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1            AN ACT Relating to digital copies of public employees' collective  
2 bargaining agreements; adding a new section to chapter 41.56 RCW;  
3 adding a new section to chapter 41.80 RCW; adding a new section to  
4 chapter 41.76 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 41.59 RCW; adding a  
5 new section to chapter 49.39 RCW; adding a new section to chapter  
6 28B.52 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 47.64 RCW; adding a new  
7 section to chapter 49.66 RCW; and adding a new section to chapter 41.58  
8 RCW.

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

10            NEW SECTION.    **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 41.56 RCW  
11 to read as follows:

12            Bargaining representatives representing public employees under this  
13 chapter shall submit a digital copy of their collective bargaining  
14 agreement to the commission within thirty days of the effective date of  
15 the collective bargaining agreement.

16            NEW SECTION.    **Sec. 2.** A new section is added to chapter 41.80 RCW  
17 to read as follows:

18            Employee organizations representing public employees under this

1 chapter shall submit a digital copy of their collective bargaining  
2 agreement to the commission within thirty days of the effective date of  
3 the collective bargaining agreement.

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 3.** A new section is added to chapter 41.76 RCW  
5 to read as follows:

6 Employee organizations representing faculty public employees under  
7 this chapter shall submit a digital copy of their collective bargaining  
8 agreement to the commission within thirty days of the effective date of  
9 the collective bargaining agreement.

10 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 4.** A new section is added to chapter 41.59 RCW  
11 to read as follows:

12 Employee organizations representing educational public employees  
13 under this chapter shall submit a digital copy of their collective  
14 bargaining agreement to the commission within thirty days of the  
15 effective date of the collective bargaining agreement.

16 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 5.** A new section is added to chapter 49.39 RCW  
17 to read as follows:

18 Labor unions representing symphony musicians under this chapter  
19 shall submit a digital copy of their collective bargaining agreement to  
20 the commission within thirty days of the effective date of the  
21 collective bargaining agreement.

22 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 6.** A new section is added to chapter 28B.52 RCW  
23 to read as follows:

24 Employee organizations representing academic employees under this  
25 chapter shall submit a digital copy of their collective bargaining  
26 agreement to the commission within thirty days of the effective date of  
27 the collective bargaining agreement.

28 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 7.** A new section is added to chapter 47.64 RCW  
29 to read as follows:

30 Ferry employee organizations representing ferry employees under  
31 this chapter shall submit a digital copy of their collective bargaining  
32 agreement to the commission within thirty days of the effective date of  
33 the collective bargaining agreement.

1        NEW SECTION.   **Sec. 8.**   A new section is added to chapter 49.66 RCW  
2   to read as follows:

3        Employee organizations representing employees under this chapter  
4   shall submit a digital copy of their collective bargaining agreement to  
5   the department within thirty days of the effective date of the  
6   collective bargaining agreement.   The department shall maintain a web  
7   site that allows the public to view and download the collective  
8   bargaining agreements submitted by labor unions pursuant to this  
9   section.   The collective bargaining agreements shall be available in a  
10   uniform digital format.   Expired collective bargaining agreements shall  
11   be available on the web site for up to ten years following expiration.

12       NEW SECTION.   **Sec. 9.**   A new section is added to chapter 41.58 RCW  
13   to read as follows:

14       The commission shall maintain a web site that allows the public to  
15   view and download the collective bargaining agreements submitted by  
16   labor unions pursuant to this act.   The collective bargaining  
17   agreements shall be available in a uniform digital format.   Expired  
18   collective bargaining agreements shall be available on the web site for  
19   up to ten years following expiration.

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