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1 AN ACT Relating to student involvement in higher education
2 governance; and adding a new section to chapter 28B.10 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 28B.10 RCW
5 to read as follows:

6 Students at each institution of higher education shall be active
7 participants in the immediate governance of and policy development of
8 their respective institutions of higher education. The undergraduate
9 and graduate student governments at each respective institution of
10 higher education are the entities through which student participation
11 occurs. Any governance responsibility and authority, and any policy
12 development, is subject to the authority of the respective governing
13 bodies of the institutions of higher education.

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