
SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 6441

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By Senate Committee on Judiciary (originally sponsored by Senators Johnson and Kline)

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1 AN ACT Relating to judicial orders concerning distraint of personal
2 property; and adding a new section to chapter 84.56 RCW.

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

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 84.56 RCW
5 to read as follows:

6 (1) When there is probable cause to believe that there is property
7 within the county subject to distraint pursuant to RCW 84.56.070 or
8 84.56.090, any judge of the superior court or district court in the
9 county in which such property is located may, upon the request of the
10 county treasurer or their deputy, issue a warrant directed to the
11 county treasurer or their deputy commanding the search for and seizure
12 of the property described in the request for warrant at the place or
13 places described in the request for warrant.

14 (2) The procedure for the issuance and execution and return of the
15 warrant authorized by this section and for return of any property
16 seized shall be the criminal rules of the superior court and the
17 district court.

18 (3) Property seized under this section shall be disposed of as
19 provided in RCW 84.56.070 or 84.56.090.

1 (4) This section does not require the application for or issuance
2 of any warrant not otherwise required by law.

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