

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SENATE BILL 5604

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LIQUOR CONTROL BOARD--CONTROLLED PURCHASE PROGRAM

EFFECTIVE DATE: 7/22/01

Passed by the Senate April 17, 2001
YEAS 47 NAYS 0

BRAD OWEN
President of the Senate

Passed by the House April 12, 2001
YEAS 96 NAYS 0

FRANK CHOPP
**Speaker of the
House of Representatives**

CLYDE BALLARD
**Speaker of the
House of Representatives**

Approved May 14, 2001

GARY LOCKE
Governor of the State of Washington

CERTIFICATE

I, Tony M. Cook, Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SENATE BILL 5604** as passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth.

TONY M. COOK
Secretary

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**Secretary of State
State of Washington**

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AS AMENDED BY THE HOUSE

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By Senators Spanel and Gardner

Read first time 01/29/2001. Referred to Committee on Labor, Commerce & Financial Institutions.

1 AN ACT Relating to allowing the liquor control board to authorize
2 controlled purchase programs; and amending RCW 66.44.290.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 66.44.290 and 1965 c 49 s 1 are each amended to read
5 as follows:

6 (1) Every person under the age of twenty-one years who purchases or
7 attempts to purchase liquor shall be guilty of a violation of this
8 title. This section does not apply to persons between the ages of
9 eighteen and twenty-one years who are participating in a controlled
10 purchase program authorized by the liquor control board under rules
11 adopted by the board. Violations occurring under a private, controlled
12 purchase program authorized by the liquor control board may not be used
13 for criminal or administrative prosecution.

14 (2) An employer who conducts an in-house controlled purchase
15 program authorized under this section shall provide his or her
16 employees a written description of the employer's in-house controlled
17 purchase program. The written description must include notice of
18 actions an employer may take as a consequence of an employee's failure

1 to comply with company policies regarding the sale of alcohol during an
2 in-house controlled purchase.

3 (3) An in-house controlled purchase program authorized under this
4 section shall be for the purposes of employee training and employer
5 self-compliance checks. An employer may not terminate an employee
6 solely for a first-time failure to comply with company policies
7 regarding the sale of alcohol during an in-house controlled purchase
8 program authorized under this section.

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