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5 On page 6, beginning on line 14, strike all of section 9, and
6 insert the following:

7 "NEW SECTION. **Sec. 9.** A new section is added to chapter 46.20 RCW
8 to read as follows:

9 Beginning October 1, 2000, the federal illegal immigration control
10 act, P.L. 104-208, requires states to either place drivers' social
11 security numbers on the face of their licenses, or to complete a social
12 security verification process. The legislature finds that requiring
13 the placement of social security numbers on drivers' licenses means
14 that whenever someone shows his or her driver's license, the person
15 will also be exposing his or her social security number. With the
16 social security number accessible to so many people, it will be
17 relatively easy for someone to fraudulently use another's social
18 security number to assume that person's identity and gain access to
19 bank accounts, credit services, billing information, driving history,
20 and other sources of personal information. The new federal law will
21 compound and exacerbate the disturbing trend of social security number-
22 related fraud. In order to prevent fraud and curtail invasions of
23 privacy, the governor, through the department of licensing, shall seek
24 a waiver to the federal mandate. If a waiver is not granted, the
25 department shall rely only upon the verification process proscribed in
26 the federal law. In no event may the social security number be placed
27 on the driver's license or identicard. Additionally, the department
28 shall not maintain a record of applicant or licensee social security
29 numbers in its computer data bases."

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