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## SENATE BILL 5557

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to the admissibility into evidence of a refusal
- 2 to submit to a test of alcohol or drug concentration; and amending
- 3 RCW 46.61.517.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 5 **Sec. 1.** RCW 46.61.517 and 1987 c 373 s 5 are each amended to read 6 as follows:
- 7 The refusal of a person to submit to a test of the ((alcoholic
- 8 content of)) alcohol or drug concentration in the person's blood
- 9 or breath under RCW 46.20.308 is admissible into evidence at a
- 10 subsequent criminal trial.

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