
HOUSE BILL 1614

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By Representatives Green, Talcott, Conway and Darneille

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1 AN ACT Relating to correctional programs, facilities, and
2 institutions on the grounds of a state hospital; adding a new section
3 to chapter 72.09 RCW; and declaring an emergency.

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

5 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 72.09 RCW
6 to read as follows:

7 A program, facility, or institution operated by the department of
8 corrections, or pursuant to a contract with the department of
9 corrections, that serves violent offenders, including but not limited
10 to facilities sited under RCW 72.65.220, may not be located or operated
11 on the grounds of a state hospital as designated under chapter 72.23
12 RCW. This section does not apply to a program, facility, or
13 institution located or operated on the grounds of a state hospital on
14 the effective date of this act.

15 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** This act is necessary for the immediate
16 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the

1 state government and its existing public institutions, and takes effect
2 immediately.

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