
SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 6526

State of Washington 65th Legislature 2018 Regular Session

By Senate Labor & Commerce (originally sponsored by Senators Conway, Keiser, Hasegawa, Saldaña, and Kuderer)

READ FIRST TIME 02/02/18.

1 AN ACT Relating to noncompetition agreements; and adding a new
2 section to chapter 49.44 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 49.44
5 RCW to read as follows:

6 Any contract that restrains an hourly employee from engaging in a
7 lawful profession, trade, or business of any kind is against public
8 policy and is void and unenforceable to the extent that it restrains
9 a person from engaging in a lawful profession, trade, or business.

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