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SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 6182

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By Senate Committee on Education (originally sponsored by Senators Talmadge and Bailey)

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to the protection of students in kindergarten
- 2 through twelfth grades; amending RCW 28A.635.020; and prescribing
- 3 penalties.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 5 **Sec. 1.** RCW 28A.635.020 and 1981 c 36 s 1 are each amended to read
- 6 as follows:
- 7 (1) It shall be unlawful for any person to willfully disobey the
- 8 order of the chief administrative officer of a public school district,
- 9 or of an authorized designee of any such administrator, to leave any
- 10 motor vehicle, building, grounds or other property which is owned,
- 11 operated or controlled by the school district or approved private
- 12 <u>school</u> if the person so ordered is under the influence of alcohol or
- 13 drugs, or is committing, threatens to imminently commit or incites
- 14 another to imminently commit any act which would disturb or interfere

- 1 with or obstruct any lawful task, function, process or procedure of the
- 2 school district or approved private school or any lawful task,
- 3 function, process or procedure of any student, official, employee or
- 4 invitee of the school district or approved private school. The order
- 5 of a school officer or designee acting pursuant to this subsection
- 6 shall be valid if the officer or designee reasonably believes a person
- 7 ordered to leave is under the influence of alcohol or drugs, is
- 8 committing acts, or is creating a disturbance as provided in this
- 9 subsection.
- 10 (2) It shall be unlawful for any person to refuse to leave public
- 11 property immediately adjacent to a building, grounds or property which
- 12 is owned, operated or controlled by a school district or approved
- 13 private school when ordered to do so by a law enforcement officer if
- 14 such person is engaging in conduct which creates a substantial risk of
- 15 causing injury to any person, or substantial harm to property, or such
- 16 conduct amounts to disorderly conduct under RCW 9A.84.030.
- 17 (3) It shall be unlawful for any person to interfere with school
- 18 activities. Interfering with school activities means conduct committed
- 19 while school is in session and the person is on public premises
- 20 <u>adjacent to or on the grounds of any public or approved private school</u>
- 21 and the person:
- 22 (a) Makes any noise or diversion that disturbs or tends to disturb
- 23 the peace or good order of a school session or a class or a school
- 24 session and the person is requested to leave by a school authority; or
- 25 (b) Fails to leave the premises or immediate vicinity of the public
- 26 or approved private school while the school is in session at the
- 27 request of a school authority if the person is committing, threatens to
- 28 commit, or is initiating the commission by another of an act that would
- 29 <u>disrupt</u>, <u>impair</u>, <u>interfere with</u>, <u>or obstruct the lawful mission</u>,

- 1 process, procedures, or functions of the public or approved private
- 2 school.
- 3 (4) Nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit or
- 4 penalize activity consisting of the lawful exercise of freedom of
- 5 speech, freedom of press and the right to peaceably assemble and
- 6 petition the government for a redress of grievances: PROVIDED, That
- 7 such activity neither does or threatens imminently to materially
- 8 disturb or interfere with or obstruct any lawful task, function,
- 9 process or procedure of the school district, or any lawful task,
- 10 function, process or procedure of any student, official, employee or
- 11 invitee of the school district: PROVIDED FURTHER, That such activity
- 12 is not conducted in violation of a prohibition or limitation lawfully
- 13 imposed by the school district upon entry or use of any motor vehicle,
- 14 building, grounds or other property which is owned, operated or
- 15 controlled by the school district.
- 16 (((4))) (5) Any person guilty of violating this section shall be
- 17 deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction therefor, shall be
- 18 fined not more than five hundred dollars, or imprisoned in jail for not
- 19 more than six months or both so fined and imprisoned.