supplemental instruction and services for eligible and enrolled students and exited students whose primary language is other than English through the transitional bilingual instruction program under RCW 28A.180.010 through 28A.180.080;
- (f) The opportunity for an appropriate education at public expense as defined by RCW 28A.155.020 for all eligible students with disabilities as defined in RCW 28A.155.020; and
- (g) Programs for highly capable students under RCW  $28A.185.010 \ through \ 28A.185.030.$
- (4) Nothing contained in this section shall be construed to require individual students to attend school for any particular number of hours per day or to take any particular courses.
- (5) Each school district's kindergarten through twelfth grade basic educational program shall be accessible to all students who are five years of age, as provided by RCW 28A.225.160, and less than twenty-one years of age and shall consist of a minimum of one hundred eighty school days per school year in such grades as are conducted by a school district, and one hundred eighty half-days of instruction, or equivalent, in kindergarten, to be increased to a minimum of one hundred eighty school days per school year according to the implementation schedule under RCW 28A.150.315. However, schools administering the Washington kindergarten inventory of developing skills may use up to three school days at the beginning of the school year to meet with parents and families as required in the parent involvement component of the inventory. In addition, effective May 1, 1979, a school district may schedule the last five school days of the one hundred and eighty day school year for noninstructional purposes in the case of students who are graduating from high school, including, but not limited to, the observance of graduation and early release from school upon the request of a student, and all such students may be claimed as a full-time equivalent student to the extent they could otherwise have been so claimed for the purposes of RCW 28A.150.250 and 28A.150.260.
- (6) Nothing in this section precludes a school district from enriching the instructional program of basic education, such as offering additional instruction or providing additional services, programs, or activities that the school district determines to be appropriate for the education of the school district's students.
- (7) The state board of education shall adopt rules to implement and ensure compliance with the program requirements imposed by this section, RCW 28A.150.250 and 28A.150.260, and such related supplemental program approval requirements as the state board may establish.
- **Sec. 3.** RCW 28A.180.030 and 2001 1st sp.s. c 6 s 3 are each amended to read as follows:

As used throughout this chapter, unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:

(1) "Transitional bilingual instruction" means:

- (a) A system of instruction which uses two languages, one of which is English, as a means of instruction to build upon and expand language skills to enable the pupil to achieve competency in English. Concepts and information are introduced in the primary language and reinforced in the second language: PROVIDED, That the program shall include testing in the subject matter in English; or
- (b) In those cases in which the use of two languages is not practicable as established by the superintendent of public instruction and unless otherwise prohibited by law, an alternative system of instruction which may include English as a second language and is designed to enable the pupil to achieve competency in English.
- (2) "Primary language" means the language most often used by the student for communication in his/her home.
- (3) "Eligible pupil" means any enrollee of the school district whose primary language is other than English and whose English language skills are sufficiently deficient or absent to impair learning.

  (4) "Exited pupil" means a student previously enrolled in the transitional bilingual instruction program who is no longer eligible for the program based on his or her performance on an English proficiency assessment approved by the superintendent of public instruction.
- Sec. 4. RCW 28A.180.040 and 2009 c 380 s 5 are each amended to read as follows:
  - (1) Every school district board of directors shall:
- (a) Make available to each eligible pupil transitional bilingual instruction to achieve competency in English, in accord with rules of the superintendent of public instruction;
- (b) Wherever feasible, ensure that communications to parents emanating from the schools shall be appropriately bilingual for those parents of pupils in the bilingual instruction program;
- (c) Determine, by administration of an English test approved by the superintendent of public instruction the number of eligible pupils enrolled in the school district at the beginning of a school year and thereafter during the year as necessary in individual cases;
- (d) Ensure that a student who is a child of a military family in transition and who has been assessed as in need of, or enrolled in, a bilingual instruction program, the receiving school shall initially honor placement of the student into a like program.
- (i) The receiving school shall determine whether the district's program is a like program when compared to the sending school's program; and
- (ii) The receiving school may conduct subsequent assessments pursuant to RCW 28A.180.090 to determine appropriate placement and continued enrollment in the program;
- (e) Before the conclusion of each school year, measure each eligible pupil's improvement in learning the English language by means of a test approved by the superintendent of public instruction; ((and))
- (f) Provide in-service training for teachers, counselors, and other staff, who are involved in the district's transitional bilingual program. Such training shall include appropriate instructional strategies for children of culturally different backgrounds, use of curriculum materials, and program models: and
- (g) Make available a program of instructional support for up to two years immediately after pupils exit from the program, for exited pupils who need assistance in reaching grade-level performance in academic subjects even though they have achieved English proficiency for purposes of the transitional bilingual instructional program.
- (2) The definitions in Article II of RCW 28A.705.010 apply to subsection (1)(d) of this section.
- **Sec. 5.** RCW 43.135.045 and 2012 2nd sp.s. c 5 s 1 and 2012 1st sp.s. c 10 s 5 are each reenacted and amended to read as follows:

The education construction fund is hereby created in the state treasury.

- (1) Funds may be appropriated from the education construction fund exclusively for common school construction or higher education construction. ((During the 2007-2009 fiscal biennium, funds may also be used for higher education facilities preservation and maintenance. During the 2009-2011 and 2011-2013 fiscal biennia, the legislature may transfer from the education construction fund to the state general fund such amounts as reflect the excess fund balance of the fund.))
- (2) Funds may be appropriated for any other purpose only if approved by a two-thirds vote of each house of the legislature and if approved by a vote of the people at the next general election. An appropriation approved by the people under this subsection must result in an adjustment to the state expenditure limit only for the fiscal period for which the appropriation is made and does not affect any subsequent fiscal period.
- (((3) After July 1, 2010, the state treasurer must transfer one hundred two million dollars from the general fund to the education construction fund by June 30th of each year. However, the transfers may not take place in the fiscal biennium ending June 30, 2015.))
- **Sec. 6.** RCW 82.45.060 and 2011 1st sp.s. c 50 s 975 and 2011 1st sp.s. c 48 s 7035 are each reenacted and amended to read as follows:

There is imposed an excise tax upon each sale of real property at the rate of one and twenty-eight one-hundredths percent of the selling price. Beginning July 1, 2013, and ending June 30, 2019, an amount equal to two percent of the proceeds of this tax must be deposited in the public works assistance account created in RCW 43.155.050, and an amount equal to four and one-tenth percent must be deposited in the education legacy trust account created in RCW 83.100.230. Thereafter, an amount equal to six and one-tenth percent of the proceeds of this tax to the state treasurer must be deposited in the public works assistance account created in RCW 43.155.050((÷ PROVIDED, That during the fiscal year 2011, six and one tenth percent of the proceeds of this tax must be deposited in the general fund for general purpose expenditures)). Except as otherwise provided in this section, an amount equal to one and six-tenths percent of the proceeds of this tax to the state treasurer must be deposited in the city-county assistance account created in RCW 43.08.290. ((During the 2011-2013 fiscal biennium, 1.546 percent of the proceeds of this tax to the state treasurer must be deposited in the city county assistance account.))

- **Sec. 7.** RCW 82.16.020 and 2011 1st sp.s. c 48 s 7033 are each amended to read as follows:
- (1) There is levied and there shall be collected from every person a tax for the act or privilege of engaging within this state in any one or more of the businesses herein mentioned. The tax shall be equal to the gross income of the business, multiplied by the rate set out after the business, as follows:
- (a) Express, sewerage collection, and telegraph businesses: Three and six-tenths percent;
- (b) Light and power business: Three and sixty-two one-hundredths percent;
  - (c) Gas distribution business: Three and six-tenths percent;
  - (d) Urban transportation business: Six-tenths of one percent;
- (e) Vessels under sixty-five feet in length, except tugboats, operating upon the waters within the state: Six-tenths of one percent;
- (f) Motor transportation, railroad, railroad car, and tugboat businesses, and all public service businesses other than ones mentioned above: One and eight-tenths of one percent;
  - (g) Water distribution business: Four and seven-tenths percent.
- (2) An additional tax is imposed equal to the rate specified in RCW 82.02.030 multiplied by the tax payable under subsection (1) of this section.
- (3) Twenty percent of the moneys collected under subsection (1) of this section on water distribution businesses and sixty percent of the moneys collected under subsection (1) of this section on sewerage

collection businesses shall be deposited in the education legacy trust account created in RCW 83.100.230 from July 1, 2013, through June 30, 2019, and thereafter in the public works assistance account created in RCW 43.155.050((:-PROVIDED, That during the fiscal year 2011, twenty percent of the moneys collected under subsection (1) of this section on water distribution businesses and sixty percent of the moneys collected under subsection (1) of this section on sewerage collection businesses must be deposited in the general fund for general purpose expenditures)).

**Sec. 8.** RCW 82.18.040 and 2012 2nd sp.s. c 5 s 2 are each amended to read as follows:

- (1) Taxes collected under this chapter must be held in trust until paid to the state. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection (1), taxes received by the state must be deposited in the public works assistance account created in RCW 43.155.050. For the period beginning July 1, 2011, and ending June 30, 2015, taxes received by the state under this chapter must be deposited in the general fund for general purpose expenditures. For fiscal years 2016, 2017, and 2018, one-half of the taxes received by the state under this chapter must be deposited in the general fund for general purpose expenditures and the remainder deposited in the ((public works assistance account)) education legacy trust account created in RCW 83.100.230. For fiscal year 2019, taxes received by the state under this chapter must be deposited in the education legacy trust account created in RCW 83.100.230. Any person collecting the tax who appropriates or converts the tax collected is guilty of a gross misdemeanor if the money required to be collected is not available for payment on the date payment is due. If a taxpayer fails to pay the tax imposed by this chapter to the person charged with collection of the tax and the person charged with collection fails to pay the tax to the department, the department may, in its discretion, proceed directly against the taxpayer for collection of the tax.
- (2) The tax is due from the taxpayer within twenty-five days from the date the taxpayer is billed by the person collecting the tax.
- (3) The tax is due from the person collecting the tax at the end of the tax period in which the tax is received from the taxpayer. If the taxpayer remits only a portion of the total amount billed for taxes, consideration, and related charges, the amount remitted must be applied first to payment of the solid waste collection tax and this tax has priority over all other claims to the amount remitted.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 9.** (1) Sections 2 through 4 of this act are necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and take effect September 1, 2013.

- (2) Section 7 of this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and takes effect June 30, 2013.
- (3) Sections 5, 6, and 8 of this act are necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and take effect immediately."

Correct the title.

Representatives Hunter and Dahlquist spoke in favor of the adoption of the amendment.

Amendment (580) was adopted.

With the consent of the house, amendment 506 was withdrawn.

The bill was ordered engrossed.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, the second reading considered the third and the bill was placed on final passage.

Representatives Hunter and Dahlquist spoke in favor of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker (Representative Moeller presiding) stated the question before the House to be the final passage of Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 2051.

#### **ROLL CALL**

The Clerk called the roll on the final passage of Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 2051, and the bill passed the House by the following vote: Yeas, 55; Nays, 34; Absent, 0; Excused, 8.

Voting yea: Representatives Alexander, Appleton, Bergquist, Blake, Carlyle, Clibborn, Cody, Dahlquist, Dunshee, Fagan, Farrell, Fey, Fitzgibbon, Freeman, Goodman, Green, Habib, Haigh, Haler, Hansen, Hudgins, Hunt, Hunter, Jinkins, Kagi, Kirby, Kristiansen, Lytton, Magendanz, Maxwell, McCoy, Moeller, Morrell, Morris, Moscoso, Orwall, Pedersen, Pettigrew, Pollet, Reykdal, Riccelli, Roberts, Ryu, Santos, Sawyer, Seaquist, Sells, Springer, Stonier, Sullivan, Tarleton, Upthegrove, Van De Wege, Wylie and Mr. Speaker.

Voting nay: Representatives Angel, Buys, Chandler, Condotta, DeBolt, Hargrove, Harris, Hawkins, Hayes, Holy, Klippert, Kochmar, Kretz, MacEwen, Manweller, Nealey, Orcutt, Ormsby, Overstreet, Parker, Pike, Ross, Schmick, Scott, Shea, Short, Smith, Taylor, Tharinger, Vick, Walsh, Warnick, Wilcox and Zeiger.

Excused: Representatives Crouse, Hope, Hurst, Johnson, Liias, Rodne, Stanford and Takko.

ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 2051, having received the necessary constitutional majority, was declared passed.

ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5913, by Senate Committee on Ways & Means (originally sponsored by Senator Becker)

Concerning a hospital safety net assessment and quality incentive program for increased hospital payments.

The bill was read the second time.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, the second reading considered the third and the bill was placed on final passage.

Representatives Jinkins and Alexander spoke in favor of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker (Representative Moeller presiding) stated the question before the House to be the final passage of Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 5913.

#### **ROLL CALL**

The Clerk called the roll on the final passage of Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 5913, and the bill passed the House by the following vote: Yeas, 70; Nays, 22; Absent, 0; Excused, 5.

Voting yea: Representatives Alexander, Angel, Appleton, Bergquist, Blake, Carlyle, Clibborn, Cody, Dunshee, Fagan,

Farrell, Fey, Fitzgibbon, Freeman, Goodman, Green, Habib, Haigh, Haler, Hansen, Hudgins, Hunt, Hunter, Hurst, Jinkins, Kagi, Kirby, Klippert, Kochmar, Kretz, Kristiansen, Liias, Lytton, MacEwen, Magendanz, Maxwell, McCoy, Moeller, Morrell, Morris, Moscoso, Nealey, Ormsby, Orwall, Pedersen, Pettigrew, Pollet, Reykdal, Riccelli, Roberts, Ryu, Santos, Sawyer, Schmick, Seaquist, Sells, Short, Springer, Stanford, Stonier, Sullivan, Tarleton, Tharinger, Upthegrove, Van De Wege, Walsh, Warnick, Wilcox, Wylie and Mr. Speaker.

Voting nay: Representatives Buys, Chandler, Condotta, Dahlquist, DeBolt, Hargrove, Harris, Hawkins, Hayes, Holy, Manweller, Orcutt, Overstreet, Parker, Pike, Ross, Scott, Shea, Smith, Taylor, Vick and Zeiger.

Excused: Representatives Crouse, Hope, Johnson, Rodne and Takko.

ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5913, having received the necessary constitutional majority, was declared passed.

ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5946, by Senate Committee on Ways & Means (originally sponsored by Senators Dammeier and Frockt)

#### Strengthening student educational outcomes.

The bill was read the second time.

Representative Sullivan moved the adoption of amendment (581).

Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the following:

### "PART I

# LEARNING TO READ, READING TO LEARN

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 101.** A new section is added to chapter 28A.300 RCW to read as follows:

In support of reading and early literacy, the office of the superintendent of public instruction is responsible for:

- (1) Continuing to work collaboratively with state and regional partners such as the department of early learning and the educational service districts to establish early literacy benchmarks and standards and to implement the Washington state comprehensive literacy plan;
- (2) Disseminating research and information to school districts about evidence-based programs and practices in reading readiness skills, early literacy, and reading instruction;
- (3) Providing statewide models to support school districts that are implementing response to intervention initiatives, positive behavior intervention support systems, or other similar comprehensive models of data-based identification and early intervention; and
- (4) Within available funds and in partnership with the educational service districts, providing technical assistance and professional development opportunities for school districts.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 102.** A new section is added to chapter 28A.320 RCW to read as follows:

School districts are responsible for providing a comprehensive system of instruction and services in reading and early literacy to kindergarten through fourth grade students that is based on the degree

- of student need for additional support. Reading and early literacy systems provided by school districts must include:
- (1) Annual use of screening assessments and other tools to identify at-risk readers in kindergarten through fourth grade, such as the Washington kindergarten inventory of developing skills, the Washington state early learning and development guidelines for birth through third grade, the second grade reading assessment under RCW 28A.300.310, and locally used assessments and other tools; and
- (2) Research-based family involvement and engagement strategies, including strategies to help families and guardians assist in improving students' reading and early literacy skills at home.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 103.** A new section is added to chapter 28A.415 RCW to read as follows:

- (1) High-quality professional development is essential for educators to keep abreast of the important advances in research that are occurring regarding instructional strategies and curriculum. Professional development in early literacy is especially important to support the instruction of young readers since reading proficiency is a crucial element for student academic success.
- (2) Subject to funds appropriated for this specific purpose, the office of the superintendent of public instruction shall create partnerships with the educational service districts and public or private institutions of higher education with approved educator preparation programs to develop and deliver research-based professional development learning opportunities in reading instruction and early literacy for teachers of kindergarten through fourth grade students.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 104.** A new section is added to chapter 28A.320 RCW to read as follows:

- (1) Each school district shall require that report cards for students in kindergarten through fourth grade include information regarding how the student is progressing on acquiring reading skills and whether the student is at grade level in reading.
- (2) If a student is not reading at or above grade level, the teacher, with the support of other school personnel as appropriate, must explain to the parent or guardian which interventions and strategies will be used to help improve the student's reading skills and must provide strategies for parents or guardians to assist with improving the student's reading skills at home.
- (3) Each school shall report to the school district the number of students in grades kindergarten through four who are reading below grade level and the interventions that are being provided to improve the reading skills of the students, with the information disaggregated by subgroups of students. The school district shall aggregate the reports from the schools and provide the reports to the office of the superintendent of public instruction. The office of the superintendent of public instruction shall submit a statewide report annually to the education committees of the legislature and the educational opportunity gap oversight and accountability committee.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 105.** A new section is added to chapter 28A.655 RCW to read as follows:

- (1) The definitions in this subsection apply throughout this section and section 106 of this act unless the context clearly requires otherwise.
- (a) "Basic" means a score on the statewide student assessment at a level two in a four-level scoring system.
- (b) "Below basic" means a score on the statewide student assessment at a level one in a four-level scoring system.
- (c) "Not meet the state standard" means a score on the statewide student assessment at either a level one or a level two in a four-level scoring system.
- (2) Beginning in the 2014-15 school year, for any student who receives a score of below basic on the third grade statewide student assessment in English language arts, a meeting must be scheduled before the end of the school year between the student's parent or guardian, teacher, and the principal of the school the student attends

or the principal's designee to discuss appropriate grade placement and recommended intensive strategies to improve the student's reading skills. For students to be placed in fourth grade, the strategies discussed must include an intensive improvement strategy provided, supported, or contracted by the school district that includes a summer program or other option identified by the parents, teacher, principal, or principal's designee as appropriately meeting the student's need to prepare for fourth grade. The parents or guardians must be fully informed about the strategies and the parent's or guardian's consent must be obtained regarding the appropriate grade placement and the intensive improvement strategy to be implemented. The school district must implement the strategy selected in consultation with the student's parents or guardians.

- (3) If a student does not have a score in English language arts on the third grade statewide student assessment but the district determines, using district or classroom-based diagnostic assessments or another standardized assessment, that the student's performance is equivalent to below basic in English language arts, the policy in subsection (2) of this section applies.
- (4) Students participating in the transitional bilingual instruction program are exempt from the policy in subsection (2) of this section, unless the student has participated in the transitional bilingual instruction program for three school years and receives a score of below basic on the third grade statewide student assessment in English language arts.
- (5) Students with disabilities whose individualized education program includes specially designed instruction in reading or English language arts are exempt from subsections (2), (3), and (4) of this section. Communication and consultation with parents or guardians of such students shall occur through the individualized education program process required under chapter 28A.155 RCW and associated administrative rules.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 106.** A new section is added to chapter 28A.655 RCW to read as follows:

- (1)(a) Beginning in the 2015-16 school year, except as otherwise provided in this subsection (1), for any student who received a score of basic or below basic on the third grade statewide student assessment in English language arts in the previous school year, the school district must implement an intensive reading and literacy improvement strategy from a state menu of best practices established in accordance with subsection (3) of this section or an alternative strategy in accordance with subsection (4) of this section.
- (b) Reading and literacy improvement strategies for students with disabilities whose individualized education program includes specially designed instruction in reading or English language arts shall be as provided in the individualized education program.
- (2)(a) Also beginning in the 2015-16 school year, in any school where more than forty percent of the tested students received a score of basic or below basic on the third grade statewide student assessment in English language arts in the previous school year, as calculated under this subsection (2), the school district must implement an intensive reading and literacy improvement strategy from a state menu of best practices established in accordance with subsection (3) of this section or an alternative strategy in accordance with subsection (4) of this section for all students in grades kindergarten through four at the school.
- (b) For the purposes of this subsection (2), the office of the superintendent of public instruction shall exclude the following from the calculation of a school's percentage of tested students receiving a score of basic or below basic on the third grade statewide student assessment:
- (i) Students enrolled in the transitional bilingual instruction program unless the student has participated in the transitional bilingual instruction program for three school years;
- (ii) Students with disabilities whose individualized education program specifies a different standard to measure reading

performance than is required for the statewide student assessment; and

- (iii) Schools with fewer than ten students in third grade.
- (3) The office of the superintendent of public instruction shall convene a panel of experts, including the Washington state institute for public policy, to develop a state menu of best practices and strategies for intensive reading and literacy improvement designed to assist struggling students in reaching grade level in reading by the end of fourth grade. The state menu must also include best practices and strategies to improve the reading and literacy of students who are English language learners and for system improvements that schools and school districts can implement to improve reading instruction for all students. The office of the superintendent of public instruction shall publish the state menu by July 1, 2014, and update the state menu by each July 1st thereafter.
- (4) School districts may use an alternative practice or strategy that is not on a state menu developed under subsection (3) of this section for two school years initially. If the district is able to demonstrate improved outcomes for participating students over the previous two school years at a level commensurate with the best practices and strategies on the state menu, the office of the superintendent of public instruction must approve use of the alternative practice or strategy by the district for one additional school year. Subsequent annual approval by the superintendent of public instruction to use the alternative practice or strategy is dependent on the district continuing to demonstrate an increase in improved outcomes for participating students.

#### **PART II**

# REQUIRING THE LEARNING ASSISTANCE PROGRAM TO BE EVIDENCE-BASED

**Sec. 201.** RCW 28A.165.005 and 2009 c 548 s 701 are each amended to read as follows:

- (1) This chapter is designed to: (((1))) (a) Promote the use of ((assessment)) data when developing programs to assist underachieving students and reduce disruptive behaviors in the classroom; and (((2))) (b) guide school districts in providing the most effective and efficient practices when implementing supplemental instruction and services to assist underachieving students and reduce disruptive behaviors in the classroom.
- (2) School districts implementing a learning assistance program shall focus first on addressing the needs of students in grades kindergarten through four who are deficient in reading or reading readiness skills to improve reading literacy.
- **Sec. 202.** RCW 28A.165.015 and 2009 c 548 s 702 are each amended to read as follows:

Unless the context clearly indicates otherwise the definitions in this section apply throughout this chapter.

- (1) (("Approved program" means a program submitted to and approved by the office of the superintendent of public instruction and conducted pursuant to the plan that addresses the required elements as provided for in this chapter.—(2))) "Basic skills areas" means reading, writing, and mathematics as well as readiness associated with these skills.
- (((3))) (2) "Participating student" means a student in kindergarten through grade twelve who scores below standard for his or her grade level <u>using multiple measures of performance</u>, including on the statewide <u>student</u> assessments <u>or other assessments and performance measurement tools administered by the school or district and who is identified ((in)) by the ((approved plan)) district to receive services.</u>

- (((4))) (3) "Statewide <u>student</u> assessments" means one or more of the ((several basic skills assessments administered as part of the state's <u>student assessment system</u>, and assessments in the basic skills areas)) <u>assessments</u> administered by ((<del>local</del>)) school districts <u>as required</u> under RCW 28A.655.070.
- $(((\frac{5}{2})))$  (4) "Underachieving students" means students with the greatest academic deficits in basic skills as identified by  $((\frac{5}{2}))$  statewide, school, or district assessments or other performance measurement tools.
- Sec. 203. RCW 28A.165.035 and 2008 c 321 s 4 are each amended to read as follows:
- (1) Beginning in the 2015-16 school year, expenditure of funds from the learning assistance program must be consistent with the provisions of section 106 of this act.
- (2) Use of best practices that have been demonstrated through research to be associated with increased student achievement magnifies the opportunities for student success. To the extent they are included as a best practice or strategy in one of the state menus or an approved alternative under this section or section 106 of this act, the following are services and activities that may be supported by the learning assistance program:
  - (((1))) (a) Extended learning time opportunities occurring:
  - (((a))) (i) Before or after the regular school day;
  - (((b))) (ii) On Saturday; and
  - (((c))) (iii) Beyond the regular school year;
  - ((<del>(2)</del>)) <u>(b)</u> Services under RCW 28A.320.190;
- (((3))) (c) Professional development for certificated and classified staff that focuses on:
  - $((\underbrace{(a)}))$  (i) The needs of a diverse student population;
- (((b))) (ii) Specific literacy and mathematics content and instructional strategies; and
- $((\frac{(e)}{(e)}))$  (iii) The use of student work to guide effective instruction and appropriate assistance;
- (((4))) (d) Consultant teachers to assist in implementing effective instructional practices by teachers serving participating students;
- (((<del>5)</del>)) (e) Tutoring support for participating students; ((<del>and (6)</del>)) (f) Outreach activities and support for parents of participating students, including employing parent and family engagement coordinators; and
- (g) Up to five percent of a district's learning assistance program allocation may be used for development of partnerships with community- based organizations, educational service districts, and other local agencies to deliver academic and nonacademic supports to participating students who are significantly at risk of not being successful in school to reduce barriers to learning, increase student engagement, and enhance students' readiness to learn. The office of the superintendent of public instruction must approve any community-based organization or local agency before learning assistance funds may be expended.
- (3) In addition to the state menu developed under section 106 of this act, the office of the superintendent of public instruction shall convene a panel of experts, including the Washington state institute for public policy, to develop additional state menus of best practices andstrategies for use in the learning assistance program to assist struggling students at all grade levels in English language arts and mathematics and reduce disruptive behaviors in the classroom. The office of the superintendent of public instruction shall publish the state menus by July 1, 2015, and update the state menus by each July 1st
- (4)(a) Beginning in the 2016-17 school year, except as provided in (b) of this subsection, school districts must use a practice or strategy that is on a state menu developed under subsection (3) of this section or section 106 of this act.

  (b) Beginning in the 2016-17 school year, school districts may use a practice or strategy that is not on a state menu developed under

subsection (3) of this section for two school years initially. If the

- district is able to demonstrate improved outcomes for participating students over the previous two school years at a level commensurate with the best practices and strategies on the state menu, the office of the superintendent of public instruction shall approve use of the alternative practice or strategy by the district for one additional school year. Subsequent annual approval by the superintendent of public instruction to use the alternative practice or strategy is dependent on the district continuing to demonstrate increased improved outcomes participating for (c) Beginning in the 2016-17 school year, school districts may enter cooperative agreements with state agencies, local governments, or school districts for administrative or operational costs needed to provide services in accordance with the state menus developed under section and section 106 of
- (5) School districts are encouraged to implement best practices and strategies from the state menus developed under this section and section 106 of this act before the use is required.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 204.** A new section is added to chapter 28A.165 RCW to read as follows:

- (1) Beginning with the 2014-15 school year, school districts shall record in the statewide individual student data system annual entrance and exit performance data for each student participating in the learning assistance program according to specifications established by the office of the superintendent of public instruction.
- (2) By August 1, 2014, and each August 1st thereafter, school districts shall report to the office of the superintendent of public instruction, using a common format prepared by the office:
- (a) The amount of academic growth gained by students participating in the learning assistance program;
- (b) The number of students who gain at least one year of academic growth; and
- (c) The specific practices, activities, and programs used by each school building that received learning assistance program funding.
- (3) The office of the superintendent of public instruction shall compile the school district data and report annual and longitudinal gains for the specific practices, activities, and programs used by the school districts to show which are the most effective. The data must be disaggregated by student subgroups.

**Sec. 205.** RCW 28A.165.055 and 2009 c 548 s 703 are each amended to read as follows:

((Each school district with an approved program is eligible for state funds provided for the learning assistance program.)) The funds for the learning assistance program shall be appropriated ((for the learning assistance program)) in accordance with RCW 28A.150.260 and the omnibus appropriations act. The distribution formula is for school district allocation purposes only, but funds appropriated for the learning assistance program must be expended for the purposes of RCW 28A.165.005 through 28A.165.065 and section 106 of this act.

**Sec. 206.** RCW 28A.165.065 and 2004 c 20 s 7 are each amended to read as follows:

To ensure that school districts are meeting the requirements of ((an approved program)) this chapter, the superintendent of public instruction shall monitor ((such)) learning assistance programs no less than once every four years. ((Individual student records shall be maintained at the school district.)) The primary purpose of program monitoring is to evaluate the effectiveness of a district's allocation and expenditure of resources and monitor school district fidelity in implementing best practices. The office of the superintendent of public instruction may provide technical assistance to school districts to improve the effectiveness of a learning assistance program.

#### PART III

#### STUDENT DISCIPLINE

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 301.** A new section is added to chapter 28A.600 RCW to read as follows:

- (1) The office of the superintendent of public instruction shall convene a discipline task force to develop standard definitions for causes of student disciplinary actions taken at the discretion of the school district. The task force must also develop data collection standards for disciplinary actions that are discretionary and for disciplinary actions that result in the exclusion of a student from school. The data collection standards must include data about education services provided while a student is subject to a disciplinary action, the status of petitions for readmission to the school district when a student has been excluded from school, credit retrieval during a period of exclusion, and school dropout as a result of disciplinary action.
- (2) The discipline task force shall include representatives from the K-12 data governance group, the educational opportunity gap oversight and accountability committee, the state ethnic commissions, the governor's office of Indian affairs, the office of the education ombudsman, school districts, and other education and advocacy organizations.
- (3) The office of the superintendent of public instruction and the K-12 data governance group shall revise the statewide student data system to incorporate the student discipline data collection standards recommended by the discipline task force, and begin collecting data based on the revised standards in the 2015-16 school year.
- **Sec. 302.** RCW 28A.600.015 and 2006 c 263 s 701 are each amended to read as follows:
- (1) The superintendent of public instruction shall adopt and distribute to all school districts lawful and reasonable rules prescribing the substantive and procedural due process guarantees of pupils in the common schools. Such rules shall authorize a school district to use informal due process procedures in connection with the short-term suspension of students to the extent constitutionally permissible: PROVIDED, That the superintendent of public instruction deems the interest of students to be adequately protected. When a student suspension or expulsion is appealed, the rules shall authorize a school district to impose the suspension or expulsion temporarily after an initial hearing for no more than ten consecutive school days or until the appeal is decided, whichever is earlier. Any days that the student is temporarily suspended or expelled before the appeal is decided shall be applied to the term of the student suspension or expulsion and shall not limit or extend the term of the student suspension or expulsion. An expulsion or suspension of a student may not be for an indefinite period of time.
- (2) Short-term suspension procedures may be used for suspensions of students up to and including, ten consecutive school days.
- (3) Emergency expulsions must end or be converted to another form of corrective action within ten school days from the date of the emergency removal from school. Notice and due process rights must be provided when an emergency expulsion is converted to another form of corrective action.
- **Sec. 303.** RCW 28A.600.020 and 2006 c 263 s 706 are each amended to read as follows:
- (1) The rules adopted pursuant to RCW 28A.600.010 shall be interpreted to ensure that the optimum learning atmosphere of the classroom is maintained, and that the highest consideration is given to the judgment of qualified certificated educators regarding conditions necessary to maintain the optimum learning atmosphere.
- (2) Any student who creates a disruption of the educational process in violation of the building disciplinary standards while under a teacher's immediate supervision may be excluded by the teacher from his or her individual classroom and instructional or activity area for all or any portion of the balance of the school day, or up to the following two days, or until the principal or designee and teacher have conferred, whichever occurs first. Except in emergency

- circumstances, the teacher first must attempt one or more alternative forms of corrective action. In no event without the consent of the teacher may an excluded student return to the class during the balance of that class or activity period or up to the following two days, or until the principal or his or her designee and the teacher have conferred.
- (3) In order to preserve a beneficial learning environment for all students and to maintain good order and discipline in each classroom, every school district board of directors shall provide that written procedures are developed for administering discipline at each school within the district. Such procedures shall be developed with the participation of parents and the community, and shall provide that the teacher, principal or designee, and other authorities designated by the board of directors, make every reasonable attempt to involve the parent or guardian and the student in the resolution of student discipline problems. Such procedures shall provide that students may be excluded from their individual classes or activities for periods of time in excess of that provided in subsection (2) of this section if such students have repeatedly disrupted the learning of other students. The procedures must be consistent with the rules of the superintendent of public instruction and must provide for early involvement of parents in attempts to improve the student's behavior.
- (4) The procedures shall assure, pursuant to RCW 28A.400.110, that all staff work cooperatively toward consistent enforcement of proper student behavior throughout each school as well as within each classroom.
- (5)(a) A principal shall consider imposing long-term suspension or expulsion as a sanction when deciding the appropriate disciplinary action for a student who, after July 27, 1997:
- ((<del>(a)</del>)) (<u>i)</u> Engages in two or more violations within a three-year period of RCW 9A.46.120, 28A.320.135, 28A.600.455, 28A.600.460, 28A.635.020, 28A.600.020, 28A.635.060, 9.41.280, or 28A.320.140; or
- (((b))) (ii) Engages in one or more of the offenses listed in RCW 13.04.155.
- (b) The principal shall communicate the disciplinary action taken by the principal to the school personnel who referred the student to the principal for disciplinary action.
- (6) Any corrective action involving a suspension or expulsion from school for more than ten days must have an end date of not more than one calendar year from the time of corrective action. Districts shall make reasonable efforts to assist students and parents in returning to an educational setting prior to and no later than the end date of the corrective action. Where warranted based on public health or safety, a school may petition the superintendent of the school district, pursuant to policies and procedures adopted by the office of the superintendent of public instruction, for authorization to exceed the one calendar year limitation provided in this subsection. The superintendent of public instruction shall adopt rules outlining the limited circumstances in which a school may petition to exceed the one calendar year limitation, including safeguards to ensure that the school district has made every effort to plan for the student's return to school. School districts shall report to the office of the superintendent of public instruction the number of petitions made to the school board and the number of petitions granted on an annual basis.
- (7) Nothing in this section prevents a public school district, educational service district, the Washington state center for childhood deafness and hearing loss, or the state school for the blind if it has suspended or expelled a student from the student's regular school setting from providing educational services to the student in an alternative setting or modifying the suspension or expulsion on a case-by-case basis.
- **Sec. 304.** RCW 28A.600.410 and 1992 c 155 s 1 are each amended to read as follows:
- The state of Washington excludes tens of thousands of students from school each year due to out-of-school suspensions and expulsions.

  Out- of-school suspensions and expulsions contribute to poor

academic achievement, lower graduation rates, and higher dropout rates. It is the intent of the legislature to minimize the use of out-of-school suspension and expulsion and its impact on student achievement by reducing the number of days that students are excluded from school due to disciplinary action. Student behavior should not result in the loss of educational opportunity in the public school system.

School districts are encouraged to find alternatives to suspension including reducing the length of a student's suspension conditioned by the commencement of counseling or other treatment services. Consistent with current law, the conditioning of a student's suspension does not obligate the school district to pay for the counseling or other treatment services except for those stipulated and agreed to by the district at the inception of the suspension.

**Sec. 305.** RCW 28A.600.460 and 1997 c 266 s 9 are each amended to read as follows:

- (1) School district boards of directors shall adopt policies that restore discipline to the classroom. Such policies must provide for at least the following: Allowing each teacher to take disciplinary action to correct a student who disrupts normal classroom activities, abuses or insults a teacher as prohibited by RCW 28A.635.010, willfully disobeys a teacher, uses abusive or foul language directed at a school district employee, school volunteer, or another student, violates school rules, or who interferes with an orderly education process. Disciplinary action may include but is not limited to: Oral or written reprimands; written notification to parents of disruptive behavior, a copy of which must be provided to the principal.
- (2) A student committing an offense under chapter 9A.36, 9A.40, 9A.46, or 9A.48 RCW when the activity is directed toward the teacher, shall not be assigned to that teacher's classroom for the duration of the student's attendance at that school or any other school where the teacher is assigned.
- (3) A student who commits an offense under chapter 9A.36, 9A.40, 9A.46, or 9A.48 RCW, when directed toward another student, may be removed from the classroom of the victim for the duration of the student's attendance at that school or any other school where the victim is enrolled. A student who commits an offense under one of the chapters enumerated in this section against a student or another school employee, may be expelled or suspended.
- (4) Nothing in this section is intended to limit the authority of a school under existing law and rules to expel or suspend a student for misconduct or criminal behavior.
- (5) All school districts must collect data on disciplinary actions taken in each school and must record these actions using the statewide student data system, based on the data collection standards established by the office of the superintendent of public instruction and the K-12 data governance group. The information shall be made available to the public ((upon request. This collection of)), but public release of the data shall not include personally identifiable information including, but not limited to, a student's social security number, name, or address.

**Sec. 306.** RCW 28A.300.046 and 2011 c 288 s 10 are each amended to read as follows:

- (1)(a) The superintendent of public instruction shall adopt rules establishing a standard definition of student absence from school. In adopting the definition, the superintendent shall review current practices in Washington school districts, definitions used in other states, and any national standards or definitions used by the national center for education statistics or other national groups. The superintendent shall also consult with the building bridges work group established under RCW 28A.175.075.
- (b) Using the definition of student absence adopted under this section, the superintendent shall establish an indicator for measuring student attendance in high schools for purposes of the PASS program under RCW 28A.175.130.

- (2)(a) The K-12 data governance group under RCW 28A.300.507 shall establish the parameters and an implementation schedule for statewide collection through the comprehensive education and data research system of: (i) Student attendance data using the definitions of student absence adopted under this section; and (ii) student discipline data with a focus on suspensions and expulsions from school.
- (b) ((At a minimum,)) Student suspension and expulsion data collected for the purposes of this subsection (2) must be:

  (i) Made publicly available and easily accessible on the superintendent of public instruction's web site; and (ii) Disaggregated and cross-tabulated as established under RCW 28A.300.042.
- (c) School districts must collect and submit student attendance data and student discipline data for high school students through the comprehensive education and data research system for purposes of the PASS program under RCW 28A.175.130 beginning in the 2012-13 school year.

Sec. 307. RCW 28A.300.042 and 2009 c 468 s 4 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) All student data-related reports required of the superintendent of public instruction in this title must be disaggregated by at least the following subgroups of students: White, Black, Hispanic, American Indian/Alaskan Native, Asian, Pacific Islander/Hawaiian Native, low income, transitional bilingual, migrant, special education, and students covered by section 504 of the federal rehabilitation act of 1973, as amended (29 U.S.C. Sec. 794).

(2) All student data-related reports required of the superintendent of

public instruction regarding student suspensions and expulsions as required in RCW 28A.300.046 are subject to disaggregation by subgroups including: (a) Gender; (b) Foster care; Homeless (c) known; (d) School district; (e) School; (f) Grade level; Behavior (g) infraction <u>including:</u> Bullying; (i) Tobacco; (ii) (iii) Alcohol; Illicit drug; (iv) (v) Fighting without injury; major (vi) Violence without major injury; (vii) Violence with major injury; of Possession weapon; and (ix) Other behavior resulting from a short-term or long-term suspension, expulsion, or interim alternative education setting intervention;

(h)	Interve	ntion	applied,	i	ncludin	1g:
(i)		Short-term		su	spensio	n;
(ii)		Long-term	1	su	spensio	n;
(iii)		Emergeno	cy	e	xpulsio	n;
(iv)				Е	xpulsio	n;
(v)	Interim	alternative	e educa	tion	setting	gs;
(vi)	No	interventi	ion a	pplied;	aı	nd
(vii) Ot	her interven	tion applied	that is not	describe	d in th	his
subsection					(2)(1	h);
(i) Num	ber of days	a student is	suspended	or expell	ed, to	be
counted	in	half o	r full	days;	aı	nd
(j) Any	other categ	ories added	at a future	date by	the da	<u>ata</u>
governance					grou	ıp.
(3) All s	student data-ı	elated report	s required of	the super	intende	nt

(3) All student data-related reports required of the superintendent of public instruction regarding student suspensions and expulsions as required in RCW 28A.300.046 are subject to cross-tabulation at a minimum by the following:

(a) School and district;
(b) Race, low income, special education, transitional bilingual, migrant, foster care, homeless, students covered by section 504 of the federal rehabilitation act of 1973, as amended (29 U.S.C. Sec. 794), and categories to be added in the future;
(c) Behavior infraction code; and (d) Intervention applied.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 308.** A new section is added to chapter 28A.600 RCW to read as follows:

- (1) School districts should make efforts to have suspended or expelled students return to an educational setting as soon as possible. School districts should convene a meeting with the student and the student's parents or guardians within twenty days of the student's long-term suspension or expulsion, but no later than five days before the student's enrollment, to discuss a plan to reengage the student in a school program.
- (2) In developing a reengagement plan, school districts should consider shortening the length of time that the student is suspended or expelled, other forms of corrective action, and supportive interventions that aid in the student's academic success and keep the student engaged and on track to graduate. School districts must create a reengagement plan tailored to the student's individual circumstances, including consideration of the incident that led to the student's long-term suspension or expulsion. The plan should aid the student in taking the necessary steps to remedy the situation that led to the student's suspension or expulsion.
- (3) Any reengagement meetings conducted by the school district involving the suspended or expelled student and his or her parents or guardians are not intended to replace a petition for readmission.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 309.** Nothing in chapter ..., Laws of 2013 2nd sp. sess. (this act) prevents a public school district, law enforcement agencies, or law enforcement personnel from enforcing laws protecting health and human safety.

#### **PART IV**

#### EDUCATOR SUPPORT PROGRAM

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 401.** A new section is added to chapter 28A.415 RCW to read as follows:

- (1) The educator support program is established to provide professional development and mentor support for beginning educators and educators on probation under RCW 28A.405.100, to be composed of the beginning educator support team for beginning educators and continuous improvement coaching for educators on probation, as provided in this section.
- (2)(a) Subject to funds appropriated for this specific purpose, the office of the superintendent of public instruction shall allocate funds for the beginning educator support team on a competitive basis to individual school districts or consortia of districts. School districts are encouraged to include educational service districts in creating regional consortia. In allocating funds, the office of the superintendent of public instruction shall give priority to school districts with low-performing schools identified under RCW 28A.657.020 as being challenged schools in need of improvement. A portion of the appropriated funds may be used for program coordination and provision of statewide or regional professional development through the office of the superintendent of public instruction.
- (b) A beginning educator support team must include the following components:
- (i) A paid orientation or individualized assistance before the start of the school year for beginning educators;

- (ii) Assignment of a trained and qualified mentor for the first three years for beginning educators, with intensive support in the first year and decreasing support over the following years depending on the needs of the beginning educator;
- (iii) Professional development for beginning educators that is designed to meet their unique needs for supplemental training and skill development;
  - (iv) Professional development for mentors;
- (v) Release time for mentors and their designated educators to work together, as well as time for educators to observe accomplished peers; and
- (vi) A program evaluation using a standard evaluation tool provided from the office of the superintendent of public instruction that measures increased knowledge, skills, and positive impact on student learning for program participants.
- (3) Subject to funds separately appropriated for this specific purpose, the beginning educator support team components under subsection (2) of this section may be provided for continuous improvement coaching to support educators on probation under RCW 28A.405.100.

**Sec. 402.** RCW 28A.415.010 and 2006 c 263 s 807 are each amended to read as follows:

It shall be the responsibility of each educational service district board to establish a center for the improvement of teaching. The center shall administer, coordinate, and act as fiscal agent for such programs related to the recruitment and training of certificated and classified K-12 education personnel as may be delegated to the center by the superintendent of public instruction under RCW 28A.310.470. To assist in these activities, each educational service district board shall establish an improvement of teaching coordinating council to include, at a minimum, representatives as specified in RCW 28A.415.040. An existing in-service training task force, established pursuant to RCW 28A.415.040, may serve as the improvement of teaching coordinating council. The educational service district board shall ensure coordination of programs established pursuant to RCW 28A.415.030, 28A.410.060, and ((28A.415.250)) section 401 of this act

The educational service district board may arrange each year for the holding of one or more teachers' institutes and/or workshops for professional staff preparation and in-service training in such manner and at such time as the board believes will be of benefit to the teachers and other professional staff of school districts within the educational service district and shall comply with rules of the professional educator standards board pursuant to RCW 28A.410.060 or the superintendent of public instruction ((pursuant to RCW 28A.415.250)). The board may provide such additional means of teacher and other professional staff preparation and in-service training as it may deem necessary or appropriate and there shall be a proper charge against the educational service district general expense fund when approved by the educational service district board.

Educational service district boards of contiguous educational service districts, by mutual arrangements, may hold joint institutes and/or workshops, the expenses to be shared in proportion to the numbers of certificated personnel as shown by the last annual reports of the educational service districts holding such joint institutes or workshops.

In local school districts employing more than one hundred teachers and other professional staff, the school district superintendent may hold a teachers' institute of one or more days in such district, said institute when so held by the school district superintendent to be in all respects governed by the provisions of this title and rules relating to teachers' institutes held by educational service district superintendents.

#### PART V

#### ALTERNATIVE LEARNING EXPERIENCES

**Sec. 501.** 2011 1st sp.s. c 34 s 1 (uncodified) is amended to read as follows:

- (1) Under Article IX of the Washington state Constitution, all children are entitled to an opportunity to receive a basic education. Although the state must assure that students in public schools have opportunities to participate in the instructional program of basic education, there is no obligation for either the state or school districts to provide that instruction using a particular delivery method or through a particular program.
- (2) The legislature finds ample evidence of the need to examine and reconsider policies under which alternative learning that occurs outside the classroom using an individual student learning plan may be considered equivalent to full-time attendance in school, including for funding purposes. Previous legislative studies have raised questions about financial practices and accountability in alternative learning experience ((programs)) courses. Since 2005, there has been significant enrollment growth in alternative learning experience online ((programs)) courses, with evidence of unexpected financial impact when large numbers of nonresident students enroll in ((programs)) courses. Based on this evidence, there is a rational basis on which to conclude that there are different costs associated with providing ((a program)) courses not primarily based on full-time, daily contact between teachers and students and not primarily occurring on-site in a classroom.
- (3) For these reasons, the legislature intends to allow for continuing review and revision of the way in which state funding allocations are used to support alternative learning experience ((programs)) courses.

**Sec. 502.** RCW 28A.150.325 and 2011 1st sp.s. c 34 s 2 are each amended to read as follows:

- (1) ((For purposes of this chapter,)) The definitions in this subsection apply throughout this chapter unless the context clearly requires otherwise.
- <u>(a)</u> "Alternative learning experience ((program)) course" means a course ((or set of courses)), or for grades kindergarten through eight grade-level coursework, that is a delivery method for the program of basic education and is:
- (((a))) (i) Provided in whole or in part independently from a regular classroom setting or schedule, but may include some components of direct instruction;
- (((<del>(b)</del>))) (<u>ii)</u> Supervised, monitored, assessed, evaluated, and documented by a certificated teacher employed by the school district or under contract as permitted by applicable rules; and
- (((e))) (iii) Provided in accordance with a written student learning plan that is implemented pursuant to the school district's policy and rules adopted by the superintendent of public instruction for alternative learning experiences.
- (b) "In-person" means face-to-face instructional contact in a physical classroom environment.
- (c) "Instructional contact time" means instructional time with a certificated teacher. Instructional contact time must be for the purposes of actual instruction, review of assignments, testing, evaluation of student progress, or other learning activities or requirements identified in the student's written student learning plan. Instructional contact time must be related to an alternative learning experience course identified in the student's written student learning plan. Instructional contact time may occur in a group setting between the teacher and multiple students and may be delivered either inperson or remotely using technology.
- (d) "Online course" means an alternative learning experience

course that has the same meaning as provided in RCW 28A.250.010.

(e) "Remote course" means an alternative learning experience course that is not an online course where the student has in-person instructional contact time for less than twenty percent of the total weekly time for the course. No minimum in-person instructional contact time is required.

(f) "Site-based course" means an alternative learning experience course where the student has in-person instructional contact time for at least twenty percent of the total weekly time for the course.

(g) "Total weekly time" means the estimated average hours per school week the student will engage in learning activities to meet the

requirements of the written student learning plan.

- (2) ((The broad categories of alternative learning experience programs include, but are not limited to:

   (a) Online programs as defined in RCW 28A.150.262;
   (b) Parent partnership programs that include significant participation and partnership by parents and families in the design and implementation of a student's learning experience; and
   (c) Contract based learning programs)) School districts may claim state funding under section 503 of this act, to the extent otherwise allowed by state law including the provisions of RCW 28A.250.060, for students enrolled in remote, site-based, or online alternative learning experience courses. High school courses must meet district or state graduation requirements and be offered for high school credit.
- (3) School districts that offer alternative learning experience ((programs)) courses may not provide any compensation, reimbursement, gift, reward, or gratuity to any parents, guardians, or students for participation in the courses. School district employees are prohibited from receiving any compensation or payment as an incentive to increase student enrollment of out-of-district students in ((an)) alternative learning experience ((program)) courses. This prohibition includes, but is not limited to, providing funds to parents, guardians, or students for the purchase of educational materials, supplies, experiences, services, or technological equipment. A district may purchase educational materials, equipment, or other nonconsumable supplies for students' use in alternative learning experience ((programs)) courses if the purchase is consistent with the district's approved curriculum, conforms to applicable laws and rules, and is made in the same manner as such purchases are made for students in the district's regular instructional program. Items so purchased remain the property of the school district upon program completion. School districts may not purchase or contract for instructional or cocurricular experiences and services that are included in an alternative learning experience written student learning plan, including but not limited to lessons, trips, and other activities, unless substantially similar experiences and services are available to students enrolled in the district's regular instructional program. School districts that purchase or contract for such experiences and services for students enrolled in an alternative learning experience ((program)) course must submit an annual report to the office of the superintendent of public instruction detailing the costs and purposes of the expenditures. These requirements extend to contracted providers of alternative learning experience ((programs)) courses, and each district shall be responsible for monitoring the compliance of its providers with these requirements. However, nothing in this ((section)) subsection shall prohibit school districts from contracting with school district employees to provide services or experiences to students, or from contracting with online providers approved by the office of the superintendent of public instruction pursuant to chapter 28A.250 RCW.
- (4) ((Part time enrollment in alternative learning experiences is subject to the provisions of RCW 28A.150.350.

  (5) The superintendent of public instruction shall adopt rules defining minimum requirements and accountability for alternative learning experience programs)) Each school district offering or

contracting to offer alternative learning experience courses must:

(a) Report annually to the superintendent of public instruction regarding the course types and offerings, and number of students participating in each;

(b) Document the district of residence for each student enrolled in

an alternative learning experience course; and (c) Beginning in the 2013-14 school year and continuing through the 2016-17 school year, pay costs associated with a biennial measure of student outcomes and financial audit of the district's alternative learning experience courses by the office of the state auditor.

(5) A school district offering or contracting to offer an alternative learning experience course to a nonresident student must inform the resident school district if the student drops out of the course or is otherwise no longer enrolled.

(6) School districts must assess the educational progress of enrolled students at least annually, using, for full-time students, the state assessment for the student's grade level and using any other annual assessments required by the school district. Part-time students must also be assessed at least annually. However, part-time students who are either receiving home-based instruction under chapter 28A.200 RCW or who are enrolled in an approved private school under chapter 28A.195 RCW are not required to participate in the assessments required under chapter 28A.655 RCW. The rules must address how students who reside outside the geographic service area of the school district are to be assessed.

(7) Beginning with the 2013-14 school year, school districts must

designate alternative learning experience courses as such when reporting course information to the office of the superintendent of public instruction under RCW 28A.300.500.

(8)(a) The superintendent of public instruction shall adopt rules necessary to implement this section.

(b) Rules adopted for weekly direct personal contact requirements and monthly progress evaluation must be flexible and reflect the needs of the student and the student's individual learning plan rather than specifying an amount of time. In addition, the rules must reduce documentation requirements, particularly for students making satisfactory progress, based on the unique aspects of the alternative learning experience course types defined in this section and taking into consideration the technical and system capabilities associated with the different course types.

(c) The rules must establish procedures that address how the counting of students must be coordinated by resident and nonresident districts for state funding so that no student is counted for more than one full-time equivalent in the aggregate.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 503.** The superintendent of public instruction shall separately calculate and allocate moneys appropriated under RCW 28A.150.260 to school districts for each full-time equivalent student enrolled in an alternative learning experience course. The calculation shall be based on the estimated statewide annual average allocation per full-time equivalent student in grades nine through twelve in general education, excluding small high school enhancements, and including applicable rules and provisions of the omnibus appropriations act.

**Sec. 504.** RCW 28A.250.010 and 2011 1st sp.s. c 34 s 5 are each amended to read as follows:

The definitions in this section apply throughout this chapter unless the context clearly requires otherwise.

- (1)(a) "Multidistrict online provider" means:
- (i) A private or nonprofit organization that enters into a contract with a school district to provide online courses or programs to K-12 students from more than one school district;
- (ii) A private or nonprofit organization that enters into contracts with multiple school districts to provide online courses or programs to K-12 students from those districts; or

- (iii) Except as provided in (b) of this subsection, a school district that provides online courses or programs to students who reside outside the geographic boundaries of the school district.
- (b) "Multidistrict online provider" does not include a school district online learning program in which fewer than ten percent of the students enrolled in the program are from other districts under the interdistrict student transfer provisions of RCW 28A.225.225. "Multidistrict online provider" also does not include regional online learning programs that are jointly developed and implemented by two or more school districts or an educational service district through an interdistrict cooperative program agreement that addresses, at minimum, how the districts share student full-time equivalency for state basic education funding purposes and how categorical education programs, including special education, are provided to eligible students.
- (2)(a) "Online course" means a course  $\underline{\text{or grade-level coursework}}$  where:
- (i) More than half of the course content is delivered electronically using the internet or other computer-based methods; ((and))
- (ii) More than half of the teaching is conducted from a remote location through an online course learning management system or other online or electronic tools;

  (iii) A certificated teacher has the primary responsibility for the
- student's instructional interaction. Instructional interaction between the teacher and the student includes, but is not limited to, direct instruction, review of assignments, assessment, testing, progress monitoring, and educational facilitation; and
- <u>(iv) Students have access to the teacher synchronously, asynchronously, or both.</u>
- (b) "Online school program" means a school program that((:
   (i) Offers courses or grade level coursework that is delivered primarily electronically using the internet or other computer based methods;
- (ii) Offers courses or grade level coursework that is taught by a teacher primarily from a remote location using online or other electronic tools. Students enrolled in an online program may have access to the teacher synchronously, asynchronously, or both; (iii))) offers a sequential set of online courses or grade-level coursework that may be taken in a single school term or throughout the school year in a manner that could provide a full-time basic education program if so desired by the student. Students may enroll in the program as part-time or full-time students((;—and—(iv) Has an online component of the program with online lessons and tools for student and data management)).
- (c) An online course or online school program may be delivered to students at school as part of the regularly scheduled school day. An online course or online school program also may be delivered to students, in whole or in part, independently from a regular classroom schedule, but such courses or programs must comply with RCW ((28A.150.262)) 28A.150.325 (as recodified by this act) and associated rules adopted by the superintendent of public instruction to qualify for state basic education funding.
- (3) "Online provider" means any provider of an online course or program, including multidistrict online providers, all school district online learning programs, and all regional online learning programs.

**Sec. 505.** RCW 28A.250.020 and 2011 1st sp.s. c 34 s 6 are each amended to read as follows:

- (1) The superintendent of public instruction, in collaboration with the state board of education, shall develop and implement approval criteria and a process for approving online providers; a process for monitoring and if necessary rescinding the approval of courses or programs offered by an online provider; and an appeals process. The criteria and processes for multidistrict online providers shall be adopted by rule by December 1, 2009.
- (2) When developing the approval criteria, the superintendent of public instruction shall require that providers offering online courses

or programs have accreditation, or are candidates for accreditation, through the Northwest accreditation commission or another national, regional, or state accreditation program listed by the office of the superintendent of public instruction ((after consultation with the Washington coalition for online learning)). In addition to other criteria, the approval criteria shall include the degree of alignment with state academic standards and require that all teachers be certificated in accordance with Washington state law. When reviewing online providers that offer high school courses, the superintendent of public instruction shall assure that the courses offered by the provider are eligible for high school credit. However, final decisions regarding whether credit meets the school district's graduation requirements shall remain the responsibility of the school districts.

- (3) Initial approval of online providers by the superintendent of public instruction shall be for four years. The superintendent of public instruction shall develop a process for the renewal of approvals and for rescinding approvals based on noncompliance with approval requirements. Any multidistrict online provider that was approved by the digital learning commons or accredited by the Northwest association of accredited schools before July 26, 2009, and that meets the teacher certification requirements of subsection (2) of this section, is exempt from the initial approval process under this section until August 31, 2012, but must comply with the process for renewal of approvals and must comply with approval requirements.
- (4) The superintendent of public instruction shall make the first round of decisions regarding approval of multidistrict online providers by April 1, 2010. The first round of decisions regarding approval of online providers that are not multidistrict online providers shall be made by April 1, 2013. Thereafter, the superintendent of public instruction shall make annual approval decisions no later than November 1st of each year.
- (5) The superintendent of public instruction shall establish an online learning advisory committee within existing resources that shall provide advice to the superintendent regarding the approval criteria, major components of the web site, the model school district policy, model agreements, and other related matters. The committee shall include a representative of each of the following groups: Private and public online providers, parents of online students, accreditation organizations, educational service districts, school principals, teachers, school administrators, school board members, institutions of higher education, and other individuals as determined by the superintendent. Members of the advisory committee shall be selected by the superintendent based on nominations from statewide organizations, shall serve three-year terms, and may be reappointed. The superintendent shall select the chair of the committee.

**Sec. 506.** RCW 28A.250.050 and 2011 1st sp.s. c 34 s 11 are each amended to read as follows:

- (1) By August 31, 2010, all school district boards of directors shall develop policies and procedures regarding student access to online courses and online learning programs. The policies and procedures shall include but not be limited to: Student eligibility criteria; the types of online courses available to students through the school district; the methods districts will use to support student success, which may include a local advisor; when the school district will and will not pay course fees and other costs; the granting of high school credit; and a process for students and parents or guardians to formally acknowledge any course taken for which no credit is given. The policies and procedures shall take effect beginning with the 2010-11 school year. School districts shall submit their policies to the superintendent of public instruction by September 15, 2010. By December 1, 2010, the superintendent of public instruction shall summarize the school district policies regarding student access to online courses and submit a report to the legislature.
- (2) School districts must award credit and grades for online high school courses successfully completed by a student that meet the

- school district's graduation requirements and are provided by an approved online provider.
- (3) School districts shall provide students with information regarding online courses that are available through the school district. The information shall include the types of information described in subsection (1) of this section.
- (4) When developing local or regional online learning programs, school districts shall incorporate into the program design the approval criteria developed by the superintendent of public instruction under RCW 28A.250.020.

Sec. 507. RCW 28A.250.060 and 2011 1st sp.s. c 34 s 8 are each amended to read as follows:

- (1) Beginning with the 2011-12 school year, school districts may claim state funding under ((RCW 28A.150.260)) section 503 of this act, to the extent otherwise allowed by state law, for students enrolled in online courses or programs only if the online courses or programs are:
- (a) Offered by a multidistrict online provider approved under RCW 28A.250.020 by the superintendent of public instruction;
- (b) Offered by a school district online learning program if the program serves students who reside within the geographic boundaries of the school district, including school district programs in which fewer than ten percent of the program's students reside outside the school district's geographic boundaries; or
- (c) Offered by a regional online learning program where courses are jointly developed and offered by two or more school districts or an educational service district through an interdistrict cooperative program agreement.
- (2) Beginning with the 2013-14 school year, school districts may claim state funding under ((RCW 28A.150.260)) section 503 of this act, to the extent otherwise allowed by state law, for students enrolled in online courses or programs only if the online courses or programs are offered by an online provider approved under RCW 28A.250.020 by the superintendent of public instruction.
- (3) Criteria shall be established by the superintendent of public instruction to allow online courses that have not been approved by the superintendent of public instruction to be eligible for state funding if the course is in a subject matter in which no courses have been approved and, if it is a high school course, the course meets Washington high school graduation requirements.

Sec. 508. RCW 28A.250.070 and 2009 c 542 s 8 are each amended to read as follows:

Nothing in this chapter is intended to diminish the rights of students to attend a nonresident school district in accordance with RCW 28A.225.220 through 28A.225.230 for the purposes of enrolling in online courses or online school programs. The office of online learning under RCW 28A.250.030 shall develop a standard form, which must be used by all school districts, for releasing a student to a nonresident school district for the purposes of enrolling in an online course or online school program.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 509.** A new section is added to chapter 28A.250 RCW to read as follows:

An online school program may request a waiver from the office of the superintendent of public instruction to administer one or more sections of the statewide student assessment for grades three through eight for some or all students enrolled in the program on alternate days or on an alternate schedule, as long as the administration is within the testing period established by the office. The office may deny a request for a waiver if the online school program's proposal does not maintain adequate test security or would reduce the reliability of the assessment results by providing an inequitable advantage for some students.

**Sec. 510.** RCW 28A.225.220 and 1995 c 335 s 602 and 1995 c 52 s 2 are each reenacted and amended to read as follows:

- (1) Any board of directors may make agreements with adults choosing to attend school, and may charge the adults reasonable tuition
- (2) A district is strongly encouraged to honor the request of a parent or guardian for his or her child to attend a school in another district or the request of a parent or guardian for his or her child to transfer as a student receiving home-based instruction.
- (3) A district shall release a student to a nonresident district that agrees to accept the student if:
- (a) A financial, educational, safety, or health condition affecting the student would likely be reasonably improved as a result of the transfer; or
- (b) Attendance at the school in the nonresident district is more accessible to the parent's place of work or to the location of child care; or
  - (c) There is a special hardship or detrimental condition; or
- (d) The purpose of the transfer is for the student to enroll in an online course or online school program offered by an online provider approved under RCW 28A.250.020.
- (4) A district may deny the request of a resident student to transfer to a nonresident district if the release of the student would adversely affect the district's existing desegregation plan.
- (5) For the purpose of helping a district assess the quality of its education program, a resident school district may request an optional exit interview or questionnaire with the parents or guardians of a child transferring to another district. No parent or guardian may be forced to attend such an interview or complete the questionnaire.
- (6) Beginning with the 1993-94 school year, school districts may not charge transfer fees or tuition for nonresident students enrolled under subsection (3) of this section and RCW 28A.225.225. Reimbursement of a high school district for cost of educating high school pupils of a nonhigh school district shall not be deemed a transfer fee as affecting the apportionment of current state school funds
- **Sec. 511.** RCW 28A.225.225 and 2013 c 192 s 2 are each amended to read as follows:
- (1) Except for students who reside out-of-state and students under RCW 28A.225.217, a district shall accept applications from nonresident students who are the children of full-time certificated and classified school employees, and those children shall be permitted to enroll:
  - (a) At the school to which the employee is assigned;
- (b) At a school forming the district's K through 12 continuum which includes the school to which the employee is assigned; or
- (c) At a school in the district that provides early intervention services pursuant to RCW 28A.155.065 or preschool services pursuant to RCW 28A.155.070, if the student is eligible for such services.
  - (2) A district may reject applications under this section if:
- (a) The student's disciplinary records indicate a history of convictions for offenses or crimes, violent or disruptive behavior, or gang membership;
- (b) The student has been expelled or suspended from a public school for more than ten consecutive days. Any policy allowing for readmission of expelled or suspended students under this subsection (2)(b) must apply uniformly to both resident and nonresident applicants;  $((\mathbf{or}))$
- (c) Enrollment of a child under this section would displace a child who is a resident of the district, except that if a child is admitted under subsection (1) of this section, that child shall be permitted to remain enrolled at that school, or in that district's kindergarten through twelfth grade continuum, until he or she has completed his or her schooling;
- (d) The student has repeatedly failed to comply with requirements for participation in an online school program, such as participating in

- weekly direct contact with the teacher or monthly progress evaluations.
- (3) A nonhigh district that is participating in an innovation academy cooperative may not accept an application from a high school student that conflicts with RCW 28A.340.080.
- (4) Except as provided in subsection (1) of this section, all districts accepting applications from nonresident students or from students receiving home-based instruction for admission to the district's schools shall consider equally all applications received. Each school district shall adopt a policy establishing rational, fair, and equitable standards for acceptance and rejection of applications by June 30, 1990. The policy may include rejection of a nonresident student if:
- (a) Acceptance of a nonresident student would result in the district experiencing a financial hardship;
- (b) The student's disciplinary records indicate a history of convictions for offenses or crimes, violent or disruptive behavior, or gang membership;
- (c) Accepting of the nonresident student would conflict with RCW 28A.340.080; or
- (d) The student has been expelled or suspended from a public school for more than ten consecutive days. Any policy allowing for readmission of expelled or suspended students under this subsection (4)(d) must apply uniformly to both resident and nonresident applicants.

For purposes of subsections (2)(a) and (4)(b) of this section, "gang" means a group which: (i) Consists of three or more persons; (ii) has identifiable leadership; and (iii) on an ongoing basis, regularly conspires and acts in concert mainly for criminal purposes.

- (5) The district shall provide to applicants written notification of the approval or denial of the application in a timely manner. If the application is rejected, the notification shall include the reason or reasons for denial and the right to appeal under RCW 28A.225.230(3).
- **Sec. 512.** RCW 28A.150.100 and 2011 1st sp.s. c 34 s 10 are each amended to read as follows:
- (1) For the purposes of this section and RCW 28A.150.410 and 28A.400.200, "basic education certificated instructional staff" means all full-time equivalent classroom teachers, teacher librarians, guidance counselors, certificated student health services staff, and other certificated instructional staff in the following programs as defined for statewide school district accounting purposes: Basic education, secondary vocational education, general instructional support, and general supportive services.
- (2) Each school district shall maintain a ratio of at least forty-six basic education certificated instructional staff to one thousand annual average full-time equivalent students. This requirement does not apply to that portion of a district's annual average full-time equivalent enrollment that is enrolled in alternative learning experience ((programs)) courses as defined in RCW 28A.150.325 (as recodified by this act).
- **Sec. 513.** RCW 28A.525.162 and 2012 c 244 s 2 are each amended to read as follows:
- (1) Funds appropriated to the superintendent of public instruction from the common school construction fund shall be allotted by the superintendent of public instruction in accordance with this chapter.
- (2) No allotment shall be made to a school district until such district has provided local funds equal to or greater than the difference between the total approved project cost and the amount of state funding assistance to the district for financing the project computed pursuant to RCW 28A.525.166, with the following exceptions:
- (a) The superintendent of public instruction may waive the local requirement for state funding assistance for districts which have provided funds for school building construction purposes through the authorization of bonds or through the authorization of excess tax

levies or both in an amount equivalent to two and one-half percent of the value of its taxable property, as defined in RCW 39.36.015.

- (b) No such local funds shall be required as a condition to the allotment of funds from the state for the purpose of making major or minor structural changes to existing school facilities in order to bring such facilities into compliance with the barrier free access requirements of section 504 of the federal rehabilitation act of 1973 (29 U.S.C. Sec. 706) and rules implementing the act.
- (3) For the purpose of computing the state funding assistance percentage under RCW 28A.525.166 when a school district is granted authority to enter into contracts, adjusted valuation per pupil shall be calculated using headcount student enrollments from the most recent October enrollment reports submitted by districts to the superintendent of public instruction, adjusted as follows:
- (a) In the case of projects for which local bonds were approved after May 11, 1989:
- (i) For districts which have been designated as serving high school districts under RCW 28A.540.110, students residing in the nonhigh district so designating shall be excluded from the enrollment count if the student is enrolled in any grade level not offered by the nonhigh district;
- (ii) The enrollment of nonhigh school districts shall be increased by the number of students residing within the district who are enrolled in a serving high school district so designated by the nonhigh school district under RCW 28A.540.110, including only students who are enrolled in grade levels not offered by the nonhigh school district; and
- (iii) The number of preschool students with disabilities included in the enrollment count shall be multiplied by one-half;
- (b) In the case of construction or modernization of high school facilities in districts serving students from nonhigh school districts, the adjusted valuation per pupil shall be computed using the combined adjusted valuations and enrollments of each district, each weighted by the percentage of the district's resident high school students served by the high school district;
- (c) The number of kindergarten students included in the enrollment count shall be counted as one headcount student; and
- (d) The number of students residing outside the school district who are enrolled in alternative learning experience ((programs)) courses under RCW 28A.150.325 (as recodified by this act) shall be excluded from the total.
- (4) In lieu of the exclusion in subsection (3)(d) of this section, a district may submit an alternative calculation for excluding students enrolled in alternative learning experience ((programs)) courses. The alternative calculation must show the student headcount use of district classroom facilities on a regular basis for a regular duration by out-of-district alternative learning experience ((program)) students subtracted by the headcount of in-district alternative learning experience ((program)) students not using district classroom facilities on a regular basis for a reasonable duration. The alternative calculation must be submitted in a form approved by the office of the superintendent of public instruction. The office of the superintendent of public instruction must develop rules to define "regular basis" and "reasonable duration."
- (5) The superintendent of public instruction, considering policy recommendations from the school facilities citizen advisory panel, shall prescribe such rules as are necessary to equate insofar as possible the efforts made by school districts to provide capital funds by the means aforesaid.
- (6) For the purposes of this section, "preschool students with disabilities" means children of preschool age who have developmental disabilities who are entitled to services under RCW 28A.155.010 through 28A.155.100 and are not included in the kindergarten enrollment count of the district.
- **Sec. 514.** RCW 28A.525.166 and 2012 c 244 s 3 are each amended to read as follows:

- Allocations to school districts of state funds provided by RCW 28A.525.162 through 28A.525.180 shall be made by the superintendent of public instruction and the amount of state funding assistance to a school district in financing a school plant project shall be determined in the following manner:
- (1) The boards of directors of the districts shall determine the total cost of the proposed project, which cost may include the cost of acquiring and preparing the site, the cost of constructing the building or of acquiring a building and preparing the same for school use, the cost of necessary equipment, taxes chargeable to the project, necessary architects' fees, and a reasonable amount for contingencies and for other necessary incidental expenses: PROVIDED, That the total cost of the project shall be subject to review and approval by the superintendent.
- (2) The state funding assistance percentage for a school district shall be computed by the following formula:

The ratio of the school district's adjusted valuation per pupil divided by the ratio of the total state adjusted valuation per pupil shall be subtracted from three, and then the result of the foregoing shall be divided by three plus (the ratio of the school district's adjusted valuation per pupil divided by the ratio of the total state adjusted valuation per pupil).

	District adjusted		Total state		
	3-valuation	÷	adjusted valua	ation	
Computed	per pupil		per pupil		State
State =				=- %	Funding
Ratio	District adjusted		Total state		Assistance
	3+valuation	÷	adjusted valua	ation	
	per pupil		per pupil		

PROVIDED, That in the event the state funding assistance percentage to any school district based on the above formula is less than twenty percent and such school district is otherwise eligible for state funding assistance under RCW 28A.525.162 through 28A.525.180, the superintendent may establish for such district a state funding assistance percentage not in excess of twenty percent of the approved cost of the project, if the superintendent finds that such additional assistance is necessary to provide minimum facilities for housing the pupils of the district.

- (3) In addition to the computed state funding assistance percentage developed in subsection (2) of this section, a school district shall be entitled to additional percentage points determined by the average percentage of growth for the past three years. One percent shall be added to the computed state funding assistance percentage for each percent of growth, with a maximum of twenty percent.
- (4) In computing the state funding assistance percentage in subsection (2) of this section and adjusting the percentage under subsection (3) of this section, students residing outside the school district who are enrolled in alternative learning experience ((programs)) courses under RCW 28A.150.325 (as recodified by this act) shall be excluded from the count of total pupils. In lieu of the exclusion in this subsection, a district may submit an alternative calculation for excluding students enrolled in alternative learning experience ((programs)) courses. The alternative calculation must show the student headcount use of district classroom facilities on a regular basis for a reasonable duration by out-of-district alternative learning experience ((program)) students subtracted by the headcount

of in- district alternative learning experience ((program)) students not using district classroom facilities on a regular basis for a reasonable duration. The alternative calculation must be submitted in a form approved by the office of the superintendent of public instruction. The office of the superintendent of public instruction must develop rules to define "regular basis" and "reasonable duration."

(5) The approved cost of the project determined in the manner prescribed in this section multiplied by the state funding assistance percentage derived as provided for in this section shall be the amount of state funding assistance to the district for the financing of the project: PROVIDED, That need therefor has been established to the satisfaction of the superintendent: PROVIDED, FURTHER, That additional state funding assistance may be allowed if it is found by the superintendent, considering policy recommendations from the school facilities citizen advisory panel that such assistance is necessary in order to meet (a) a school housing emergency resulting from the destruction of a school building by fire, the condemnation of a school building by properly constituted authorities, a sudden excessive and clearly foreseeable future increase in school population, or other conditions similarly emergent in nature; or (b) a special school housing burden resulting from projects of statewide significance or imposed by virtue of the admission of nonresident students into educational programs established, maintained and operated in conformity with the requirements of law; or (c) a deficiency in the capital funds of the district resulting from financing, subsequent to April 1, 1969, and without benefit of the state funding assistance provided by prior state assistance programs, the construction of a needed school building project or projects approved in conformity with the requirements of such programs, after having first applied for and been denied state funding assistance because of the inadequacy of state funds available for the purpose, or (d) a condition created by the fact that an excessive number of students live in state owned housing, or (e) a need for the construction of a school building to provide for improved school district organization or racial balance, or (f) conditions similar to those defined under (a), (b), (c), (d), and (e) of this subsection, creating a like emergency.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 515.** (1) The office of financial management shall conduct a study, in consultation with, at minimum, one representative each from school districts that administer remote, site-based, and online alternative learning experience courses; the office of the superintendent of public instruction; the Washington state institute for public policy; individuals with expertise in based public school funding models; a Washington state organization with expertise in alternative learning education; and the legislative evaluation and accountability program committee.

- (2) The purpose of the study is to create a proposal for efficiently and sustainably funding alternative learning experience courses and to recommend steps to increase the focus on educational outcomes. The study may recommend the funding method established in section 503 of this act or another method of funding. The study shall review alternative learning funding models used in other states and consider the advantages and disadvantages of applying state policies, including funding policies, differentially depending on the type of alternative learning experience course. The study should also include but not be limited to, recommendations for establishing baseline data regarding alternative learning experience student proficiency and achievement in relation to students in a comparable demographic, identifying outcome targets and methods to measure progress toward targets, identifying methods to ensure ongoing evaluation of outcomes that account for the student demographics being served, and improving alternative learning experience accountability.
- (3) The office of financial management shall report its findings from the study to the quality education council by November 1, 2013. The quality education council shall review the findings and make recommendations to the education and fiscal committees of the legislature by December 15, 2013.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 516.** RCW 28A.150.262 (Defining full-time equivalent student--Students receiving instruction through alternative learning experience online programs--Requirements) and 2011 1st sp.s. c 34 s 3, 2009 c 542 s 9, & 2005 c 356 s 2 are each repealed.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 517.** (1) RCW 28A.150.325 is recodified as a section in chapter 28A.--- RCW (the new chapter created in section 518 of this act).

(2) 2011 1st sp.s. c 34 s 1 is codified as a section in chapter 28A.---RCW (the new chapter created in section 518 of this act).

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 518. Sections 501 and 503 of this act constitute a new chapter in Title 28A RCW.

#### PART VI

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 601.** The following acts or parts of acts are each repealed:

- (1) RCW 28A.165.025 (School district program plan) and 2009 c 556 s 1 & 2004 c 20 s 3;
- (2) RCW 28A.165.045 (Plan approval process) and 2009 c 556 s 2 & 2004 c 20 s 5;
- (3) RCW 28A.415.250 (Teacher assistance program--Provision for mentor teachers) and 2009 c 539 s 5, 1993 c 336 s 401, 1991 c 116 s 19, 1990 c 33 s 403, 1987 c 507 s 1, & 1985 c 399 s 1; and
- (4) RCW 28A.415.260 (Pilot program using full-time mentor teachers) and 1998 c 245 s 12 & 1993 c 336 s 402.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 602.** Section 503 of this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and takes effect immediately.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 603.** If any provision of this act or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of the act or the application of the provision to other persons or circumstances is not affected."

Correct the title.

Representative Santos moved the adoption of amendment (582) to amendment (581).

On page 10, beginning on line 25 of the striking amendment, strike sections 301 through 309 and insert the following:

"NEW SECTION. Sec. 301. A new section is added to chapter 28A.600 RCW to read as follows:

- (1) The office of the superintendent of public instruction shall convene a discipline task force to develop standard definitions for causes of student disciplinary actions taken at the discretion of the school district. The task force must also develop data collection standards for disciplinary actions that are discretionary and for disciplinary actions that result in the exclusion of a student from school. The data collection standards must include data about education services provided while a student is subject to a disciplinary action, the status of petitions for readmission to the school district when a student has been excluded from school, credit retrieval during a period of exclusion, and school dropout as a result of disciplinary action.
- (2) The discipline task force shall include representatives from the K-12 data governance group, the educational opportunity gap oversight and accountability committee, the state ethnic commissions, the governor's office of Indian affairs, the office of the education

ombudsman, school districts, and other education and advocacy organizations.

- (3) The office of the superintendent of public instruction and the K-12 data governance group shall revise the statewide student data system to incorporate the student discipline data collection standards recommended by the discipline task force, and begin collecting data based on the revised standards in the 2015-16 school year.
- **Sec. 302.** RCW 28A.600.015 and 2006 c 263 s 701 are each amended to read as follows:
- (1) The superintendent of public instruction shall adopt and distribute to all school districts lawful and reasonable rules prescribing the substantive and procedural due process guarantees of pupils in the common schools. Such rules shall authorize a school district to use informal due process procedures in connection with the short-term suspension of students to the extent constitutionally PROVIDED, That the superintendent of public permissible: instruction deems the interest of students to be adequately protected. When a student suspension or expulsion is appealed, the rules shall authorize a school district to impose the suspension or expulsion temporarily after an initial hearing for no more than ten consecutive school days or until the appeal is decided, whichever is earlier. Any days that the student is temporarily suspended or expelled before the appeal is decided shall be applied to the term of the student suspension or expulsion and shall not limit or extend the term of the student suspension or expulsion. A suspension or expulsion of a student may not be for an indefinite period of time, and a school district may not suspend the provision of educational services to a student as a disciplinary measure.
- (2) Short-term suspension procedures may be used for suspensions of students up to and including, ten consecutive school days.
- (3) Emergency expulsions must end or be converted to another form of corrective action within ten school days from the date of the emergency removal from school. Notice and due process rights must be provided to students when an emergency expulsion is converted to another form of corrective action.
- (4) A school district may not impose a disciplinary action that results in the suspension of educational services to a student. A student may be excluded from a particular classroom or instructional or activity area for the period of suspension, but the school district must provide an opportunity for the student to receive educational services in an alternative manner, which may include services provided through an alternative program, at an alternative school, or at an alternative location within the student's regular school.
- **Sec. 303.** RCW 28A.600.020 and 2006 c 263 s 706 are each amended to read as follows:
- (1) The rules adopted pursuant to RCW 28A.600.010 shall be interpreted to ensure that the optimum learning atmosphere of the classroom is maintained, and that the highest consideration is given to the judgment of qualified certificated educators regarding conditions necessary to maintain the optimum learning atmosphere.
- (2) Any student who creates a disruption of the educational process in violation of the building disciplinary standards while under a teacher's immediate supervision may be excluded by the teacher from his or her individual classroom and instructional or activity area for all or any portion of the balance of the school day, or up to the following two days, or until the principal or designee and teacher have conferred, whichever occurs first. Except in emergency circumstances, the teacher first must attempt one or more alternative forms of corrective action. In no event without the consent of the teacher may an excluded student return to the class during the balance of that class or activity period or up to the following two days, or until the principal or his or her designee and the teacher have conferred.
- (3) In order to preserve a beneficial learning environment for all students and to maintain good order and discipline in each classroom, every school district board of directors shall provide that written

- procedures are developed for administering discipline at each school within the district. Such procedures shall be developed with the participation of ((parents)) families and the community, and shall provide that the teacher, principal or designee, and other authorities designated by the board of directors, make every reasonable attempt to involve the ((parent)) family or guardian and the student in the resolution of student discipline problems. Such procedures shall provide that students may be excluded from their individual classes or activities for periods of time in excess of that provided in subsection (2) of this section if such students have repeatedly disrupted the learning of other students. The procedures must be consistent with the rules of the superintendent of public instruction and must provide for early involvement of ((parents)) families in attempts to improve the student's behavior.
- (4) The procedures shall assure, pursuant to RCW 28A.400.110, that all staff work cooperatively toward consistent enforcement of proper student behavior throughout each school as well as within each classroom.
- (5)(a) A principal ((shall)) may consider imposing long-term suspension or expulsion as a sanction when deciding the appropriate disciplinary action for a student who, after July 27, 1997:
- ((<del>(a)</del>)) (<u>i)</u> Engages in two or more violations within a three-year period of RCW 9A.46.120, 28A.320.135, 28A.600.455, 28A.600.460, 28A.635.020, 28A.600.020, 28A.635.060, <u>or</u> 9.41.280((<del>, or 28A.320.140</del>)); or
- $(((\frac{b}{b})))$  (ii) Engages in one or more of the offenses listed in RCW 13.04.155.
- (b) The principal shall communicate the disciplinary action taken by the principal to the school personnel who referred the student to the principal for disciplinary action.
- (6) Any corrective action involving a suspension or expulsion from school for more than ten days must have an end date no later than the end of the academic term in which the student exhibited behavior leading to a corrective action. In consultation with families and guardians of students subject to corrective action, school districts shall make reasonable efforts to assist students in returning to an educational setting prior to and no later than the end date of the corrective action. Where warranted based on public health or safety, a school district may petition the local school obard, pursuant to policies and procedures adopted by the superintendent of public instruction, for authorization to exceed the term limitation provided in this subsection. The superintendent of public instruction shall adopt rules outlining the limited circumstances in which a school district may petition the local school board to exceed the academic term limitation, including safeguards to ensure that the district has made every effort to plan for the student's return to school and that the student's extended expulsion from the district does not impair the student's constitutional right to education. In adopting rules and reviewing petitions to exceed the academic term limitation, the superintendent of public instruction must assure that students receive educational services while serving a suspension or expulsion. A petition to exceed the academic term limitation shall not be granted by the superintendent of public instruction if a school district does not provide educational services to a student serving a suspension or expulsion.
- (7) As provided in RCW 28A.600.015, a school district may not impose disciplinary action that results in the suspension of educational services to a student.
- **Sec. 304.** RCW 28A.600.410 and 1992 c 155 s 1 are each amended to read as follows:
- It is the intent of the legislature to minimize the use of out-of-school suspension and expulsion and its impact on student achievement by reducing the number of days that students are excluded from school due to disciplinary action. Student discipline should not impair a student's constitutional right to education.

School districts are encouraged to find alternatives to suspension including reducing the length of a student's suspension conditioned by the commencement of counseling or other treatment services. Consistent with current law, the conditioning of a student's suspension does not obligate the school district to pay for the counseling or other treatment services except for those stipulated and agreed to by the district at the inception of the suspension.

**Sec. 305.** RCW 28A.600.460 and 1997 c 266 s 9 are each amended to read as follows:

- (1) School district boards of directors shall adopt policies that restore discipline to the classroom. Such policies must provide for at least the following: Allowing each teacher to take disciplinary action to correct a student who disrupts normal classroom activities, abuses or insults a teacher as prohibited by RCW 28A.635.010, willfully disobeys a teacher, uses abusive or foul language directed at a school district employee, school volunteer, or another student, violates school rules, or who interferes with an orderly education process. Disciplinary action may include but is not limited to: Oral or written reprimands; written notification to parents of disruptive behavior, a copy of which must be provided to the principal.
- (2) A student committing an offense under chapter 9A.36, 9A.40, 9A.46, or 9A.48 RCW when the activity is directed toward the teacher, shall not be assigned to that teacher's classroom for the duration of the student's attendance at that school or any other school where the teacher is assigned.
- (3) A student who commits an offense under chapter 9A.36, 9A.40, 9A.46, or 9A.48 RCW, when directed toward another student, may be removed from the classroom of the victim for the duration of the student's attendance at that school or any other school where the victim is enrolled. A student who commits an offense under one of the chapters enumerated in this section against a student or another school employee, may be expelled or suspended.
- (4) Nothing in this section is intended to limit the authority of a school under existing law and rules to expel or suspend a student for misconduct or criminal behavior. However, as provided in RCW 28A.600.015, a school district may not impose disciplinary action that results in the suspension of educational services to a student.
- (5) All school districts must collect data on disciplinary actions taken in each school and must record such actions using the statewide student data system, based on the data collection standards established by the office of the superintendent of public instruction and the K-12 data governance group. The information shall be made available to the public upon request((. This collection of)), but any public release of such data shall not include personally identifiable information including, but not limited to, a student's social security number, name, or address.
- **Sec. 306.** RCW 43.41.400 and 2012 c 229 s 585 are each amended to read as follows:
- (1) An education data center shall be established in the office of financial management. The education data center shall jointly, with the legislative evaluation and accountability program committee, conduct collaborative analyses of early learning, K-12, and higher education programs and education issues across the P-20 system, which includes the department of early learning, the superintendent of public instruction, the professional educator standards board, the state board of education, the state board for community and technical colleges, the workforce training and education coordinating board, the student achievement council, public and private nonprofit four-year institutions of higher education, and the employment security department. The education data center shall conduct collaborative analyses under this section with the legislative evaluation and accountability program committee and provide data electronically to the legislative evaluation and accountability program committee, to the extent permitted by state and federal confidentiality requirements. The education data center shall be considered an authorized representative of the state educational agencies in this section under

- applicable federal and state statutes for purposes of accessing and compiling student record data for research purposes.
  - (2) The education data center shall:
- (a) In consultation with the legislative evaluation and accountability program committee and the agencies and organizations participating in the education data center, identify the critical research and policy questions that are intended to be addressed by the education data center and the data needed to address the questions;
- (b) Coordinate with other state education agencies to compile and analyze education data, including data on student demographics that is disaggregated by distinct ethnic categories within racial subgroups, and complete P-20 research projects;
- (c) Collaborate with the legislative evaluation and accountability program committee and the education and fiscal committees of the legislature in identifying the data to be compiled and analyzed to ensure that legislative interests are served;
- (d) Annually provide to the K-12 data governance group a list of data elements and data quality improvements that are necessary to answer the research and policy questions identified by the education data center and have been identified by the legislative committees in (c) of this subsection. Within three months of receiving the list, the K-12 data governance group shall develop and transmit to the education data center a feasibility analysis of obtaining or improving the data, including the steps required, estimated time frame, and the financial and other resources that would be required. Based on the analysis, the education data center shall submit, if necessary, a recommendation to the legislature regarding any statutory changes or resources that would be needed to collect or improve the data;
- (e) Monitor and evaluate the education data collection systems of the organizations and agencies represented in the education data center ensuring that data systems are flexible, able to adapt to evolving needs for information, and to the extent feasible and necessary, include data that are needed to conduct the analyses and provide answers to the research and policy questions identified in (a) of this subsection;
- (f) Track enrollment and outcomes through the public centralized higher education enrollment system;
- (g) Assist other state educational agencies' collaborative efforts to develop a long-range enrollment plan for higher education including estimates to meet demographic and workforce needs;
- (h) Provide research that focuses on student transitions within and among the early learning, K-12, and higher education sectors in the P-20 system; ((and))
- (i) Prepare a regular report on the educational and workforce outcomes of youth in the juvenile justice system, using data disaggregated according to RCW 28A.300.042, and by age; and
- \_\_\_\_(j) Make recommendations to the legislature as necessary to help ensure the goals and objectives of this section and RCW 28A.655.210 and 28A.300.507 are met.
- (3) The department of early learning, superintendent of public instruction, professional educator standards board, state board of education, state board for community and technical colleges, workforce training and education coordinating board, student achievement council, public four-year institutions of higher education, department of social and health services, and employment security department shall work with the education data center to develop data-sharing and research agreements, consistent with applicable security and confidentiality requirements, to facilitate the work of the center. The education data center shall also develop datasharing and research agreements with the administrative office of the courts to conduct research on educational and workforce outcomes using data maintained under RCW 13.50.010(11) related to juveniles. Private, nonprofit institutions of higher education that provide programs of education beyond the high school level leading at least to the baccalaureate degree and are accredited by the Northwest association of schools and colleges or their peer accreditation bodies

may also develop data-sharing and research agreements with the education data center, consistent with applicable security and confidentiality requirements. The education data center shall make data from collaborative analyses available to the education agencies and institutions that contribute data to the education data center to the extent allowed by federal and state security and confidentiality requirements applicable to the data of each contributing agency or institution.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 307.** A new section is added to chapter 28A.600 RCW to read as follows:

- (1) School districts should make efforts to have suspended or expelled students return to the educational setting they were suspended or expelled from as soon as possible. School districts should convene a school reenrollment meeting with the student and the student's family or guardians within twenty days of the student's long-term suspension or expulsion, but no later than five days before the student's enrollment, to discuss a plan to reenroll and reengage the student in a school program.
- (2) In developing a reenrollment and reengagement plan, school districts should consider shortening the length of time that the student is suspended or expelled, other forms of corrective action, and supportive interventions that aid in the student's academic success and keep the student engaged and on track to graduate. School districts must create a reenrollment and reengagement plan tailored to the student's individual circumstances, including consideration of the incident that led to the student's long-term suspension or expulsion. The plan should aid the student in taking the necessary steps to remedy the situation that led to the student's suspension or expulsion.
- (3) Any reenrollment meetings conducted by the school district involving the suspended or expelled student and his or her family or guardians are not intended to replace a petition for readmission.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 308.** Nothing in chapter ..., Laws of 2013 (this act) prevents a public school district, law enforcement agencies, or law enforcement personnel from enforcing laws protecting health and human safety."

On page 40, after line 14 of the striking amendment, insert the following:

# "EDUCATOR CULTURAL COMPETENCE

**Sec. 601.** RCW 28A.405.106 and 2012 c 35 s 5 are each amended to read as follows:

- (1) Subject to funds appropriated for this purpose, the office of the superintendent of public instruction must develop and make available a professional development program to support the implementation of the evaluation systems required by RCW 28A.405.100. The program components may be organized into professional development modules for principals, administrators, and teachers. The professional development program shall include a comprehensive online training package.
- (2) The training program must include, but not be limited to, the following topics:
- (a) Introduction of the evaluation criteria for teachers and principals and the four-level rating system;
  - (b) Orientation to and use of instructional frameworks;
  - (c) Orientation to and use of the leadership frameworks;
- (d) Best practices in developing and using data in the evaluation systems, including multiple measures, student growth data, classroom observations, and other measures and evidence;
  - (e) Strategies for achieving maximum rater agreement;
  - (f) Evaluator feedback protocols in the evaluation systems;
  - (g) Examples of high quality teaching and leadership; and
- (h) Methods to link the evaluation process to ongoing educator professional development.
- (3) The training program must also include the foundational elements of cultural competence, focusing on multicultural education and principles of English language acquisition. The content of the training must be aligned with the standards for cultural competence

- developed by the professional educator standards board under RCW 28A.410.270. The office of the superintendent of public instruction, in consultation with the professional educator standards board, the steering committee established in RCW 28A.405.100, and the educational opportunity gap oversight and accountability committee, must integrate the content for cultural competence into the overall training for principals, administrators, and teachers to support the revised evaluation systems.
- <u>(4)</u> To the maximum extent feasible, the professional development program must incorporate or adapt existing online training or curriculum, including securing materials or curriculum under contract or purchase agreements within available funds. Multiple modes of instruction should be incorporated including videos of classroom teaching, participatory exercises, and other engaging combinations of online audio, video, and print presentation.
- (((4))) (5) The professional development program must be developed in modules that allow:
- (a) Access to material over a reasonable number of training sessions:
  - (b) Delivery in person or online; and
  - (c) Use in a self-directed manner.
- (((5))) (6) The office of the superintendent of public instruction must maintain a web site that includes the online professional development materials along with sample evaluation forms and templates, links to relevant research on evaluation and on high quality teaching and leadership, samples of contract and collective bargaining language on key topics, examples of multiple measures of teacher and principal performance, suggestions for data to measure student growth, and other tools that will assist school districts in implementing the revised evaluation systems.
- (((6))) (7) The office of the superintendent of public instruction must identify the number of in-service training hours associated with each professional development module and develop a way for users to document their completion of the training. Documented completion of the training under this section is considered approved in-service training for the purposes of RCW 28A.415.020.
- ((<del>(7)</del>)) (<u>8</u>) The office of the superintendent of public instruction shall periodically update the modules to reflect new topics and research on performance evaluation so that the training serves as an ongoing source of continuing education and professional development.
- $(((\stackrel{\frown}{(S)})))$  (9) The office of the superintendent of public instruction shall work with the educational service districts to provide clearinghouse services for the identification and publication of professional development opportunities for teachers and principals that align with performance evaluation criteria.

**Sec. 602.** RCW 28A.405.120 and 2012 c 35 s 2 are each amended to read as follows:

- (1) School districts shall require each administrator, each principal, or other supervisory personnel who has responsibility for evaluating classroom teachers or principals to have training in evaluation procedures.
- (2) Before school district implementation of the revised evaluation systems required under RCW 28A.405.100, principals and administrators who have evaluation responsibilities must engage in professional development designed to implement the revised systems and maximize rater agreement. The professional development to support the revised evaluation systems must also include foundational elements of cultural competence, focusing on multicultural education and principles of English language acquisition.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 603.** A new section is added to chapter 28A.415 RCW to read as follows:

(1) The office of the superintendent of public instruction, in collaboration with the educational opportunity gap oversight and accountability committee, the professional educator standards board, colleges of education, and representatives from diverse communities and community-based organizations, must develop a content outline for professional development and training in cultural competence for school staff.

- (2) The content of the cultural competence professional development and training must be aligned with the standards developed by the professional educator standards board under RCW 28A.410.270.
- (3) The cultural competence professional development and training must contain components that are appropriate for classified school staff and district administrators as well as certificated instructional staff and principals at the building level. The professional development and training must also contain components suitable for delivery by individuals from the local community or community-based organizations with appropriate expertise.
- (4) The legislature encourages educational service districts and school districts to use the cultural competence professional development and training developed under this section and provide opportunities for all school and school district staff to gain knowledge and skills in cultural competence, including in partnership with their local communities.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 604.** A new section is added to chapter 28A.657 RCW to read as follows:

Schools that are required under state or federal accountability measures to implement a plan for improvement must provide the cultural competence professional development and training developed under section 603 of this act for classified, certificated instructional, and administrative staff of the school. The professional development and training may be delivered by an educational service district, through district in-service, or by another qualified provider, including in partnership with the local community.

#### **PART VII**

#### INSTRUCTING ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS

**Sec. 701.** RCW 28A.660.045 and 2007 c 396 s 7 are each amended to read as follows:

- (1) The <u>educator</u> retooling (<u>to teach mathematics and science</u>)) conditional scholarship program is created. Participation is limited to current K-12 teachers and individuals having an elementary education certificate but who are not employed in positions requiring an elementary education certificate. It is anticipated that candidates enrolled in this program will complete the requirements for a mathematics ((<del>ox</del>)), science, special education, bilingual education, or <u>English language learner</u> endorsement((<del>, or both,</del>)) in two years or less.
  - (2) Entry requirements for candidates include:
- (a) Current K-12 teachers shall pursue a middle level mathematics or science,  $(\Theta_T)$ ) secondary mathematics or science, special education, bilingual education, or English language learner endorsement.
- (b) Individuals having an elementary education certificate but who are not employed in positions requiring an elementary education certificate shall pursue an endorsement <u>only</u> in middle level mathematics or science ((<del>only</del>)), special education, bilingual education, or English language learner.
- **Sec. 702.** RCW 28A.660.050 and 2012 c 229 s 507 are each amended to read as follows:

Subject to the availability of amounts appropriated for these purposes, the conditional scholarship programs in this chapter are created under the following guidelines:

- (1) The programs shall be administered by the student achievement council. In administering the programs, the council has the following powers and duties:
- (a) To adopt necessary rules and develop guidelines to administer the programs;
- (b) To collect and manage repayments from participants who do not meet their service obligations; and

- (c) To accept grants and donations from public and private sources for the programs.
- (2) Requirements for participation in the conditional scholarship programs are as provided in this subsection (2).
- (a) The alternative route conditional scholarship program is limited to interns of professional educator standards board-approved alternative routes to teaching programs under RCW 28A.660.040. For fiscal year 2011, priority must be given to fiscal year 2010 participants in the alternative route partnership program. In order to receive conditional scholarship awards, recipients shall:
- (i) Be accepted and maintain enrollment in alternative certification routes through a professional educator standards boardapproved program;
- (ii) Continue to make satisfactory progress toward completion of the alternative route certification program and receipt of a residency teaching certificate; and
- (iii) Receive no more than the annual amount of the scholarship, not to exceed eight thousand dollars, for the cost of tuition, fees, and educational expenses, including books, supplies, and transportation for the alternative route certification program in which the recipient is enrolled. The council may adjust the annual award by the average rate of resident undergraduate tuition and fee increases at the state universities as defined in RCW 28B.10.016.
- (b) The pipeline for paraeducators conditional scholarship program is limited to qualified paraeducators as provided by RCW 28A.660.042. In order to receive conditional scholarship awards, recipients shall:
- (i) Be accepted and maintain enrollment at a community and technical college for no more than two years and attain an associate of arts degree;
- (ii) Continue to make satisfactory progress toward completion of an associate of arts degree. This progress requirement is a condition for eligibility into a route one program of the alternative routes to teacher certification program for a mathematics, special education, or English as a second language endorsement; and
- (iii) Receive no more than the annual amount of the scholarship, not to exceed four thousand dollars, for the cost of tuition, fees, and educational expenses, including books, supplies, and transportation for the alternative route certification program in which the recipient is enrolled. The student achievement council may adjust the annual award by the average rate of tuition and fee increases at the state community and technical colleges.
- (c) The <u>educator</u> retooling ((<del>to teach mathematics and science</del>)) conditional scholarship program is limited to current K-12 teachers. In order to receive conditional scholarship awards:
- (i) Individuals currently employed as teachers shall pursue a middle level mathematics or science, ((\(\overline{\psi}\))) secondary mathematics or science, special education, bilingual education, or English language learner endorsement; or
- (ii) Individuals who are certificated with an elementary education endorsement shall pursue an endorsement in middle level mathematics or science, ((or both)) special education, bilingual education, or English language learner; and
- (iii) Individuals shall use one of the pathways to endorsement processes to receive ((a mathematics or science)) the endorsement, ((or both,)) which shall include passing ((a mathematics or science)) the associated endorsement test(( $_{7}$ )) or ((both)) tests, plus observation and completing applicable coursework to attain the proper endorsement; and
- (iv) Individuals shall receive no more than the annual amount of the scholarship, not to exceed three thousand dollars, for the cost of tuition, test fees, and educational expenses, including books, supplies, and transportation for the endorsement pathway being pursued.
- (3) The Washington professional educator standards board shall select individuals to receive conditional scholarships. In selecting recipients, preference shall be given to eligible veterans or national

guard members. <u>In awarding educator retooling scholarships to support additional bilingual education and English language learner endorsements, the board shall give preference to: Teachers seeking endorsements in order to be assigned to the transitional bilingual instructional program under the provisions of RCW 28A.180.040(2), teachers assigned to schools required under state or federal accountability measures to implement a plan for improvement, and teachers assigned to schools whose enrollment of English language learner students has increased an average of more than five percent per year over the previous three years.</u>

- (4) For the purpose of this chapter, a conditional scholarship is a loan that is forgiven in whole or in part in exchange for service as a certificated teacher employed in a Washington state K-12 public school. The state shall forgive one year of loan obligation for every two years a recipient teaches in a public school. Recipients who fail to continue a course of study leading to residency teacher certification or cease to teach in a public school in the state of Washington in their endorsement area are required to repay the remaining loan principal with interest.
- (5) Recipients who fail to fulfill the required teaching obligation are required to repay the remaining loan principal with interest and any other applicable fees. The student achievement council shall adopt rules to define the terms for repayment, including applicable interest rates, fees, and deferments. The student achievement council must provide regular reports to the professional educator standards board that include the enrollment, employment, and repayment status of recipients of all scholarships under this section and the certificate number of recipients who have successfully completed a certification program.
- (6) The student achievement council may deposit all appropriations, collections, and any other funds received for the program in this chapter in the future teachers conditional scholarship account authorized in RCW 28B.102.080. Funds received by the professional educator standards board for the program in this chapter may be transferred to the student achievement council for deposit in the future teachers conditional scholarship account.

**Sec. 703.** RCW 28A.180.040 and 2009 c 380 s 5 are each amended to read as follows:

- (1) Every school district board of directors shall:
- (a) Make available to each eligible pupil transitional bilingual instruction to achieve competency in English, in accord with rules of the superintendent of public instruction;
- (b) Wherever feasible, ensure that communications to parents emanating from the schools shall be appropriately bilingual for those parents of pupils in the bilingual instruction program;
- (c) Determine, by administration of an English test approved by the superintendent of public instruction the number of eligible pupils enrolled in the school district at the beginning of a school year and thereafter during the year as necessary in individual cases;
- (d) Ensure that a student who is a child of a military family in transition and who has been assessed as in need of, or enrolled in, a bilingual instruction program, the receiving school shall initially honor placement of the student into a like program.
- (i) The receiving school shall determine whether the district's program is a like program when compared to the sending school's program; and
- (ii) The receiving school may conduct subsequent assessments pursuant to RCW 28A.180.090 to determine appropriate placement and continued enrollment in the program;
- (e) Before the conclusion of each school year, measure each eligible pupil's improvement in learning the English language by means of a test approved by the superintendent of public instruction; and
- (f) Provide in-service training for teachers, counselors, and other staff, who are involved in the district's transitional bilingual program. Such training shall include appropriate instructional strategies for

children of culturally different backgrounds, use of curriculum materials, and program models.

- (2) Beginning in the 2017-18 school year, all classroom teachers assigned using funds for the transitional bilingual instructional program to provide supplemental instruction for eligible pupils must hold an endorsement in bilingual education or English language learner,

  or both.
- (3) The definitions in Article II of RCW 28A.705.010 apply to subsection (1)(d) of this section.

#### PART VIII

#### ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNER ACCOUNTABILITY

NEW SECTION. Sec. 801. (1) The office of the superintendent of public instruction shall convene an English language learner accountability task force to design a performance-based accountability system for the transitional bilingual instructional program. The task force must include representatives from the educational opportunity gap oversight and accountability committee, the state ethnic commissions, the governor's office of tribal affairs, the office of the education ombudsman, the civil rights office within the office of the superintendent of public instruction, parents, community representatives, and program directors and teachers from school districts of different sizes and with different English language learner student populations.

- (2) The task force must review the research literature to identify evidence-based program designs and instructional strategies for English language learners to achieve English proficiency.
- (3) The task force must identify performance benchmarks for transitional bilingual instructional programs, including:
- (a) Benchmarks based on performance of eligible and exited students, including performance in English language and performance in other academic areas, based on state learning standards; and
- (b) Benchmarks based on program characteristics that research suggests are associated with students achieving English proficiency, such as staff qualifications and training and the level of supplemental instruction for students.
- (4) The task force must design an accountability system for the program that includes reporting and monitoring of benchmark performance and tiered levels of support and technical assistance for schools and districts based on benchmark performance. The design of the system must also include a reduction in requirements for schools and districts to submit program applications and program plans for state approval, to be replaced with a focus on program outcomes.
- (5) The task force must submit a report first to the educational opportunity gap oversight and accountability committee and the quality education council, and then to the education committees of the legislature, with recommendations for the design of the accountability system and any policy changes, statutory changes, or resources necessary for its implementation. An interim report is due to the legislative education committees by January 15, 2014, and a final report is due by September 30, 2014.
  - (6) This section expires July 1, 2015.

**Sec. 802.** RCW 28A.180.090 and 2001 1st sp.s. c 6 s 2 are each amended to read as follows:

The superintendent of public instruction shall develop an evaluation system designed to measure increases in the English and academic proficiency of eligible pupils. When developing the system, the superintendent shall:

- (1) Require school districts to assess potentially eligible pupils within ten days of registration using an English proficiency assessment or assessments as specified by the superintendent of public instruction. Results of these assessments shall be made available to both the superintendent of public instruction and the school district:
- (2) Require school districts to annually assess all eligible pupils at the end of the school year using an English proficiency assessment or assessments as specified by the superintendent of public instruction.

Results of these assessments shall be made available to both the superintendent of public instruction and the school district;

- (3) Develop a system to evaluate increases in the English and academic proficiency of students who are, or were, eligible pupils. This evaluation shall include students when they are in the program and after they exit the program until they finish their K-12 career or transfer from the school district. The purpose of the evaluation system is to inform schools, school districts, parents, and the state of the effectiveness of the transitional bilingual programs in school and school districts in teaching these students English and other content areas, such as mathematics and writing; and
- (4) ((Report to the education and fiscal committees of the legislature by November 1, 2002, regarding the development of the systems described in this section and a timeline for the full implementation of those systems. The legislature shall approve and provide funding for the evaluation system in subsection (3) of this section before any implementation of the system developed under subsection (3) of this section may occur)) Provide school districts with technical assistance and support in selecting research-based program models, instructional materials, and professional development for program staff, including disseminating information about best practices and innovative programs. The information must include research about the differences between conversational language proficiency, academic language proficiency, and subject-specific language proficiency and the implications this research has on instructional practices and evaluation of program effectiveness.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 803.** A new section is added to chapter 28A.657 RCW to read as follows:

At the beginning of each school year, the office of the superintendent of public instruction shall identify schools that experienced a significant increase during the previous two school years in enrollment of English language learner students as compared to previous enrollment trends. The office shall notify the schools, and school districts in which the schools are located must provide the cultural competence professional development and training developed under section 603 of this act for classified, certificated instructional, and administrative staff of the schools. The professional development and training may be delivered by an educational service district, through district in-service, or by another qualified provider, including in partnership with the local community.

# PART IX DISAGGREGATED STUDENT DATA

**Sec. 901.** RCW 28A.300.042 and 2009 c 468 s 4 are each amended to read as follows:

- (1) Beginning with the 2014-15 school year and using the phasein provided in subsection (2) of this section, the superintendent of public instruction must collect and school districts must submit all student-level data using the United States office of management and budget 1997 race and ethnicity reporting guidelines, including the subracial and subethnic categories within those guidelines, with the following modifications to the subracial and subethnic categories:
- (a) Further disaggregation of the Black category to differentiate students of African origin and students native to the United States with African ancestors;
- (b) Further disaggregation of countries of origin for Asian students;
- (c) Further disaggregation of the White category to include subethnic categories for Eastern European nationalities that have significant populations in Washington; and (d) For students who report as multiracial, collection of their racial and ethnic combination of categories.
- (2) Beginning with the 2014-15 school year, school districts must collect student-level data as provided in subsection (1) of this section for all newly enrolled students, including transfer students. School districts must resurvey students for whom subracial and subethnic categories are not reported when the students enter middle school or

superintendent of public instruction ((in)) under this title must be disaggregated by at least the following subgroups of students: White, Black, Hispanic, American Indian/Alaskan Native, Asian, Pacific Islander/Hawaiian Native, low income, transitional bilingual, migrant, special education, and students covered by section 504 of the federal

junior high school. School districts may resurvey other students.

(3) All student data-related reports ((required of)) prepared by the

- special education, and students covered by section 504 of the federal rehabilitation act of 1973, as amended (29 U.S.C. Sec. 794). Beginning with the 2014-15 school year, student data-related reports must also be prepared displaying additional disaggregation of data if analysis of the data indicates significant differences among categories of students as it pertains to the subject of the report. The superintendent of public instruction may use other data for analysis if disaggregated data for subracial and subethnic categories of students
- immigrant; country of birth; or language spoken at home.

  (4) The K-12 data governance group shall develop the data protocols and guidance for school districts in the collection of data as required under this section, and the office of the superintendent of public instruction shall modify the statewide student data system as needed. The office of the superintendent of public instruction shall also incorporate training for school staff on best practices for collection of data on student race and ethnicity in other training or

do not exist, including but not limited to whether the student is an

**Sec. 902.** RCW 28A.300.505 and 2007 c 401 s 5 are each amended to read as follows:

professional development related to data provided by the office.

- (1) The office of the superintendent of public instruction shall develop standards for school data systems that focus on validation and verification of data entered into the systems to ensure accuracy and compatibility of data. The standards shall address but are not limited to the following topics:
  - (a) Date validation;
- (b) Code validation, which includes gender, race or ethnicity, and other code elements;
  - (c) Decimal and integer validation; and
- (d) Required field validation as defined by state and federal requirements.
- (2) The superintendent of public instruction shall develop a reporting format and instructions for school districts to collect and submit data on student demographics that is disaggregated ((by distinct ethnic categories within racial subgroups so that analyses may be conducted on student achievement using the disaggregated data)) as required under RCW 28A.300.042.

# PART X

#### RECRUITMENT AND RETENTION OF EDUCATORS

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 1001.** (1) The professional educator standards board and the office of the superintendent of public instruction shall convene a work group to revise and update the model framework and curriculum, as well as the program of study, for high school career and technical education courses related to careers in education.

- (2) The revised careers in education courses must incorporate:
- (a) Standards for cultural competence developed by the professional educator standards board under RCW 28A.410.270;
- (b) The most recent competency standards established by the professional educator standards board and new research on best practices for educator preparation and development; and
- (c) Curriculum and activities used by the recruiting Washington teachers program under RCW 28A.415.370.
- (3) The revisions must be completed before the 2014-15 school year.
  - (4) This section expires September 1, 2015.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 1002.** A new section is added to chapter 28A.410 RCW to read as follows:

(1) The professional educator standards board shall convene a work group to design program-specific paraeducator professional development and recommend minimum qualifications for paraeducators, as well as an articulated pathway for teacher preparation and certification that has the characteristics described in this section. The work group must include representatives of community and technical college paraeducator apprenticeship and certificate programs, colleges of education, teacher and paraeducator associations, and the office of the superintendent of public instruction.

- (2) An articulated pathway for teacher preparation and certification includes:
- (a) Paraeducator certificate and apprenticeship programs that offer course credits that apply to transferrable associate degrees and are aligned with the standards and competencies for teachers adopted by the professional educator standards board;
- (b) Associate degree programs that build on and do not duplicate the courses and competencies of paraeducator certificate programs, incorporate field experiences, are aligned with the standards and competencies for teachers adopted by the professional educator standards board, and are transferrable to bachelor's degree in education programs and teacher certification programs;
- (c) Bachelor's degree programs that lead to teacher certification that build on and do not duplicate the courses and competencies of transferrable associate degrees; and
- (d) Incorporation of the standards for cultural competence developed by the professional educator standards board under RCW 28A.410.270 throughout the courses and curriculum of the pathway, particularly focusing on multicultural education and principles of language acquisition.
- (3) The work group shall design professional development and recommend minimum qualifications for paraeducators in the following programs:
  - (a) Transitional bilingual instructional program;
  - (b) Learning assistance program;
  - (c) Special education; and
  - (d) General education.
- (4) The professional educator standards board must submit a report to the education committees of the legislature by January 10, 2014, containing:
- (a) A comparison of the current status of pathways for teacher certification to the elements of the articulated pathway. The report must highlight gaps and recommend strategies to address them;
- (b) Appropriate program-specific professional development that should be made available to paraeducators, including online learning opportunities; and
- (c) Recommended minimum qualifications for paraeducators in specified programs.
- (5) The professional educator standards board and the state board for community and technical colleges may exercise their respective authorities regarding program approval to implement the articulated pathway for teacher preparation and certification under this section in approved teacher certification programs and certificate and degree programs offered by community and technical colleges.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 1003.** A new section is added to chapter 28B.50 RCW to read as follows:

Beginning with the 2014-15 academic year, any community or technical college that offers an apprenticeship program or certificate program for paraeducators must provide candidates the opportunity to earn transferrable course credits within the program. The programs must also incorporate the standards for cultural competence, including multicultural education and principles of language acquisition, developed by the professional educator standards board under RCW 28A.410.270.

# PART XI"

Renumber the remaining sections consecutively and correct any internal references accordingly. Correct the title.

Representative Santos spoke in favor of the adoption of the amendment to the striking amendment.

Amendment (582) to amendment (581) was withdrawn.

With the consent of the house, amendment 583 to the striking amendment was withdrawn.

Representative Sullivan spoke in favor of the adoption of the striking amendment.

Amendment (581) was adopted.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, the second reading considered the third and the bill, as amended by the House, was placed on final passage.

Representatives Sullivan, Dahlquist, Haigh, Magendanz and Kagi spoke in favor of the passage of the bill.

Representatives Wylie, Klippert and Santos spoke against the passage of the bill.

The Speaker (Representative Moeller presiding) stated the question before the House to be the final passage of Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 5946, as amended by the House.

#### ROLL CALL

The Clerk called the roll on the final passage of Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 5946, as amended by the House, and the bill passed the House by the following vote: Yeas, 69; Nays, 23; Absent, 0; Excused, 5.

Voting yea: Representatives Alexander, Angel, Bergquist, Blake, Buys, Carlyle, Chandler, Clibborn, Cody, Condotta, Dahlquist, DeBolt, Dunshee, Fagan, Fey, Fitzgibbon, Freeman, Goodman, Green, Habib, Haigh, Haler, Hargrove, Harris, Hawkins, Hayes, Hudgins, Hunter, Hurst, Jinkins, Kagi, Kirby, Kochmar, Kretz, Kristiansen, Liias, Lytton, MacEwen, Magendanz, Manweller, Maxwell, Moeller, Morrell, Morris, Nealey, Orcutt, Orwall, Parker, Pedersen, Pettigrew, Pike, Roberts, Ross, Schmick, Seaquist, Short, Smith, Springer, Stonier, Sullivan, Tharinger, Upthegrove, Van De Wege, Vick, Walsh, Warnick, Wilcox, Zeiger and Mr. Speaker.

Voting nay: Representatives Appleton, Farrell, Hansen, Holy, Hunt, Klippert, McCoy, Moscoso, Ormsby, Overstreet, Pollet, Reykdal, Riccelli, Ryu, Santos, Sawyer, Scott, Sells, Shea, Stanford, Tarleton, Taylor and Wylie.

Excused: Representatives Crouse, Hope, Johnson, Rodne and Takko.

ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5946, as amended by the House, having received the necessary constitutional majority, was declared passed.

There being no objection, the House advanced to the eighth order of business.

There being no objection, the Committee on Rules was relieved of ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1632 and the bill was placed on the second reading calendar:

#### MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

# MR. SPEAKER:

The Senate has passed:

THIRD ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5034 and the same are herewith transmitted.

Hunter G. Goodman, Secretary

June 28, 2013

#### MR. SPEAKER:

The President has signed:

SECOND ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5157

SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5679 SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5718

SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5718
SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5804

ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5891

ENGROSSED SECOND SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5912 and the same are herewith transmitted.

Hunter G. Goodman, Secretary

June 28, 2013

#### MR. SPEAKER:

The President has signed:

 ${\color{red} ENGROSSED\ SUBSTITUTE\ SENATE\ BILL\ NO.\ 5913}$  and the same are herewith transmitted.

Hunter G. Goodman, Secretary

There being no objection, the House reverted to the fourth order of business.

#### INTRODUCTION & FIRST READING

#### HB 2081 by Representative Carlyle

AN ACT Relating to tax preferences; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

### HB 2082 by Representatives Zeiger and Kirby

AN ACT Relating to life insurance policies; adding a new section to chapter 48.23 RCW; and adding a new section to chapter 48.24 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Business & Financial Services.

HB 2083 by Representatives Klippert, Goodman, Smith, Morrell,
 Holy, Moscoso, Haler, Hurst, Manweller, Van De Wege,
 Fagan, Kochmar, Zeiger, Wilcox, Alexander,
 Magendanz, Warnick, Kretz and Hargrove

AN ACT Relating to probable cause for persons in violation of an impaired driving offense; and reenacting and amending RCW 10.31.100.

Referred to Committee on Public Safety.

HB 2084 by Representatives Klippert, Goodman, Smith, Morrell, Holy, Moscoso, Haler, Hurst, Manweller, Van De Wege, Hayes, Fagan, Vick, Zeiger, Kochmar, Wilcox, Alexander, Magendanz, Warnick, Kretz and Hargrove AN ACT Relating to impaired driving offenses that constitute a felony offense; amending RCW 46.61.502 and 46.61.504; reenacting and amending RCW 46.61.5055; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Public Safety.

HB 2085 by Representatives Klippert, Goodman, Smith, Morrell,
 Holy, Moscoso, Haler, Hurst, Manweller, Hayes, Vick,
 Kochmar, Zeiger, Fagan, Wilcox, Alexander,
 Magendanz, Warnick, Kretz and Hargrove

AN ACT Relating to eliminating look back periods for impaired driving offenses; amending RCW 46.61.502 and 46.61.504; reenacting and amending RCW 46.61.5055; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Public Safety.

HB 2086 by Representatives Bergquist, Hawkins, Hunt, Walsh,
 Freeman, Manweller, Stonier, Riccelli, Kagi, Pollet,
 Zeiger, Tarleton, Orwall, Habib, Green, Cody, Morrell,
 Fey, Roberts and Smith

AN ACT Relating to smoking in motor vehicles carrying minors; amending RCW 46.63.110; adding a new section to chapter 46.61 RCW; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

There being no objection, the bills listed on the day's introduction sheet under the fourth order of business were referred to the committees so designated.

There being no objection, the House advanced to the sixth order of business.

#### SECOND READING

SENATE BILL NO. 5948, by Senators Braun, Chase, O'Ban, Keiser, Padden, Hill, Holmquist Newbry, Becker and Brown

#### Concerning state procurement of goods and services.

The bill was read the second time.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, the second reading considered the third and the bill was placed on final passage.

Representatives Hunt and Buys spoke in favor of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker (Representative Moeller presiding) stated the question before the House to be the final passage of Senate Bill No. 5948.

### **ROLL CALL**

The Clerk called the roll on the final passage of Senate Bill No. 5948, and the bill passed the House by the following vote: Yeas, 92; Nays, 0; Absent, 0; Excused, 5.

Voting yea: Representatives Alexander, Angel, Appleton, Bergquist, Blake, Buys, Carlyle, Chandler, Clibborn, Cody, Condotta, Dahlquist, DeBolt, Dunshee, Fagan, Farrell, Fey, Fitzgibbon, Freeman, Goodman, Green, Habib, Haigh, Haler, Hansen, Hargrove, Harris, Hawkins, Hayes, Holy, Hudgins, Hunt, Hunter, Hurst, Jinkins, Kagi, Kirby, Klippert, Kochmar, Kretz, Kristiansen, Liias, Lytton, MacEwen, Magendanz, Manweller, Maxwell, McCoy, Moeller, Morrell, Morris, Moscoso, Nealey, Orcutt, Ormsby, Orwall, Overstreet, Parker, Pedersen, Pettigrew, Pike, Pollet, Reykdal, Riccelli, Roberts, Ross, Ryu, Santos, Sawyer, Schmick, Scott, Seaquist, Sells, Shea, Short, Smith, Springer, Stanford, Stonier, Sullivan, Tarleton, Taylor, Tharinger, Upthegrove, Van De Wege, Vick, Walsh, Warnick, Wilcox, Wylie, Zeiger and Mr. Speaker.

Excused: Representatives Crouse, Hope, Johnson, Rodne and Takko.

SENATE BILL NO. 5948, having received the necessary constitutional majority, was declared passed.

There being no objection, the House advanced to the seventh order of business.

#### THIRD READING

SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 2069, by House Committee on Appropriations (originally sponsored by Representatives Hunter and Sullivan).

Concerning continuation of safety net benefits for persons with a physical or mental disability which makes them eligible for certain social services programs.

The bill was read the third time.

Representatives Hunter and Alexander spoke in favor of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker (Representative Moeller presiding) stated the question before the House to be the final passage of Substitute House Bill No. 2069.

# **ROLL CALL**

The Clerk called the roll on the final passage of Substitute House Bill No. 2069, and the bill passed the House by the following vote: Yeas, 83; Nays, 9; Absent, 0; Excused, 5.

Voting yea: Representatives Alexander, Angel, Appleton, Bergquist, Blake, Buys, Carlyle, Chandler, Clibborn, Cody, Dahlquist, DeBolt, Dunshee, Fagan, Farrell, Fey, Fitzgibbon, Freeman, Goodman, Green, Habib, Haigh, Haler, Hansen, Hargrove, Harris, Hayes, Holy, Hudgins, Hunt, Hunter, Hurst, Jinkins, Kagi, Kirby, Klippert, Kochmar, Kristiansen, Liias, Lytton, MacEwen, Magendanz, Manweller, Maxwell, McCoy, Moeller, Morrell, Morris, Moscoso, Nealey, Orcutt, Ormsby, Orwall, Parker, Pedersen, Pettigrew, Pike, Pollet, Reykdal, Riccelli, Roberts, Ross, Ryu, Santos, Sawyer, Seaquist, Sells, Smith, Springer, Stanford, Stonier, Sullivan, Tarleton, Tharinger, Upthegrove, Van De Wege, Vick, Walsh, Warnick, Wilcox, Wylie, Zeiger and Mr. Speaker.

Voting nay: Representatives Condotta, Hawkins, Kretz, Overstreet, Schmick, Scott, Shea, Short and Taylor.

Excused: Representatives Crouse, Hope, Johnson, Rodne and Takko.

SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 2069, having received the necessary constitutional majority, was declared passed.

There being no objection, the House reverted to the sixth order of business.

#### SECOND READING

THIRD ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5034, by Senate Committee on Ways & Means (originally sponsored by Senators Hill and Hargrove)

Making 2013-2015 operating appropriations. Revised for 1st Substitute: Making omnibus operating appropriations.

The bill was read the second time.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, the second reading considered the third and the bill was placed on final passage.

Representatives Hunter, Alexander, Dahlquist, Haler, MacEwen, Kristiansen and Sullivan spoke in favor of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker (Representative Moeller presiding) stated the question before the House to be the final passage of Third Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 5034.

#### **ROLL CALL**

The Clerk called the roll on the final passage of Third Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 5034, and the bill passed the House by the following vote: Yeas, 81; Nays, 11; Absent, 0; Excused, 5.

Voting yea: Representatives Alexander, Angel, Appleton, Bergquist, Blake, Buys, Carlyle, Chandler, Clibborn, Cody, Condotta, Dahlquist, Dunshee, Fagan, Farrell, Fey, Fitzgibbon, Freeman, Goodman, Green, Habib, Haigh, Haler, Hansen, Hargrove, Harris, Hawkins, Hayes, Hudgins, Hunt, Hunter, Hurst, Jinkins, Kagi, Kirby, Kochmar, Kretz, Kristiansen, Liias, Lytton, MacEwen, Magendanz, Manweller, Maxwell, McCoy, Moeller, Morrell, Morris, Moscoso, Nealey, Ormsby, Orwall, Pedersen, Pettigrew, Pollet, Reykdal, Riccelli, Roberts, Ross, Ryu, Santos, Sawyer, Schmick, Seaquist, Sells, Smith, Springer, Stanford, Stonier, Sullivan, Tarleton, Tharinger, Upthegrove, Van De Wege, Vick, Walsh, Warnick, Wilcox, Wylie, Zeiger and Mr. Speaker.

Voting nay: Representatives DeBolt, Holy, Klippert, Orcutt, Overstreet, Parker, Pike, Scott, Shea, Short and Taylor.

Excused: Representatives Crouse, Hope, Johnson, Rodne and Takko.

THIRD ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5034, having received the necessary constitutional majority, was declared passed.

The Speaker assumed the chair.

# SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER

The Speaker signed the following bills:

THIRD ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5034

SECOND ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO.

5892

SENATE BILL NO. 5904

SENATE BILL NO. 5948

The Speaker called upon Representative Moeller to preside.

#### MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

June 28, 2013

MR. SPEAKER:

The President has signed:

ENGROSSED SECOND SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1306 SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1866

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 2068

and the same are herewith transmitted.

Hunter G. Goodman, Secretary

June 28, 2013

MR. SPEAKER:

The President has signed:

THIRD ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5034 SECOND ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5892

SENATE BILL NO. 5904

SENATE BILL NO. 5948

and the same are herewith transmitted.

Hunter G. Goodman, Secretary

June 28, 2013

MR. SPEAKER:

The Senate has passed:

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1450

and the same are herewith transmitted.

Hunter G. Goodman, Secretary

June 28, 2013

MR. SPEAKER:

The Senate has passed:

HOUSE BILL NO. 2043

HOUSE BILL NO. 2044

ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 2051

and the same are herewith transmitted.

Hunter G. Goodman, Secretary

#### SECOND READING

HOUSE BILL NO. 1632, by House Committee on Transportation (originally sponsored by Representatives Shea, Blake, Kristiansen, Sells, Warnick, Upthegrove, Wilcox, Scott, Moscoso, Fagan and Condotta)

# Regulating the use of off-road vehicles in certain areas.

The bill was read the second time.

There being no objection, Substitute House Bill No. 1632 was substituted for House Bill No. 1632 and the substitute bill was placed on the second reading calendar.

SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1632 was read the second time.

Representative Blake moved the adoption of amendment (572).

Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the

following:

"NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. (1) The legislature finds that off-road vehicle users have been overwhelmed with varied confusing rules, regulations, and ordinances from federal, state, county, and city land managers throughout the state to the extent standardization statewide is needed to maintain public safety and good order.

- (2) It is the intent of the legislature to: (a) Increase opportunities for safe, legal, and environmentally acceptable motorized recreation; (b) decrease the amount of unlawful or environmentally harmful motorized recreation; (c) generate funds for use in maintenance, signage, education, and enforcement of motorized recreation opportunities; (d) advance a culture of self-policing and abuse intolerance among motorized recreationists; (e) cause no change in the policies of any governmental agency with respect to public land; (f) not change any current ORV usage routes as authorized in chapter 213, Laws of 2005; (g) stimulate rural economies by opening certain roadways to use by motorized recreationists which will in turn stimulate economic activity through expenditures on gasoline, lodging, food and drink, and other entertainment purposes; and (h) require all wheeled all-terrain vehicles to obtain a metal tag.
- Sec. 2. RCW 46.09.310 and 2010 c 161 s 213 are each amended to read as follows:

The definitions in this section apply throughout this chapter unless the context clearly requires otherwise.

- (1) "Advisory committee" means the nonhighway and off-road vehicle activities advisory committee established in RCW 46.09.340.
- (2) "Board" means the recreation and conservation funding board established in RCW 79A.25.110.
- (3) "Dealer" means a person, partnership, association, or corporation engaged in the business of selling off-road vehicles at wholesale or retail in this state.
- (4) "Highway," for the purpose of this chapter only, means the entire width between the boundary lines of every roadway publicly maintained by the state department of transportation or any county or city with funding from the motor vehicle fund. A highway is generally capable of travel by a conventional two-wheel drive passenger automobile during most of the year and in use by such vehicles.
- (5) "Nonhighway road" means any road owned or managed by a public agency, a primitive road, or any private road for which the owner has granted an easement for public use for which appropriations from the motor vehicle fund were not used for (a) original construction or reconstruction in the last twenty-five years; or (b) maintenance in the last four years.
- (6) "Nonhighway road recreation facilities" means recreational facilities that are adjacent to, or accessed by, a nonhighway road and intended primarily for nonhighway road recreational users.
- (7) "Nonhighway road recreational user" means a person whose purpose for consuming fuel on a nonhighway road or off-road is primarily for nonhighway road recreational purposes, including, but not limited to, hunting, fishing, camping, sightseeing, wildlife viewing, picnicking, driving for pleasure, kayaking/canoeing, and gathering berries, firewood, mushrooms, and other natural products.
- (8) "Nonhighway vehicle" means any motorized vehicle including an ORV when used for recreational purposes on nonhighway roads, trails, or a variety of other natural terrain.

Nonhighway vehicle does not include:

- (a) Any vehicle designed primarily for travel on, over, or in the water;
  - (b) Snowmobiles or any military vehicles; or
- (c) Any vehicle eligible for a motor vehicle fuel tax exemption or rebate under chapter 82.36 RCW while an exemption or rebate is claimed. This exemption includes but is not limited to farm, construction, and logging vehicles.

- (9) "Nonmotorized recreational facilities" means recreational trails and facilities that are adjacent to, or accessed by, a nonhighway road and intended primarily for nonmotorized recreational users.
- (10) "Nonmotorized recreational user" means a person whose purpose for consuming fuel on a nonhighway road or off-road is primarily for nonmotorized recreational purposes including, but not limited to, walking, hiking, backpacking, climbing, cross-country skiing, snowshoeing, mountain biking, horseback riding, and pack animal activities.
- (11) "Organized competitive event" means any competition, advertised in advance through written notice to organized clubs or published in local newspapers, sponsored by recognized clubs, and conducted at a predetermined time and place.
- (12) "ORV recreation facilities" include, but are not limited to, ORV trails, trailheads, campgrounds, ORV sports parks, and ORV use areas, designated for ORV use by the managing authority ((that are intended primarily for ORV recreational users)).
- (13) "ORV recreational user" means a person whose purpose for consuming fuel on nonhighway roads or off-road is primarily for ORV recreational purposes, including but not limited to riding an all-terrain vehicle, motorcycling, or driving a four-wheel drive vehicle or dune buggy.
- (14) "ORV sports park" means a facility designed to accommodate competitive ORV recreational uses including, but not limited to, motocross racing, four-wheel drive competitions, and flat track racing. Use of ORV sports parks can be competitive or noncompetitive in nature.
- (15) "ORV trail" means a multiple-use corridor designated by the managing authority and maintained for recreational use by motorized vehicles.
- (16) "Direct supervision" means that the supervising adult must be in a position, on another wheeled all-terrain vehicle or specialty off-highway vehicle or motorbike or, if on the ground, within a reasonable distance of the unlicensed operator, to provide close support, assistance, or direction to the unlicensed operator.
- (17) "Emergency management" means the carrying out of emergency functions related to responding and recovering from emergencies and disasters, and to aid victims suffering from injury or damage, resulting from disasters caused by all hazards, whether natural, technological, or human caused, and to provide support for search and rescue operations for persons and property in distress.
- (18) "Primitive road" means a linear route managed for use by four- wheel drive or high-clearance vehicles that is generally not maintained or paved, a road designated by a county as primitive under RCW 36.75.300, or a road designated by a city or town as primitive under

  a local ordinance.
- (19) "Wheeled all-terrain vehicle" means (a) any motorized nonhighway vehicle with handlebars that is fifty inches or less in width, has a seat height of at least twenty inches, weighs less than one thousand five hundred pounds, and has four tires having a diameter of thirty inches or less, or (b) a utility-type vehicle designed for and capable of travel over designated roads that travels on four or more low-pressure tires of twenty psi or less, has a maximum width less than seventy-four inches, has a maximum weight less than two thousand pounds, has a wheelbase of one hundred ten inches or less, and satisfies at least one of the following: (i) Has a minimum width of fifty inches; (ii) has a minimum weight of at least nine hundred pounds; or (iii) has a wheelbase of over sixty-one inches.
- **Sec. 3.** RCW 46.09.310 and 2013 c 225 s 607 are each amended to read as follows:

The definitions in this section apply throughout this chapter unless the context clearly requires otherwise.

- (1) "Advisory committee" means the nonhighway and off-road vehicle activities advisory committee established in RCW 46.09.340.
- (2) "Board" means the recreation and conservation funding board established in RCW 79A.25.110.

- (3) "Dealer" means a person, partnership, association, or corporation engaged in the business of selling off-road vehicles at wholesale or retail in this state.
- (4) "Highway," for the purpose of this chapter only, means the entire width between the boundary lines of every roadway publicly maintained by the state department of transportation or any county or city with funding from the motor vehicle fund. A highway is generally capable of travel by a conventional two-wheel drive passenger automobile during most of the year and in use by such vehicles.
- (5) "Nonhighway road" means any road owned or managed by a public agency, a primitive road, or any private road for which the owner has granted an easement for public use for which appropriations from the motor vehicle fund were not used for (a) original construction or reconstruction in the last twenty-five years; or (b) maintenance in the last four years.
- (6) "Nonhighway road recreation facilities" means recreational facilities that are adjacent to, or accessed by, a nonhighway road and intended primarily for nonhighway road recreational users.
- (7) "Nonhighway road recreational user" means a person whose purpose for consuming fuel on a nonhighway road or off-road is primarily for nonhighway road recreational purposes, including, but not limited to, hunting, fishing, camping, sightseeing, wildlife viewing, picnicking, driving for pleasure, kayaking/canoeing, and gathering berries, firewood, mushrooms, and other natural products.
- (8) "Nonhighway vehicle" means any motorized vehicle including an ORV when used for recreational purposes on nonhighway roads, trails, or a variety of other natural terrain.

Nonhighway vehicle does not include:

- (a) Any vehicle designed primarily for travel on, over, or in the water:
  - (b) Snowmobiles or any military vehicles; or
- (c) Any vehicle eligible for a motor vehicle fuel tax exemption or rebate under chapter 82.38 RCW while an exemption or rebate is claimed. This exemption includes but is not limited to farm, construction, and logging vehicles.
- (9) "Nonmotorized recreational facilities" means recreational trails and facilities that are adjacent to, or accessed by, a nonhighway road and intended primarily for nonmotorized recreational users.
- (10) "Nonmotorized recreational user" means a person whose purpose for consuming fuel on a nonhighway road or off-road is primarily for nonmotorized recreational purposes including, but not limited to, walking, hiking, backpacking, climbing, cross-country skiing, snowshoeing, mountain biking, horseback riding, and pack animal activities.
- (11) "Organized competitive event" means any competition, advertised in advance through written notice to organized clubs or published in local newspapers, sponsored by recognized clubs, and conducted at a predetermined time and place.
- (12) "ORV recreation facilities" include, but are not limited to, ORV trails, trailheads, campgrounds, ORV sports parks, and ORV use areas, designated for ORV use by the managing authority ((that are intended primarily for ORV recreational users)).
- (13) "ORV recreational user" means a person whose purpose for consuming fuel on nonhighway roads or off-road is primarily for ORV recreational purposes, including but not limited to riding an all-terrain vehicle, motorcycling, or driving a four-wheel drive vehicle or dune buggy.
- (14) "ORV sports park" means a facility designed to accommodate competitive ORV recreational uses including, but not limited to, motocross racing, four-wheel drive competitions, and flat track racing. Use of ORV sports parks can be competitive or noncompetitive in nature.
- (15) "ORV trail" means a multiple-use corridor designated by the managing authority and maintained for recreational use by motorized vehicles.

- (16) "Direct supervision" means that the supervising adult must be in a position, on another wheeled all-terrain vehicle or specialty off-highway vehicle or motorbike or, if on the ground, within a reasonable distance of the unlicensed operator, to provide close support, assistance, or direction to the unlicensed operator.
- (17) "Emergency management" means the carrying out of emergency functions related to responding and recovering from emergencies and disasters, and to aid victims suffering from injury or damage, resulting from disasters caused by all hazards, whether natural, technological, or human caused, and to provide support for search and rescue operations for persons and property in distress.
- (18) "Primitive road" means a linear route managed for use by four- wheel drive or high-clearance vehicles that is generally not maintained or paved, a road designated by a county as primitive under RCW 36.75.300, or a road designated by a city or town as primitive under

  a local ordinance.
- (19) "Wheeled all-terrain vehicle" means (a) any motorized nonhighway vehicle with handlebars that is fifty inches or less in width, has a seat height of at least twenty inches, weighs less than one thousand five hundred pounds, and has four tires having a diameter of thirty inches or less, or (b) a utility-type vehicle designed for and capable of travel over designated roads that travels on four or more low-pressure tires of twenty psi or less, has a maximum width less than seventy-four inches, has a maximum weight less than two thousand pounds, has a wheelbase of one hundred ten inches or less, and satisfies at least one of the following: (i) Has a minimum width of fifty inches; (ii) has a minimum weight of at least nine hundred pounds; or (iii) has a wheelbase of over sixty-one inches.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 4.** A new section is added to chapter 46.09 RCW under the subchapter heading "registrations and use permits" to read as follows:

- (1) Any wheeled all-terrain vehicle operated within this state must display a metal tag to be affixed to the rear of the wheeled all-terrain vehicle. The initial metal tag must be issued with an original off-road vehicle registration and upon payment of the initial vehicle license fee under RCW 46.17.350(1)(s). The metal tag must be replaced every seven years at a cost of two dollars. Revenue from replacement metal tags must be deposited into the nonhighway and off-road vehicle activities program account. The department must design the metal tag, which must:
  - (a) Be the same size as a motorcycle license plate;
- (b) Have the words "RESTRICTED VEHICLE" listed at the top of the tag;
- (c) Contain designated identification through a combination of letters and numbers:
- (d) Leave space at the bottom left corner of the tag for an offroad tab issued under subsection (2) of this section; and
- (e) Leave space at the bottom right corner of the tag for an onroad tab, when required, issued under subsection (3) of this section.
- (2) A person who operates a wheeled all-terrain vehicle must have a current and proper off-road vehicle registration, with the appropriate off-road tab, and pay the annual vehicle license fee as provided in RCW 46.17.350(1)(s), which must be deposited into the nonhighway and off-road vehicle activities program account. The off- road tab must be issued annually by the department upon payment of initial and renewal vehicle license fees under RCW 46.17.350(1)(s).
- (3) A person who operates a wheeled all-terrain vehicle upon a public roadway must have a current and proper on-road vehicle registration, with the appropriate on-road tab, which must be of a bright color that can be seen from a reasonable distance, and pay the annual vehicle license fee as provided in RCW 46.17.350(1)(r). The on- road tab must be issued annually by the department upon payment of initial and renewal vehicle license fees under RCW 46.17.350(1)(r).

- (4) A wheeled all-terrain vehicle may not be registered for commercial use.
- <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 5.** A new section is added to chapter 46.09 RCW under the subchapter heading "registrations and use permits" to read as follows:
- (1) A person may not operate a wheeled all-terrain vehicle upon a public roadway of this state, not including nonhighway roads and trails, without (a) first obtaining a valid driver's license issued to Washington residents in compliance with chapter 46.20 RCW or (b) possessing a valid driver's license issued by the state of the person's residence if the person is a nonresident.
- (2) A person who operates a wheeled all-terrain vehicle under this section is granted all rights and is subject to all duties applicable to the operator of a motorcycle under RCW 46.37.530 and chapter 46.61 RCW, unless otherwise stated in this act, except that wheeled all-terrain vehicles may not be operated side-by-side in a single lane of traffic
- (3) Wheeled all-terrain vehicles are subject to chapter 46.55 RCW.
- (4) Any person who violates this section commits a traffic infraction.
- (5) The department may develop and implement an online training course for persons that register wheeled all-terrain vehicles and utility-type vehicles for use on a public roadway of this state. The department is granted rule-making authority for the training course. Any future costs associated with the training course must be appropriated from the highway safety account and any fees collected must be distributed to the highway safety account.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 6.** A new section is added to chapter 46.09 RCW under the subchapter heading "uses and violations" to read as follows:

- (1) A person may operate a wheeled all-terrain vehicle upon any public roadway of this state, not including nonhighway roads and trails, having a speed limit of thirty-five miles per hour or less subject to the following restrictions and requirements:
- (a) A person may not operate a wheeled all-terrain vehicle upon state highways that are listed in chapter 47.17 RCW; however, a person may operate a wheeled all-terrain vehicle upon a segment of a state highway listed in chapter 47.17 RCW if the segment is within the limits of a city or town and the speed limit on the segment is thirty-five miles per hour or less;
- (b) A person operating a wheeled all-terrain vehicle may not cross a public roadway, not including nonhighway roads and trails, with a speed limit in excess of thirty-five miles per hour, unless the crossing begins and ends on a public roadway, not including nonhighway roads and trails, or an ORV trail, with a speed limit of thirty-five miles per hour or less and occurs at an intersection of approximately ninety degrees, except that the operator of a wheeled all-terrain vehicle may not cross at an uncontrolled intersection of a public highway listed under chapter 47.17 RCW;
- (c)(i) A person may not operate a wheeled all-terrain vehicle on a public roadway within the boundaries of a county, not including nonhighway roads and trails, with a population of fifteen thousand or more unless the county by ordinance has approved the operation of wheeled all-terrain vehicles on county roadways, not including nonhighway roads and trails.
- (ii) The legislative body of a county with a population of fewer than fifteen thousand may, by ordinance, designate roadways or highways within its boundaries to be unsuitable for use by wheeled all-terrain vehicles.
- (iii) Any public roadways, not including nonhighway roads and trails, authorized by a legislative body of a county under (c)(i) of this subsection or designated as unsuitable under (c)(ii) of this subsection must be listed publicly and made accessible from the main page of the county web site.

- (iv) This subsection (1)(c) does not affect any roadway that was designated as open or closed as of January 1, 2013;
- (d)(i) A person may not operate a wheeled all-terrain vehicle on a public roadway within the boundaries of a city or town, not including nonhighway roads and trails, unless the city or town by ordinance has approved the operation of wheeled all-terrain vehicles on city or town roadways, not including nonhighway roads and trails.
- (ii) Any public roadways, not including nonhighway roads and trails, authorized by a legislative body of a city or town under (d)(i) of this subsection must be listed publicly and made accessible from the main page of the city or town web site.
- (iii) This subsection (1)(d) does not affect any roadway that was designated as open or closed as of January 1, 2013.
- (e) Any person who violates this subsection commits a traffic infraction.
- (2) Local authorities may not establish requirements for the registration of wheeled all-terrain vehicles.
- (3) A person may operate a wheeled all-terrain vehicle upon any public roadway, trail, nonhighway road, or highway within the state while being used under the authority or direction of an appropriate agency that engages in emergency management, as defined in RCW 46.09.310, or search and rescue, as defined in RCW 38.52.010, or a law enforcement agency, as defined in RCW 16.52.011, within the scope of the agency's official duties.
- (4) A wheeled all-terrain vehicle is an off-road vehicle for the purposes of chapter 4.24 RCW.
- <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 7.** A new section is added to chapter 46.09 RCW under the subchapter heading "uses and violations" to read as follows:
- (1) A person may operate a wheeled all-terrain vehicle upon any public roadway of this state, not including nonhighway roads and trails, subject to the following equipment and declaration requirements:
- (a) A person who operates a wheeled all-terrain vehicle must comply with the following equipment requirements:
- (i) Headlights meeting the requirements of RCW 46.37.030 and 46.37.040 and used at all times when the vehicle is in motion upon a highway;
- (ii) One tail lamp meeting the requirements of RCW 46.37.525 and used at all times when the vehicle is in motion upon a highway; however, a utility-type vehicle, as described under RCW 46.09.310, must have two tail lamps meeting the requirements of RCW 46.37.070(1) and to be used at all times when the vehicle is in motion upon a highway;
  - (iii) A stop lamp meeting the requirements of RCW 46.37.200;
  - (iv) Reflectors meeting the requirements of RCW 46.37.060;
- (v) During hours of darkness, as defined in RCW 46.04.200, turn signals meeting the requirements of RCW 46.37.200. Outside of hours of darkness, the operator must comply with RCW 46.37.200 or 46.61.310;
- (vi) A mirror attached to either the right or left handlebar, which must be located to give the operator a complete view of the highway for a distance of at least two hundred feet to the rear of the vehicle; however, a utility-type vehicle, as described under RCW 46.09.310(19), must have two mirrors meeting the requirements of RCW 46.37.400;
- (vii) A windshield meeting the requirements of RCW 46.37.430, unless the operator wears glasses, goggles, or a face shield while operating the vehicle, of a type conforming to rules adopted by the Washington state patrol;
- (viii) A horn or warning device meeting the requirements of RCW 46.37.380;
  - (ix) Brakes in working order;
- (x) A spark arrester and muffling device meeting the requirements of RCW 46.09.470; and

- (xi) For utility-type vehicles, as described under RCW 46.09.310(19), seatbelts meeting the requirements of RCW 46.37.510.
- (b) A person who operates a wheeled all-terrain vehicle upon a public roadway must provide a declaration that includes the following:
- (i) Documentation of a safety inspection to be completed by a licensed wheeled all-terrain vehicle dealer or repair shop in the state of Washington that must outline the vehicle information and certify under oath that all wheeled all-terrain vehicle equipment as required under this section meets the requirements outlined in state and federal law. A person who makes a false statement regarding the inspection of equipment required under this section is guilty of false swearing, a gross misdemeanor, under RCW 9A.72.040;
- (ii) Documentation that the licensed wheeled all-terrain vehicle dealer or repair shop did not charge more than fifty dollars per safety inspection and that the entire safety inspection fee is paid directly and only to the licensed wheeled all-terrain vehicle dealer or repair shop;
- (iii) A statement that the licensed wheeled all-terrain vehicle dealer or repair shop is entitled to the full amount charged for the safety inspection:
- (iv) A vehicle identification number verification that must be completed by a licensed wheeled all-terrain vehicle dealer or repair shop in the state of Washington; and
- (v) A release signed by the owner of the wheeled all-terrain vehicle and verified by the department, county auditor or other agent, or subagent appointed by the director that releases the state from any liability and outlines that the owner understands that the original wheeled all-terrain vehicle was not manufactured for on-road use and that it has been modified for use on public roadways.
- (2) This section does not apply to emergency services vehicles, vehicles used for emergency management purposes, or vehicles used in the production of agricultural and timber products on and across lands owned, leased, or managed by the owner or operator of the wheeled all-terrain vehicle or the operator's employer.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 8.** A new section is added to chapter 46.09 RCW under the subchapter heading "general provisions" to read as follows:

The department must track wheeled all-terrain vehicles in a separate registration category for reporting purposes.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 9.** A new section is added to chapter 46.09 RCW under the subchapter heading "uses and violations" to read as follows:

- (1) A person who operates a wheeled all-terrain vehicle consistent with RCW 46.09.470(1) (g), (h), or (i) or inconsistent with the emergency exemption under RCW 46.09.420 is a traffic infraction.
- (2) Any law enforcement officer may issue a notice of traffic infraction for a violation of subsection (1) of this section whether or not the infraction was committed in the officer's presence, as long as there is reasonable evidence presented that the operator of the wheeled all-terrain vehicle committed a violation of subsection (1) of this section. At a minimum, the evidence must include information relating to the time and location at which the violation occurred, and the wheeled all-terrain vehicle metal tag number or a description of the vehicle involved in the violation. If, after an investigation of a reported violation of subsection (1) of this section, the law enforcement officer is able to identify the operator and has probable cause to believe a violation of subsection (1) of this section has occurred, the law enforcement officer shall prepare a notice of traffic infraction and have it served upon the operator of the wheeled all-terrain vehicle.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 10.** A new section is added to chapter 46.09 RCW under the subchapter heading "revenue" to read as follows:

(1) The multiuse roadway safety account is created in the motor vehicle fund. All receipts from vehicle license fees under RCW

46.17.350(1)(r) must be deposited into the account. Moneys in the account may be spent only after appropriation. Expenditures from the account may be used only for grants administered by the department of transportation to: (a) Counties to perform safety engineering analysis of mixed vehicle use on any road within a county; (b) local governments to provide funding to erect signs providing notice to the motoring public that (i) wheeled all-terrain vehicles are present or (ii) wheeled all-terrain vehicles may be crossing; (c) the state patrol or local law enforcement for purposes of defraying the costs of enforcement of this act; and (d) law enforcement to investigate accidents involving wheeled all-terrain vehicles.

- (2) The department of transportation must prioritize grant awards in the following priority order:
- (a) For the purpose of marking highway crossings with signs warning motorists that wheeled all-terrain vehicles may be crossing when an ORV recreation facility parking lot is on the other side of a public roadway from the actual ORV recreation facility; and
- (b) For the purpose of marking intersections with signs where a wheeled all-terrain vehicle may cross a public road to advise motorists of the upcoming intersection. Such signs must conform to the manual on uniform traffic control devices.
- **Sec. 11.** RCW 46.09.360 and 2006 c 212 s 4 are each amended to read as follows:
- (1) Notwithstanding any of the provisions of this chapter, any city, town, county, or other political subdivision of this state, or any state agency, may regulate the operation of nonhighway vehicles on public lands, waters, and other properties under its jurisdiction, and on streets, roads, or highways within its boundaries by adopting regulations or ordinances of its governing body, provided such regulations are not less stringent than the provisions of this chapter. However, the legislative body of a city or town with a population of less than three thousand persons may, by ordinance, designate a street or highway within its boundaries to be suitable for use by off-road vehicles. The legislative body of a county may, by ordinance, designate a road or highway within its boundaries to be suitable for use by off-road vehicles ((if the road or highway is a direct connection between a city with a population of less than three thousand persons and an off-road vehicle recreation facility)).
- (2) For purposes of this section, "off-road vehicles" does not include wheeled all-terrain vehicles.
- **Sec. 12.** RCW 46.09.400 and 2011 c 171 s 25 are each amended to read as follows:

The department shall:

- (1) Issue registrations and temporary ORV use permits for off-road vehicles, excluding wheeled all-terrain vehicles subject to subsection (4) of this section;
- (2) Issue decals for off-road vehicles, excluding wheeled allterrain vehicles subject to subsection (4) of this section. The decals serve the same function as license plates for vehicles registered under chapter 46.16A RCW; ((and))
- (3) Charge a fee for each decal covering the actual cost of the decal; and
- (4) Issue metal tags, off-road vehicle registrations, and on-road vehicle registrations for wheeled all-terrain vehicles.
- **Sec. 13.** RCW 46.09.410 and 2010 c 161 s 218 are each amended to read as follows:
- (1) The application for an original ORV registration has the same requirements as described for original vehicle registrations in RCW 46.16A.040 and must be accompanied by the annual off-road vehicle license fee required under RCW 46.17.350, in addition to any other fees or taxes due for the application.
- (2) The application for renewal of an ORV registration has the same requirements as described for the renewal of vehicle registrations in RCW 46.16A.110 and must be accompanied by the annual off-road vehicle license fee required under RCW 46.17.350, in addition to any other fees or taxes due for the application.

- (3) The annual ORV registration is valid for one year and may be renewed each subsequent year as prescribed by the department.
- (4) A person who acquires an off-road vehicle that has an ORV registration must:
- (a) Apply to the department, county auditor or other agent, or subagent appointed by the director for a transfer of the ORV registration within fifteen days of taking possession of the off-road vehicle; and
- (b) Pay the ORV registration transfer fee required under RCW 46.17.410, in addition to any other fees or taxes due at the time of application.
- (5) The department shall issue an ORV registration, decals, and tabs upon receipt of:
- (a) A properly completed application for an original ORV registration; and
- (b) The payment of all fees and taxes due at the time of application.
- (6) The ORV registration must be carried on the vehicle for which it was issued at all times during its operation in this state.
- (7) Off-road vehicle decals must be affixed to the off-road vehicle in a manner prescribed by the department.
- (8) Unless exempt under RCW 46.09.420, any out-of-state operator of an off-road vehicle, when operating in this state, must comply with this chapter. If an ORV registration is required under this chapter, the out-of-state operator must obtain an ORV registration and decal or a temporary ORV use permit.
- (9) This section does not apply to wheeled all-terrain vehicles registered for use under section 4 of this act.
- **Sec. 14.** RCW 46.09.420 and 2011 c 171 s 26 are each amended to read as follows:
- ORV registrations and decals are required under this chapter except for the following:
- (1) Off-road vehicles owned and operated by the United States, another state, or a political subdivision of the United States or another state
- (2) Off-road vehicles owned and operated by this state, a municipality, or a political subdivision of this state or the municipality.
- (3) Off-road vehicles operated on <u>and across</u> agricultural <u>and timber</u> lands owned  $((\Theta_F))$ , leased, <u>or managed</u> by the off-road vehicle owner or operator <u>or operator's employer</u>.
- (4) Off-road vehicles owned by a resident of another state that have a valid ORV use permit or vehicle registration issued in accordance with the laws of the other state. This exemption applies only to the extent that a similar exemption or privilege is granted under the laws of that state.
- (5) Off-road vehicles while being used for ((search and rescue)) emergency management purposes under the authority or direction of an appropriate agency that engages in emergency management, as defined in RCW 46.09.310, or search and rescue, as defined in RCW 38.52.010, or a law enforcement agency as defined in RCW 16.52.011.
- (6) Vehicles registered under chapter 46.16A RCW or, in the case of nonresidents, vehicles validly registered for operation over public highways in the jurisdiction of the owner's residence.
- (7) Off-road vehicles operated by persons who, in good faith, render emergency care or assistance with respect to an incident involving off-road vehicles. Persons who operate off-road vehicles to render such care, assistance, or advice are not liable for civil damages resulting from any act or omission in the rendering of such care, assistance, or advice, other than acts or omissions constituting gross negligence or willful or wanton misconduct.
- **Sec. 15.** RCW 46.09.450 and 2011 c 171 s 27 are each amended to read as follows:
- (1) Except as otherwise provided in this section, it is lawful to operate an off-road vehicle upon:

- (a) A nonhighway road and in parking areas serving designated off- road vehicle areas if the state, federal, local, or private authority responsible for the management of the nonhighway road authorizes the use of off-road vehicles; ((and))
- (b) A street, road, or highway as authorized under RCW 46.09.360; and
- (c) Any trail, nonhighway road, or highway within the state while being used under the authority or direction of an appropriate agency that engages in emergency management, as defined in RCW 46.09.310, or search and rescue, as defined in RCW 38.52.010, or a law enforcement agency, as defined in RCW 16.52.011, within the scope of the agency's official duties.
- (2) ((Operations of)) An off-road vehicle operated on a nonhighway road((,)) or on a street, road, or highway as authorized under RCW 46.09.360((, under)) and this section is exempt from both registration requirements of chapter 46.16A RCW and vehicle lighting and equipment requirements of chapter 46.37 RCW.
- (3) It is unlawful to operate an off-road vehicle upon a private nonhighway road if the road owner has not authorized the use of offroad vehicles.
  - (4) Nothing in this section authorizes trespass on private property.
- (5) The provisions of RCW 4.24.210(5) ((shall)) apply to public and private landowners who allow members of the public to use public facilities accessed by a highway, street, or nonhighway road for recreational off-road vehicle use.
- **Sec. 16.** RCW 46.09.460 and 2005 c 213 s 5 are each amended to read as follows:
- (1) Except as specified in subsection (2) of this section, no person under ((thirteen)) sixteen years of age may operate an off-road vehicle on or across a highway or nonhighway road in this state without direct supervision of a person eighteen years of age or older possessing a valid license to operate a motor vehicle under chapter 46.20 RCW. This prohibition does not apply when a person under sixteen years of age is acting in accordance with RCW 46.09.420 (5) and (7).
- (2) Persons under ((thirteen)) sixteen years of age may operate an off-road vehicle across a highway, if at that crossing signs indicate that wheeled all-terrain vehicles or off-road vehicles may be crossing, or on a nonhighway road designated for off-road vehicle use, under the direct supervision of a person eighteen years of age or older possessing a valid license to operate a motor vehicle under chapter 46.20 RCW.
- (3) This section does not apply to vehicles used in the production of agricultural or timber products on and across lands owned, leased, or managed by the owner or operator of a wheeled all-terrain vehicle or the operator's employer.
- **Sec. 17.** RCW 46.09.470 and 2011 c 171 s 28 and 2011 c 121 s 4 are each reenacted and amended to read as follows:
- (1) Except as provided in subsection (4) of this section, it is a traffic infraction for any person to operate any nonhighway vehicle:
  - (a) In such a manner as to endanger the property of another;
- (b) On lands not owned by the operator or owner of the nonhighway vehicle without a lighted headlight and taillight between the hours of dusk and dawn, or when otherwise required for the safety of others regardless of ownership;
- (c) On lands not owned by the operator or owner of the nonhighway vehicle without an adequate braking device or when otherwise required for the safety of others regardless of ownership;
- (d) Without a spark arrester approved by the department of natural resources;
- (e) Without an adequate, and operating, muffling device which effectively limits vehicle noise to no more than eighty-six decibels on the "A" scale at fifty feet as measured by the Society of Automotive Engineers (SAE) test procedure J 331a, except that a maximum noise level of one hundred and five decibels on the "A" scale at a distance of twenty inches from the exhaust outlet shall be an acceptable

- substitute in lieu of the Society of Automotive Engineers test procedure J 331a when measured:
- (i) At a forty-five degree angle at a distance of twenty inches from the exhaust outlet:
- (ii) With the vehicle stationary and the engine running at a steady speed equal to one-half of the manufacturer's maximum allowable ("red line") engine speed or where the manufacturer's maximum allowable engine speed is not known the test speed in revolutions per minute calculated as sixty percent of the speed at which maximum horsepower is developed; and
- (iii) With the microphone placed ten inches from the side of the vehicle, one-half way between the lowest part of the vehicle body and the ground plane, and in the same lateral plane as the rearmost exhaust outlet where the outlet of the exhaust pipe is under the vehicle:
- (f) On lands not owned by the operator or owner of the nonhighway vehicle upon the shoulder or inside bank or slope of any nonhighway road or highway, or upon the median of any divided highway:
- (g) On lands not owned by the operator or owner of the nonhighway vehicle in any area or in such a manner so as to unreasonably expose the underlying soil, or to create an erosion condition, or to injure, damage, or destroy trees, growing crops, or other vegetation;
- (h) On lands not owned by the operator or owner of the nonhighway vehicle or on any nonhighway road or trail, when these are restricted to pedestrian or animal travel;
- (i) On any public lands in violation of rules and regulations of the agency administering such lands; and
- (j) On a private nonhighway road in violation of RCW 46.09.450(3).
- (2) It is a misdemeanor for any person to operate any nonhighway vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or a controlled substance.
- (3)(a) Except for an off-road vehicle equipped with seat belts and roll bars or an enclosed passenger compartment, it is a traffic infraction for any person to operate or ride an off-road vehicle on a nonhighway road without wearing upon his or her head a motorcycle helmet fastened securely while in motion. For purposes of this section, "motorcycle helmet" has the same meaning as provided in RCW 46.37.530.
- (b) Subsection (3)(a) of this section does not apply to an off-road vehicle operator operating on his or her own land.
- (c) Subsection (3)(a) of this section does not apply to an off-road vehicle ((operator operating on agricultural lands owned or leased by the off-road vehicle operator or the operator's employer)) used in production of agricultural and timber products on and across lands owned, leased, or managed by the owner or operator of the off-road vehicle or the operator's employer.
- (4) It is not a traffic infraction to operate an off-road vehicle on a street, road, or highway as authorized under RCW 46.09.360 ((ef)). 46.61.705, or section 6 of this act.
- **Sec. 18.** RCW 46.09.530 and 2010 c 161 s 223 are each amended to read as follows:
- (1) After deducting administrative expenses and the expense of any programs conducted under this chapter, the board shall, at least once each year, distribute the funds it receives under RCW 46.68.045 and 46.09.520 to state agencies, counties, municipalities, federal agencies, nonprofit off-road vehicle organizations, and Indian tribes. Funds distributed under this section to nonprofit off-road vehicle organizations may be spent only on projects or activities that benefit off-road vehicle recreation on <u>publicly owned lands or</u> lands once publicly owned that come into private ownership in a federally approved land exchange completed between January 1, 1998, and January 1, 2005.

- (2) The board shall adopt rules governing applications for funds administered by the recreation and conservation office under this chapter and shall determine the amount of money distributed to each applicant. Agencies receiving funds under this chapter for capital purposes shall consider the possibility of contracting with the state parks and recreation commission, the department of natural resources, or other federal, state, and local agencies to employ the youth development and conservation corps or other youth crews in completing the project.
- (3) The board shall require each applicant for acquisition or development funds under this section to comply with the requirements of either the state environmental policy act, chapter 43.21C RCW, or the national environmental policy act (42 U.S.C. Sec. 4321 et seq.).
- **Sec. 19.** RCW 46.17.350 and 2010 c 161 s 531 are each amended to read as follows:
- (1) Before accepting an application for a vehicle registration, the department, county auditor or other agent, or subagent appointed by the director shall require the applicant, unless specifically exempt, to pay the following vehicle license fee by vehicle type:

VEHICLE TYPE (a) Auto stage, six seats	INITIAL FEE \$ 30.00	RENEWAL FEE \$ 30.00	DISTRIBUTED UNDER RCW 46.68.030
or less (b) Camper	\$ 4.90	\$ 3.50	RCW 46.68.030
(c) Commercial trailer	\$ 34.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.035
(d) For hire vehicle, six seats or less	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.030
(e) Mobile home (if registered	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.030
(f) Moped	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.030
(g) Motor home	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.030
(h) Motorcycle	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.030
(i) Off-road vehicle	\$ 18.00	\$ 18.00	RCW 46.68.045
(j) Passenger car	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.030
(k) Private use single- axle trailer	\$ 15.00	\$ 15.00	RCW 46.68.035(( <del>(2)</del> ))
(l) Snowmobile	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.350
(m) Snowmobile, vintage	\$ 12.00	\$ 12.00	RCW 46.68.350
(n) Sport utility vehicle	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.030
(o) Tow truck	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.030
(p) Trailer, over 2000 pounds	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.030

(q) Travel trailer	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.030
(r) Wheeled	<u>\$12.00</u>	<u>\$12.00</u>	Section 10 of this
<u>all-terrain</u> <u>vehicle,</u>			<u>act</u>
on- road use			
(s) Wheeled all-terrain	<u>\$18.00</u>	<u>\$18.00</u>	RCW 46.09.510
<u>vehicle,</u> off-			
road use			

- (2) The vehicle license fee required in subsection (1) of this section is in addition to the filing fee required under RCW 46.17.005, and any other fee or tax required by law.
- **Sec. 20.** RCW 46.30.020 and 2013 c 157 s 1 are each amended to read as follows:
- (1)(a) No person may operate a motor vehicle subject to registration under chapter 46.16A RCW in this state unless the person is insured under a motor vehicle liability policy with liability limits of at least the amounts provided in RCW 46.29.090, is self-insured as provided in RCW 46.29.630, is covered by a certificate of deposit in conformance with RCW 46.29.550, or is covered by a liability bond of at least the amounts provided in RCW 46.29.090. Proof of financial responsibility for motor vehicle operation must be provided on the request of a law enforcement officer in the format specified under RCW 46.30.030.
- (b) A person who drives a motor vehicle that is required to be registered in another state that requires drivers and owners of vehicles in that state to maintain insurance or financial responsibility shall, when requested by a law enforcement officer, provide evidence of financial responsibility or insurance as is required by the laws of the state in which the vehicle is registered.
- (c) When asked to do so by a law enforcement officer, failure to display proof of financial responsibility for motor vehicle operation as specified under RCW 46.30.030 creates a presumption that the person does not have motor vehicle insurance.
- (d) Failure to provide proof of motor vehicle insurance is a traffic infraction and is subject to penalties as set by the supreme court under RCW 46.63.110 or community restitution.
- (e) For the purposes of this section, when a person uses a portable electronic device to display proof of financial security to a law enforcement officer, the officer may only view the proof of financial security and is otherwise prohibited from viewing any other content on the portable electronic device.
- (f) Whenever a person presents a portable electronic device pursuant to this section, that person assumes all liability for any damage to the portable electronic device.
- (2) If a person cited for a violation of subsection (1) of this section appears in person before the court or a violations bureau and provides written evidence that at the time the person was cited, he or she was in compliance with the financial responsibility requirements of subsection (1) of this section, the citation shall be dismissed and the court or violations bureau may assess court administrative costs of twenty-five dollars at the time of dismissal. In lieu of personal appearance, a person cited for a violation of subsection (1) of this section may, before the date scheduled for the person's appearance before the court or violations bureau, submit by mail to the court or violations bureau written evidence that at the time the person was cited, he or she was in compliance with the financial responsibility requirements of subsection (1) of this section, in which case the citation shall be dismissed without cost, except that the court or violations bureau may assess court administrative costs of twenty-five dollars at the time of dismissal.
  - (3) The provisions of this chapter shall not govern:

- (a) The operation of a motor vehicle registered under RCW 46.18.220 or 46.18.255, governed by RCW 46.16A.170, or registered with the Washington utilities and transportation commission as common or contract carriers; or
- (b) The operation of a motorcycle as defined in RCW 46.04.330, a motor-driven cycle as defined in RCW 46.04.332, ((or)) a moped as defined in RCW 46.04.304, or a wheeled all-terrain vehicle as defined in RCW 46.09.310.
- (4) RCW 46.29.490 shall not be deemed to govern all motor vehicle liability policies required by this chapter but only those certified for the purposes stated in chapter 46.29 RCW.
- **Sec. 21.** RCW 46.63.020 and 2013 c 135 s 2 are each amended to read as follows:

Failure to perform any act required or the performance of any act prohibited by this title or an equivalent administrative regulation or local law, ordinance, regulation, or resolution relating to traffic including parking, standing, stopping, and pedestrian offenses, is designated as a traffic infraction and may not be classified as a criminal offense, except for an offense contained in the following provisions of this title or a violation of an equivalent administrative regulation or local law, ordinance, regulation, or resolution:

- (1) Section 7(1)(b)(i) of this act relating to a false statement regarding the inspection of and installation of equipment on wheeled all-terrain vehicles;
- (2) RCW 46.09.470(2) relating to the operation of a nonhighway vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or a controlled substance;
- (((2))) (3) RCW 46.09.480 relating to operation of nonhighway vehicles:
- (((3))) (4) RCW 46.10.490(2) relating to the operation of a snowmobile while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or narcotics or habit-forming drugs or in a manner endangering the person of another;
- (((4))) (5) RCW 46.10.495 relating to the operation of snowmobiles;
- $(((\frac{5}{2})))$  (6) Chapter 46.12 RCW relating to certificates of title, registration certificates, and markings indicating that a vehicle has been destroyed or declared a total loss;
- ((<del>(6)</del>)) (7) RCW 46.16A.030 and 46.16A.050(3) relating to the nonpayment of taxes and fees by failure to register a vehicle and falsifying residency when registering a motor vehicle;
- (((7))) (8) RCW 46.16A.520 relating to permitting unauthorized persons to drive;
  - (((8))) (9) RCW 46.16A.320 relating to vehicle trip permits;
- (((9))) (10) RCW 46.19.050 relating to knowingly providing false information in conjunction with an application for a special placard or license plate for disabled persons' parking;
- (((10))) (11) RCW 46.20.005 relating to driving without a valid driver's license;
- (((11+))) (12) RCW 46.20.091 relating to false statements regarding a driver's license or instruction permit;
- (((42))) (13) RCW 46.20.0921 relating to the unlawful possession and use of a driver's license;
- (((13))) (14) RCW 46.20.342 relating to driving with a suspended or revoked license or status;
- ((<del>(14)</del>)) (15) RCW 46.20.345 relating to the operation of a motor vehicle with a suspended or revoked license;
- ((<del>(15)</del>)) (16) RCW 46.20.410 relating to the violation of restrictions of an occupational driver's license, temporary restricted driver's license, or ignition interlock driver's license;
- ((<del>(16)</del>)) (17) RCW 46.20.740 relating to operation of a motor vehicle without an ignition interlock device in violation of a license notation that the device is required;
- (((17))) (18) RCW 46.20.750 relating to circumventing an ignition interlock device;

- (((18))) (19) RCW 46.25.170 relating to commercial driver's licenses;
- (((19))) (20) Chapter 46.29 RCW relating to financial responsibility;
- (((<del>20)</del>)) (<u>21</u>) RCW 46.30.040 relating to providing false evidence of financial responsibility;
- (((21))) (22) RCW 46.35.030 relating to recording device information;
- (((22))) (23) RCW 46.37.435 relating to wrongful installation of sunscreening material;
- (((<del>23</del>))) (<u>24</u>) RCW 46.37.650 relating to the sale, resale, distribution, or installation of a previously deployed air bag;
- (((24))) (25) RCW 46.37.671 through 46.37.675 relating to signal preemption devices;
- (((25))) (26) RCW 46.37... (section 1, chapter 135, Laws of 2013) relating to switching or flipping license plates, utilizing technology to flip or change the appearance of a license plate, selling a license plate flipping device or technology used to change the appearance of a license plate, or falsifying a vehicle registration;
- (((26))) (27) RCW 46.44.180 relating to operation of mobile home pilot vehicles:
- (((27))) (28) RCW 46.48.175 relating to the transportation of dangerous articles;
- (((28))) (29) RCW 46.52.010 relating to duty on striking an unattended car or other property;
- (((29))) (30) RCW 46.52.020 relating to duty in case of injury to or death of a person or damage to an attended vehicle;
- (((30))) (31) RCW 46.52.090 relating to reports by repairers, storage persons, and appraisers;
- (((31))) (32) RCW 46.52.130 relating to confidentiality of the driving record to be furnished to an insurance company, an employer, and an alcohol/drug assessment or treatment agency;
- (((32))) (33) RCW 46.55.020 relating to engaging in the activities of a registered tow truck operator without a registration certificate;
- ((<del>(33)</del>)) (34) RCW 46.55.035 relating to prohibited practices by tow truck operators;
  - (((34))) (35) RCW 46.55.300 relating to vehicle immobilization;
- ((<del>(35)</del>)) (36) RCW 46.61.015 relating to obedience to police officers, flaggers, or firefighters;
- (((36))) (37) RCW 46.61.020 relating to refusal to give information to or cooperate with an officer;
- (((37))) (38) RCW 46.61.022 relating to failure to stop and give identification to an officer;
- (((38))) (39) RCW 46.61.024 relating to attempting to elude pursuing police vehicles;
- ((<del>(39))</del>) (40) RCW 46.61.212(4) relating to reckless endangerment of emergency zone workers;
  - ((<del>(40)</del>)) <u>(41)</u> RCW 46.61.500 relating to reckless driving;
- ((<del>(41)</del>)) (<u>42</u>) RCW 46.61.502 and 46.61.504 relating to persons under the influence of intoxicating liquor or drugs;
- (((42))) (43) RCW 46.61.503 relating to a person under age twenty- one driving a motor vehicle after consuming alcohol;
- ((<del>(43))</del>) (44) RCW 46.61.520 relating to vehicular homicide by motor vehicle:
  - (((44))) (45) RCW 46.61.522 relating to vehicular assault;
- (((45))) (46) RCW 46.61.5249 relating to first degree negligent driving;
- ((<del>(46)</del>)) (<u>47)</u> RCW 46.61.527(4) relating to reckless endangerment of roadway workers;
- (((47))) (48) RCW 46.61.530 relating to racing of vehicles on highways;
- (((48))) (49) RCW 46.61.655(7) (a) and (b) relating to failure to secure a load;
- (((49))) (50) RCW 46.61.685 relating to leaving children in an unattended vehicle with the motor running;

- (((50))) (51) RCW 46.61.740 relating to theft of motor vehicle fuel:
- (((51))) (52) RCW 46.64.010 relating to unlawful cancellation of or attempt to cancel a traffic citation;
- $(((\frac{52}{2})))$  (53) RCW 46.64.048 relating to attempting, aiding, abetting, coercing, and committing crimes;
- (((<del>53</del>))) (<u>54</u>) Chapter 46.65 RCW relating to habitual traffic offenders:
- (((54))) (55) RCW 46.68.010 relating to false statements made to obtain a refund;
- ((<del>(55)</del>)) (<u>56)</u> Chapter 46.70 RCW relating to unfair motor vehicle business practices, except where that chapter provides for the assessment of monetary penalties of a civil nature;
- (((56))) (57) Chapter 46.72 RCW relating to the transportation of passengers in for hire vehicles;
- (((57))) (58) RCW 46.72A.060 relating to limousine carrier insurance;
- (((58))) (59) RCW 46.72A.070 relating to operation of a limousine without a vehicle certificate;
- ((<del>(59)</del>)) <u>(60)</u> RCW 46.72A.080 relating to false advertising by a limousine carrier;
- (((60))) (61) Chapter 46.80 RCW relating to motor vehicle wreckers;
- (((61))) (62) Chapter 46.82 RCW relating to driver's training schools:
- ((<del>(62)</del>)) (63) RCW 46.87.260 relating to alteration or forgery of a cab card, letter of authority, or other temporary authority issued under chapter 46.87 RCW;
- ((<del>(63)</del>)) (64) RCW 46.87.290 relating to operation of an unregistered or unlicensed vehicle under chapter 46.87 RCW.
- **Sec. 22.** RCW 79A.80.010 and 2012 c 261 s 1 are each amended to read as follows:

The definitions in this section apply throughout this chapter unless the context clearly requires otherwise.

- (1) "Agency" or "agencies" means the department of fish and wildlife, the department of natural resources, and the parks and recreation commission.
- (2) "Annual natural investment permit" means the annual permit issued by the parks and recreation commission for the purpose of launching boats from the designated state parks boat launch sites.
- (3) "Camper registration" means proof of payment of a camping fee on recreational lands managed by the parks and recreation commission.
- (4) "Day-use permit" means the permit created in RCW 79A.80.030.
- (5) "Discover pass" means the annual pass created in RCW 79A.80.020.
- (6) "Motor vehicle" has the same meaning as defined in RCW 46.04.320 and which are required to be registered under chapter 46.16A RCW. "Motor vehicle" does not include those motor vehicles exempt from registration under RCW 46.16A.080, wheeled all-terrain vehicles registered for use under section 4 of this act, and state and publicly owned motor vehicles as provided in RCW 46.16A.170.
- (7) "Recreation site or lands" means a state park, state lands and state forest lands as those terms are defined in RCW 79.02.010, natural resources conservation areas as that term is defined in RCW 79.71.030, natural area preserves as that term is defined in RCW 79.70.020, and fish and wildlife conservation sites including water access areas, boat ramps, wildlife areas, parking areas, roads, and trailbeads
- (8) "Sno-park seasonal permit" means the seasonal permit issued by the parks and recreation commission for providing access to winter recreational facilities for the period of November 1st through March 31st.
- $\left(9\right)$  "Vehicle access pass" means the pass created in RCW 79A.80.040.

- **Sec. 23.** RCW 46.63.030 and 2011 c 375 s 5 are each amended to read as follows:
- (1) A law enforcement officer has the authority to issue a notice of traffic infraction:
- (a) When the infraction is committed in the officer's presence, except as provided in section 9 of this act;
- (b) When the officer is acting upon the request of a law enforcement officer in whose presence the traffic infraction was committed:
- (c) If an officer investigating at the scene of a motor vehicle accident has reasonable cause to believe that the driver of a motor vehicle involved in the accident has committed a traffic infraction;
- (d) When the infraction is detected through the use of an automated traffic safety camera under RCW 46.63.170; or
- (e) When the infraction is detected through the use of an automated school bus safety camera under RCW 46.63.180.
- (2) A court may issue a notice of traffic infraction upon receipt of a written statement of the officer that there is reasonable cause to believe that an infraction was committed.
- (3) If any motor vehicle without a driver is found parked, standing, or stopped in violation of this title or an equivalent administrative regulation or local law, ordinance, regulation, or resolution, the officer finding the vehicle shall take its registration number and may take any other information displayed on the vehicle which may identify its user, and shall conspicuously affix to the vehicle a notice of traffic infraction.
- (4) In the case of failure to redeem an abandoned vehicle under RCW 46.55.120, upon receiving a complaint by a registered tow truck operator that has incurred costs in removing, storing, and disposing of an abandoned vehicle, an officer of the law enforcement agency responsible for directing the removal of the vehicle shall send a notice of infraction by certified mail to the last known address of the person responsible under RCW 46.55.105. The notice must be entitled "Littering--Abandoned Vehicle" and give notice of the monetary penalty. The officer shall append to the notice of infraction, on a form prescribed by the department of licensing, a notice indicating the amount of costs incurred as a result of removing, storing, and disposing of the abandoned vehicle, less any amount realized at auction, and a statement that monetary penalties for the infraction will not be considered as having been paid until the monetary penalty payable under this chapter has been paid and the court is satisfied that the person has made restitution in the amount of the deficiency remaining after disposal of the vehicle.
- **Sec. 24.** RCW 43.84.092 and 2013 2nd sp.s. c 1 s 15 are each amended to read as follows:
- (1) All earnings of investments of surplus balances in the state treasury shall be deposited to the treasury income account, which account is hereby established in the state treasury.
- (2) The treasury income account shall be utilized to pay or receive funds associated with federal programs as required by the federal cash management improvement act of 1990. The treasury income account is subject in all respects to chapter 43.88 RCW, but no appropriation is required for refunds or allocations of interest earnings required by the cash management improvement act. Refunds of interest to the federal treasury required under the cash management improvement act fall under RCW 43.88.180 and shall not require appropriation. The office of financial management shall determine the amounts due to or from the federal government pursuant to the cash management improvement act. The office of financial management may direct transfers of funds between accounts as deemed necessary to implement the provisions of the cash management improvement act, and this subsection. Refunds or allocations shall occur prior to the distributions of earnings set forth in subsection (4) of this section.
- (3) Except for the provisions of RCW 43.84.160, the treasury income account may be utilized for the payment of purchased

banking services on behalf of treasury funds including, but not limited to, depository, safekeeping, and disbursement functions for the state treasury and affected state agencies. The treasury income account is subject in all respects to chapter 43.88 RCW, but no appropriation is required for payments to financial institutions. Payments shall occur prior to distribution of earnings set forth in subsection (4) of this section

- (4) Monthly, the state treasurer shall distribute the earnings credited to the treasury income account. The state treasurer shall credit the general fund with all the earnings credited to the treasury income account except:
- (a) The following accounts and funds shall receive their proportionate share of earnings based upon each account's and fund's average daily balance for the period: The aeronautics account, the aircraft search and rescue account, the Alaskan Way viaduct replacement project account, the brownfield redevelopment trust fund account, the budget stabilization account, the capital vessel replacement account, the capitol building construction account, the Cedar River channel construction and operation account, the Central Washington University capital projects account, the charitable, educational, penal and reformatory institutions account, the cleanup settlement account, the Columbia river basin water supply development account, the Columbia river basin taxable bond water supply development account, the Columbia river basin water supply revenue recovery account, the common school construction fund, the county arterial preservation account, the county criminal justice assistance account, the deferred compensation administrative account, the deferred compensation principal account, the department of licensing services account, the department of retirement systems expense account, the developmental disabilities community trust account, the drinking water assistance account, the drinking water assistance administrative account, the drinking water assistance repayment account, the Eastern Washington University capital projects account, the Interstate 405 express toll lanes operations account, the education construction fund, the education legacy trust account, the election account, the energy freedom account, the energy recovery act account, the essential rail assistance account, The Evergreen State College capital projects account, the federal forest revolving account, the ferry bond retirement fund, the freight mobility investment account, the freight mobility multimodal account, the grade crossing protective fund, the public health services account, the high capacity transportation account, the state higher education construction account, the higher education construction account, the highway bond retirement fund, the highway infrastructure account, the highway safety fund, the high occupancy toll lanes operations account, the hospital safety net assessment fund, the industrial insurance premium refund account, the judges' retirement account, the judicial retirement administrative account, the judicial retirement principal account, the local leasehold excise tax account, the local real estate excise tax account, the local sales and use tax account, the marine resources stewardship trust account, the medical aid account, the mobile home park relocation fund, the motor vehicle fund, the motorcycle safety education account, the multimodal transportation account, the multiuse roadway safety account, the municipal criminal justice assistance account, the natural resources deposit account, the oyster reserve land account, the pension funding stabilization account, the perpetual surveillance and maintenance account, the public employees' retirement system plan 1 account, the public employees' retirement system combined plan 2 and plan 3 account, the public facilities construction loan revolving account beginning July 1, 2004, the public health supplemental account, the public works assistance account, the Puget Sound capital construction account, the Puget Sound ferry operations account, the real estate appraiser commission account, the recreational vehicle account, the regional mobility grant program account, the resource management cost account, the rural arterial trust account, the rural mobility grant program account, the

rural Washington loan fund, the site closure account, the skilled nursing facility safety net trust fund, the small city pavement and sidewalk account, the special category C account, the special wildlife account, the state employees' insurance account, the state employees' insurance reserve account, the state investment board expense account, the state investment board commingled trust fund accounts, the state patrol highway account, the state route number 520 civil penalties account, the state route number 520 corridor account, the state wildlife account, the supplemental pension account, the Tacoma Narrows toll bridge account, the teachers' retirement system plan 1 account, the teachers' retirement system combined plan 2 and plan 3 account, the tobacco prevention and control account, the tobacco settlement account, the toll facility bond retirement account, the transportation 2003 account (nickel account), the transportation equipment fund, the transportation fund, the transportation improvement account, the transportation improvement board bond retirement account, the transportation infrastructure account, the transportation partnership account, the traumatic brain injury account, the tuition recovery trust fund, the University of Washington bond retirement fund, the University of Washington building account, the volunteer firefighters' and reserve officers' relief and pension principal fund, the volunteer firefighters' and reserve officers' administrative fund, the Washington judicial retirement system account, the Washington law enforcement officers' and firefighters' system plan 1 retirement account, the Washington law enforcement officers' and firefighters' system plan 2 retirement account, the Washington public safety employees' plan 2 retirement account, the Washington school employees' retirement system combined plan 2 and 3 account, the Washington state economic development commission account, the Washington state health insurance pool account, the Washington state patrol retirement account, the Washington State University building account, the Washington State University bond retirement fund, the water pollution control revolving administration account, the water pollution control revolving fund, and the Western Washington University capital projects account. Earnings derived from investing balances of the agricultural permanent fund, the normal school permanent fund, the permanent common school fund, the scientific permanent fund, the state university permanent fund, and the state reclamation revolving account shall be allocated to their respective beneficiary accounts.

- (b) Any state agency that has independent authority over accounts or funds not statutorily required to be held in the state treasury that deposits funds into a fund or account in the state treasury pursuant to an agreement with the office of the state treasurer shall receive its proportionate share of earnings based upon each account's or fund's average daily balance for the period.
- (5) In conformance with Article II, section 37 of the state Constitution, no treasury accounts or funds shall be allocated earnings without the specific affirmative directive of this section.
- **Sec. 25.** RCW 43.84.092 and 2013 2nd sp.s. c 1 s 16 are each amended to read as follows:
- (1) All earnings of investments of surplus balances in the state treasury shall be deposited to the treasury income account, which account is hereby established in the state treasury.
- (2) The treasury income account shall be utilized to pay or receive funds associated with federal programs as required by the federal cash management improvement act of 1990. The treasury income account is subject in all respects to chapter 43.88 RCW, but no appropriation is required for refunds or allocations of interest earnings required by the cash management improvement act. Refunds of interest to the federal treasury required under the cash management improvement act fall under RCW 43.88.180 and shall not require appropriation. The office of financial management shall determine the amounts due to or from the federal government pursuant to the cash management improvement act. The office of financial management may direct transfers of funds between accounts

as deemed necessary to implement the provisions of the cash management improvement act, and this subsection. Refunds or allocations shall occur prior to the distributions of earnings set forth in subsection (4) of this section.

- (3) Except for the provisions of RCW 43.84.160, the treasury income account may be utilized for the payment of purchased banking services on behalf of treasury funds including, but not limited to, depository, safekeeping, and disbursement functions for the state treasury and affected state agencies. The treasury income account is subject in all respects to chapter 43.88 RCW, but no appropriation is required for payments to financial institutions. Payments shall occur prior to distribution of earnings set forth in subsection (4) of this section.
- (4) Monthly, the state treasurer shall distribute the earnings credited to the treasury income account. The state treasurer shall credit the general fund with all the earnings credited to the treasury income account except:
- (a) The following accounts and funds shall receive their proportionate share of earnings based upon each account's and fund's average daily balance for the period: The aeronautics account, the aircraft search and rescue account, the Alaskan Way viaduct replacement project account, the brownfield redevelopment trust fund account, the budget stabilization account, the capital vessel replacement account, the capitol building construction account, the Cedar River channel construction and operation account, the Central Washington University capital projects account, the charitable, educational, penal and reformatory institutions account, the cleanup settlement account, the Columbia river basin water supply development account, the Columbia river basin taxable bond water supply development account, the Columbia river basin water supply revenue recovery account, the Columbia river crossing project account, the common school construction fund, the county arterial preservation account, the county criminal justice assistance account, the deferred compensation administrative account, the deferred compensation principal account, the department of licensing services account, the department of retirement systems expense account, the developmental disabilities community trust account, the drinking water assistance account, the drinking water assistance administrative account, the drinking water assistance repayment account, the Eastern Washington University capital projects account, the Interstate 405 express toll lanes operations account, the education construction fund, the education legacy trust account, the election account, the energy freedom account, the energy recovery act account, the essential rail assistance account, The Evergreen State College capital projects account, the federal forest revolving account, the ferry bond retirement fund, the freight mobility investment account, the freight mobility multimodal account, the grade crossing protective fund, the public health services account, the high capacity transportation account, the state higher education construction account, the higher education construction account, the highway bond retirement fund, the highway infrastructure account, the highway safety fund, the high occupancy toll lanes operations account, the hospital safety net assessment fund, the industrial insurance premium refund account, the judges' retirement account, the judicial retirement administrative account, the judicial retirement principal account, the local leasehold excise tax account, the local real estate excise tax account, the local sales and use tax account, the marine resources stewardship trust account, the medical aid account, the mobile home park relocation fund, the motor vehicle fund, the motorcycle safety education account, the multimodal transportation account, the multiuse roadway safety account, the municipal criminal justice assistance account, the natural resources deposit account, the oyster reserve land account, the pension funding stabilization account, the perpetual surveillance and maintenance account, the public employees' retirement system plan 1 account, the public employees' retirement system combined plan 2 and plan 3 account, the public facilities construction loan revolving

account beginning July 1, 2004, the public health supplemental account, the public works assistance account, the Puget Sound capital construction account, the Puget Sound ferry operations account, the real estate appraiser commission account, the recreational vehicle account, the regional mobility grant program account, the resource management cost account, the rural arterial trust account, the rural mobility grant program account, the rural Washington loan fund, the site closure account, the skilled nursing facility safety net trust fund, the small city pavement and sidewalk account, the special category C account, the special wildlife account, the state employees' insurance account, the state employees' insurance reserve account, the state investment board expense account, the state investment board commingled trust fund accounts, the state patrol highway account, the state route number 520 civil penalties account, the state route number 520 corridor account, the state wildlife account, the supplemental pension account, the Tacoma Narrows toll bridge account, the teachers' retirement system plan 1 account, the teachers' retirement system combined plan 2 and plan 3 account, the tobacco prevention and control account, the tobacco settlement account, the toll facility bond retirement account, the transportation 2003 account (nickel account), the transportation equipment fund, the transportation fund, the transportation improvement account, the transportation improvement board bond retirement account, the transportation infrastructure account, the transportation partnership account, the traumatic brain injury account, the tuition recovery trust fund, the University of Washington bond retirement fund, the University of Washington building account, the volunteer firefighters' and reserve officers' relief and pension principal fund, the volunteer firefighters' and reserve officers' administrative fund, the Washington judicial retirement system account, the Washington law enforcement officers' and firefighters' system plan 1 retirement account, the Washington law enforcement officers' and firefighters' system plan 2 retirement account, the Washington public safety employees' plan 2 retirement account, the Washington school employees' retirement system combined plan 2 and 3 account, the Washington state economic development commission account, the Washington state health insurance pool account, the Washington state patrol retirement account, the Washington State University building account, the Washington State University bond retirement fund, the water pollution control revolving administration account, the water pollution control revolving fund, and the Western Washington University capital projects account. Earnings derived from investing balances of the agricultural permanent fund, the normal school permanent fund, the permanent common school fund, the scientific permanent fund, the state university permanent fund, and the state reclamation revolving account shall be allocated to their respective beneficiary accounts.

- (b) Any state agency that has independent authority over accounts or funds not statutorily required to be held in the state treasury that deposits funds into a fund or account in the state treasury pursuant to an agreement with the office of the state treasurer shall receive its proportionate share of earnings based upon each account's or fund's average daily balance for the period.
- (5) In conformance with Article II, section 37 of the state Constitution, no treasury accounts or funds shall be allocated earnings without the specific affirmative directive of this section.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 26.** Except for sections 3 and 25 of this act, this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and takes effect July 28, 2013.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 27.** Section 2 of this act expires July 1, 2015.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 28.** Section 3 of this act takes effect July 1, 2015.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 29.** Section 24 of this act expires if the requirements set out in section 7, chapter 36, Laws of 2012 are met.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 30.** Section 25 of this act takes effect if the requirements set out in section 7, chapter 36, Laws of 2012 are met."

Correct the title.

Representative Riccelli moved the adoption of amendment (584) to amendment (572).

On page 9, line 36 of the striking amendment, after "2013" insert

(v) A county, city or town shall not approve the operation of a wheeled all-terrain vehicle on public roadways located within the boundaries of water resource inventory area forty eight, as established in chapter 173-500 WAC as it existed on January 1, 2013"

Representatives Riccelli and Riccelli (again) spoke in favor of the adoption of the amendment to the striking amendment.

Representative Kretz spoke against the adoption of the amendment to the striking amendment.

Amendment (584) to amendment (572) was withdrawn.

Representative Blake spoke in favor of the adoption of the striking amendment.

Amendment (572) was adopted.

The bill was ordered engrossed.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, the second reading considered the third and the bill was placed on final passage.

Representatives Blake, Shea and Hurst spoke in favor of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker (Representative Moeller presiding) stated the question before the House to be the final passage of Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 1632.

#### **ROLL CALL**

The Clerk called the roll on the final passage of Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 1632, and the bill passed the House by the following vote: Yeas, 81; Nays, 11; Absent, 0; Excused, 5.

Voting yea: Representatives Alexander, Angel, Blake, Buys, Carlyle, Chandler, Clibborn, Cody, Condotta, Dahlquist, DeBolt, Dunshee, Fagan, Farrell, Fey, Fitzgibbon, Freeman, Goodman, Green, Habib, Haigh, Haler, Hansen, Hargrove, Harris, Hawkins, Hayes, Holy, Hudgins, Hunt, Hunter, Hurst, Jinkins, Kagi, Kirby, Kochmar, Kretz, Kristiansen, Lytton, MacEwen, Magendanz, Manweller, Moeller, Morrell, Morris, Moscoso, Nealey, Orcutt, Ormsby, Orwall, Parker, Pedersen, Pettigrew, Pike, Pollet, Reykdal, Riccelli, Roberts, Ross, Santos, Schmick, Scott, Seaquist, Sells, Shea, Short, Smith, Springer, Stonier, Sullivan, Taylor, Tharinger, Upthegrove, Van De Wege, Vick, Walsh, Warnick, Wilcox, Wylie, Zeiger and Mr. Speaker.

Voting nay: Representatives Appleton, Bergquist, Klippert, Liias, Maxwell, McCoy, Overstreet, Ryu, Sawyer, Stanford and Tarleton.

Excused: Representatives Crouse, Hope, Johnson, Rodne and Takko.

ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1632, having received the necessary constitutional majority, was declared passed.

There being no objection, the House advanced to the seventh order of business.

#### THIRD READING

#### MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

6/28/2013

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1947 with the following amendment:

and the same is herewith transmitted.

Hunter Goodman, Secretary

#### SENATE AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL

There being no objection, the House concurred in the Senate amendment to ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1947 and advanced the bill as amended by the Senate to final passage.

#### FINAL PASSAGE OF HOUSE BILL AS SENATE AMENDED

Representatives Cody and Schmick spoke in favor of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker (Representative Moeller presiding) stated the question before the House to be the final passage of Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 1947, as amended by the Senate.

# ROLL CALL

The Clerk called the roll on the final passage of Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 1947, as amended by the Senate, and the bill passed the House by the following vote: Yeas, 68; Nays, 24; Absent, 0; Excused, 5.

Voting yea: Representatives Alexander, Angel, Appleton, Bergquist, Blake, Carlyle, Clibborn, Cody, Dahlquist, DeBolt, Dunshee, Fagan, Farrell, Fey, Fitzgibbon, Freeman, Goodman, Green, Habib, Haigh, Hansen, Harris, Hayes, Hudgins, Hunt, Hunter, Hurst, Jinkins, Kagi, Kirby, Kochmar, Liias, Lytton, Magendanz, Maxwell, McCoy, Moeller, Morrell, Morris, Moscoso, Nealey, Ormsby, Orwall, Pedersen, Pettigrew, Pollet, Reykdal, Riccelli, Roberts, Ryu, Santos, Sawyer, Schmick, Seaquist, Sells, Smith, Springer, Stanford, Stonier, Sullivan, Tarleton, Tharinger, Upthegrove, Van De Wege, Walsh, Wilcox, Wylie and Mr. Speaker.

Voting nay: Representatives Buys, Chandler, Condotta, Haler, Hargrove, Hawkins, Holy, Klippert, Kretz, Kristiansen, MacEwen, Manweller, Orcutt, Overstreet, Parker, Pike, Ross, Scott, Shea, Short, Taylor, Vick, Warnick and Zeiger.

Excused: Representatives Crouse, Hope, Johnson, Rodne and Takko.

ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1947, as amended by the Senate, having received the necessary constitutional majority, was declared passed.

#### MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

June 28, 2013

MR. SPEAKER:

The Senate has passed:

ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5882 and the same are herewith transmitted.

Hunter G. Goodman, Secretary

June 28, 2013

MR. SPEAKER:

The Senate has passed:

ENGROSSED SECOND SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1872 HOUSE BILL NO. 2079

and the same are herewith transmitted.

Hunter G. Goodman, Secretary

June 28, 2013

MR. SPEAKER:

The President has signed:

THIRD ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5034 SECOND ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5892 SENATE BILL NO. 5904

SENATE BILL NO. 5948

and the same are herewith transmitted.

Hunter G. Goodman, Secretary

June 28, 2013

MR. SPEAKER:

The Senate concurred in the House amendment(s) to the following bills and passed the bills as amended by the House:

SECOND ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5892 SENATE BILL NO. 5904

ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5946 and the same are herewith transmitted.

Hunter G. Goodman, Secretary

There being no objection, House Rule 13 (C) was suspended allowing the House to work past 10:00 p.m.

There being no objection, the House reverted to the fourth order of business.

#### INTRODUCTIONS AND FIRST READING

HB 2081 by Representative Carlyle

AN ACT Relating to tax preferences; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

HB 2082 by Representatives Zeiger and Kirby

AN ACT Relating to life insurance policies; adding a new section to chapter 48.23 RCW; and adding a new section to chapter 48.24 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Business & Financial Services.

HB 2083 by Representatives Klippert, Goodman, Smith, Morrell,
 Holy, Moscoso, Haler, Hurst, Manweller, Van De Wege,
 Fagan, Kochmar, Zeiger, Wilcox, Alexander,
 Magendanz, Warnick, Kretz and Hargrove

AN ACT Relating to probable cause for persons in violation of an impaired driving offense; and reenacting and amending RCW 10.31.100.

Referred to Committee on Public Safety.

HB 2084 by Representatives Klippert, Goodman, Smith, Morrell,
 Holy, Moscoso, Haler, Hurst, Manweller, Van De Wege,
 Hayes, Fagan, Vick, Zeiger, Kochmar, Wilcox,
 Alexander, Magendanz, Warnick, Kretz and Hargrove

AN ACT Relating to impaired driving offenses that constitute a felony offense; amending RCW 46.61.502 and 46.61.504; reenacting and amending RCW 46.61.5055; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Public Safety.

HB 2085 by Representatives Klippert, Goodman, Smith, Morrell,
 Holy, Moscoso, Haler, Hurst, Manweller, Hayes, Vick,
 Kochmar, Zeiger, Fagan, Wilcox, Alexander,
 Magendanz, Warnick, Kretz and Hargrove

AN ACT Relating to eliminating look back periods for impaired driving offenses; amending RCW 46.61.502 and 46.61.504; reenacting and amending RCW 46.61.5055; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Public Safety.

HB 2086 by Representatives Bergquist, Hawkins, Hunt, Walsh,
 Freeman, Manweller, Stonier, Riccelli, Kagi, Pollet,
 Zeiger, Tarleton, Orwall, Habib, Green, Cody, Morrell,
 Fey, Roberts and Smith

AN ACT Relating to smoking in motor vehicles carrying minors; amending RCW 46.63.110; adding a new section to chapter 46.61 RCW; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

There being no objection, the bills listed on the day's introduction sheet under the fourth order of business were referred to the committees so designated.

There being no objection, ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5882 was read the first time, and under suspension of the rules was placed on the second reading calendar.

There being no objection, the House advanced to the sixth order of business.

# SECOND READING

ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5882, by Senate Committee on Ways & Means (originally sponsored by Senator Hill)

# Relating to revenue. Revised for 1st Substitute: Creating, expanding, or extending tax preferences.

The bill was read the second time.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, the second reading considered the third and the bill was placed on final passage.

Representatives Carlyle and Nealey spoke in favor of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker (Representative Moeller presiding) stated the question before the House to be the final passage of Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 5882.

#### MOTIONS

On motion of Representative Harris, Representative DeBolt was excused.

#### **ROLL CALL**

The Clerk called the roll on the final passage of Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 5882, and the bill passed the House by the following vote: Yeas, 66; Nays, 25; Absent, 0; Excused, 6.

Voting yea: Representatives Alexander, Angel, Blake, Buys, Carlyle, Chandler, Clibborn, Condotta, Dahlquist, Dunshee, Fagan, Farrell, Fey, Fitzgibbon, Freeman, Goodman, Habib, Haigh, Haler, Hargrove, Harris, Hayes, Holy, Hunter, Hurst, Kirby, Klippert, Kochmar, Kretz, Kristiansen, Liias, MacEwen, Manweller, Maxwell, McCoy, Moeller, Morrell, Morris, Nealey, Orcutt,

Parker, Pettigrew, Pike, Reykdal, Ross, Santos, Sawyer, Schmick, Scott, Seaquist, Sells, Shea, Short, Smith, Springer, Sullivan, Tarleton, Taylor, Tharinger, Van De Wege, Vick, Walsh, Warnick, Wilcox, Zeiger and Mr. Speaker.

Voting nay: Representatives Appleton, Bergquist, Cody, Green, Hansen, Hawkins, Hudgins, Hunt, Jinkins, Kagi, Lytton, Magendanz, Moscoso, Ormsby, Orwall, Overstreet, Pedersen, Pollet, Riccelli, Roberts, Ryu, Stanford, Stonier, Upthegrove and Wylie.

Excused: Representatives Crouse, DeBolt, Hope, Johnson, Rodne and Takko.

ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5882, having received the necessary constitutional majority, was declared passed.

There being no objection, the House advanced to the eleventh order of business.

There being no objection, the House adjourned until 2:00 p.m., July 30, 2013, the 18th Day of the 2nd Special Session.

FRANK CHOPP, Speaker

BARBARA BAKER, Chief Clerk

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