## HOUSE BILL 1142

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to the questioning of students regarding personal
- 2 beliefs and practices; and adding a new section to chapter 28A.600 RCW.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 4 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 28A.600 5 RCW to read as follows:
- 6 A school district employee or other individual under the auspices
- 7 of a school district may not require a student to submit to a survey,
- 8 test, questionnaire, or examination that elicits the personal beliefs
- 9 or practices of a student or the student's parents or guardians as to
- 10 sex, religion, political affiliations, or mental or psychological
- 11 treatment, unless prior written consent has been obtained from a parent
- 12 or guardian of the student. If the student is emancipated or an adult,
- 13 the prior written consent shall be obtained from the student.

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