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By Senators Schow, Hochstatter, Zarelli, Stevens, Strannigan,
Rasmussen, Deccio, Benton, Roach, Horn and Winsley

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1 AN ACT Relating to disclosure of students' social security numbers;
2 and adding a new section to chapter 28A.320 RCW.

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

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 28A.320
5 RCW to read as follows:

6 (1) Any public school or public school district that requests the
7 disclosure of a student's federal social security number shall inform
8 the parent or legal guardian of the student and when appropriate, the
9 student, of the following:

10 (a) Disclosure of a student's social security number to a public
11 school or public school district is optional;

12 (b) The statute or other authority that authorizes the public
13 school or the public school district to request the student's federal
14 social security number;

15 (c) How the student's social security number will be used by the
16 public school or the public school district; and

17 (d) What the consequences are for not providing the student's
18 federal social security number.

1 (2) It is unlawful for any public school or public school district
2 to deny a student any right, benefit, or privilege provided by law
3 because the student or the student's parent or legal guardian refuses
4 to disclose the student's federal social security number.

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