

1 **SB 5156** - H COMM AMD **ADOPTED 4/11/03**
2 By Committee on State Government

3 Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the
4 following:

5 "Sec. 1. RCW 41.04.033 and 2002 c 61 s 4 are each amended to
6 read as follows:

7 The director of the department of personnel is authorized to
8 adopt rules, after consultation with state agencies, institutions
9 of higher education, and employee organizations, to create a
10 Washington state combined fund drive committee and for the
11 operation of the Washington state combined fund drive.

12 NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. A new section is added to chapter 41.04
13 RCW to read as follows:

14 The Washington state combined fund drive's powers and duties
15 include but are not limited to the following:

16 (1) Raising money for charity, and reducing the disruption to
17 government caused by multiple fund drives;

18 (2) Establishing criteria by which a public or private
19 nonprofit organization may participate in the combined fund drive;

20 (3) Engaging in or encouraging fund-raising activities
21 including the solicitation and acceptance of charitable gifts,
22 grants, and donations from state employees, retired public
23 employees, corporations, foundations, and other individuals for the
24 benefit of the beneficiaries of the Washington state combined fund
25 drive;

26 (4) Requesting the appointment of employees from state agencies
27 and institutions of higher education to lead and manage workplace
28 charitable giving campaigns within state government;

1 (5) Engaging in educational activities, including classes,
2 exhibits, seminars, workshops, and conferences, related to the
3 basic purpose of the combined fund drive;

4 (6) Engaging in appropriate fund-raising and advertising
5 activities for the support of the administrative duties of the
6 Washington state combined fund drive; and

7 (7) Charging an administrative fee to the beneficiaries of the
8 Washington state combined fund drive to fund the administrative
9 duties of the Washington state combined fund drive.

10 Activities of the Washington state combined fund drive shall
11 not result in direct commercial solicitation of state employees, or
12 a benefit or advantage that would violate one or more provisions of
13 chapter 42.52 RCW. This section does not authorize individual
14 state agencies to enter into contracts or partnerships unless
15 otherwise authorized by law.

16 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 3.** A new section is added to chapter 41.04
17 RCW to read as follows:

18 The Washington state combined fund drive committee may enter
19 into contracts and partnerships with private institutions, persons,
20 firms, or corporations for the benefit of the beneficiaries of the
21 Washington state combined fund drive. Activities of the Washington
22 state combined fund drive shall not result in direct commercial
23 solicitation of state employees, or a benefit or advantage that
24 would violate one or more provisions of chapter 42.52 RCW. This
25 section does not authorize individual state agencies to enter into
26 contracts or partnerships unless otherwise authorized by law."

27 Correct the title.

EFFECT: Clarifies that the Washington state combined fund
drive (CFD) committee may be established in rule. States that
activities of the CFD shall not result in direct commercial
solicitation of state employees, or a benefit or advantage that
would violate the state ethics laws. Clarifies that the
statutes authorizing the CFD do not authorize individual state
agencies to enter into contracts or partnerships unless
otherwise authorized by law.