
HOUSE BILL 2972

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By Representatives Benson, Clements, Lisk, Ahern, Mulliken, Talcott, Morell, Pearson, Bush, Cox, Nixon, Esser, Holmquist, Delvin and Ericksen

Read first time . Referred to Committee on .

1 AN ACT Relating to contributions to candidates for governor; adding
2 a new section to chapter 41.06 RCW; and prescribing penalties.

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

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 41.06 RCW
5 to read as follows:

6 (1) No exclusive bargaining representative certified to represent
7 the employees of a bargaining unit shall directly or indirectly pay or
8 use, or offer, consent, or agree to pay or use any money or thing of
9 value for or in aid of any candidate for the office of governor; nor
10 for reimbursement or indemnification of any person for money or
11 property so used.

12 (2) Any individual who violates any provision of this section, or
13 who participates in, aids, abets, advises, or consents to any such
14 violation, or who solicits or knowingly receives any money or thing of
15 value in violation of this section, shall be guilty of a gross
16 misdemeanor and is liable to the exclusive bargaining representative
17 for the amount so contributed or received.

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