

5953-S

Sponsor(s): Senate Committee on Highways & Transportation
(originally sponsored by Senators Finkbeiner, Esser, Horn, Stevens,
Rossi and Honeyford)

Brief Description: Penalizing disruption of traffic by pedestrians.

SB 5953-S - DIGEST

(NOT SUBSTITUTED FOR - SEE ORIGINAL BILL)

Declares that pedestrians may not intentionally impede, or otherwise disrupt, the flow of traffic on a highway that has been designated, in whole or in part, as a highway of statewide significance.

Makes a violation of this provision a gross misdemeanor punishable under RCW 9A.20.021.

Declares that nothing in this act prohibits the filing, at any time, of a cause of action for damages resulting from the disruption of traffic caused by a pedestrian or pedestrians.