
SENATE BILL 6647

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By Senators Heavey, Sheahan, Eide, Kline, Haugen, McCaslin and Johnson

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1 AN ACT Relating to requiring new courts to report their
2 establishment to the supreme court; and amending RCW 3.50.060.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 3.50.060 and 1984 c 258 s 108 are each amended to read
5 as follows:

6 (1) A city or town electing to establish a municipal court pursuant
7 to this chapter may terminate such court by adoption of an appropriate
8 ordinance. However no municipal court may be terminated unless the
9 municipality has complied with RCW 3.50.805, 35.22.425, 35.23.595,
10 ~~((35.24.455))~~ 35.23.555, 35.27.515, 35.30.100, and 35A.11.200.

11 (2) A city or town newly establishing a municipal court pursuant to
12 this chapter shall do so by adoption of an appropriate ordinance on or
13 before December 1 of any year, to take effect January 1 of the
14 following year. Within thirty days of establishing a new court, the
15 city or county shall provide written notice of the new court's
16 existence to the supreme court.

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