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SENATE BILL 6508

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By Senators Prentice, Schow, Haugen and Heavey

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to seat licenses in publicly owned or operated
- 2 stadia; adding a new section to chapter 36.100 RCW; and declaring an
- 3 emergency.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 5 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 36.100 RCW 6 to read as follows:
- 7 (1) No professional sports team that plays in a stadium that is
- 8 owned or operated by a public facility district may require the
- 9 purchase of a seat license in the stadium as a condition for the
- 10 purchase of any ticket.
- 11 (2) For the purposes of this section, "seat license" means a
- 12 transferable license sold to a third party that entitles that party to
- 13 purchase a ticket.
- 14 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 2.** This act is necessary for the immediate
- 15 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the

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- 1 state government and its existing public institutions, and takes effect
- 2 immediately.

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