

SSB 6605 - H COMM AMD

By Committee on Consumer Protection & Business

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the
2 following:

3 **"Sec. 1.** RCW 18.170.040 and 1991 c 334 s 4 are each amended to
4 read as follows:

5 (1) An applicant must meet the following minimum requirements to
6 obtain an armed private security guard license:

7 (a) Be licensed as a private security guard;

8 (b) Be at least twenty-one years of age;

9 (c) Have a current firearms certificate issued by the commission;

10 and

11 (d) Pay the fee established by the director, which must be
12 clearly itemized on each application and renewal form.

13 (2) An armed private security guard license may take the form of
14 an endorsement to the security guard license if deemed appropriate by
15 the director.

16 **Sec. 2.** RCW 18.170.130 and 1995 c 277 s 10 are each amended to
17 read as follows:

18 (1) Applications for licenses required under this chapter shall
19 be filed with the director on a form provided by the director. The
20 director may require any information and documentation that
21 reasonably relates to the need to determine whether the applicant
22 meets the criteria.

23 (2) After receipt of an application for ((a—license)) licensure
24 or renewal, the director shall conduct an investigation to determine
25 whether the facts set forth in the application are true and shall
26 request that the Washington state patrol compare the fingerprints
27 submitted with the application to fingerprint records available to
28 the Washington state patrol. The Washington state patrol shall
29 forward the fingerprints of applicants for an armed private security
30 guard license to the federal bureau of investigation for a national
31 criminal history records check. The director may require that

1 fingerprint cards of licensees be periodically reprocessed to
2 identify criminal convictions subsequent to registration.

3 (3) The director shall solicit comments from the chief law
4 enforcement officer of the county and city or town in which the
5 applicant's employer is located on issuance of a permanent private
6 security guard license.

7 (4) A summary of the information acquired under this section, to
8 the extent that it is public information, shall be forwarded by the
9 department to the applicant's employer.

10 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 3.** This act takes effect January 1, 2021."

11 Correct the title.

EFFECT: Changes the effective date to January 1, 2021.

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