

# FINAL BILL REPORT

## HB 1232

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Synopsis as Enacted

**Brief Description:** Clarifying the ability of Washington state patrol officers to engage in private law enforcement off-duty employment in plainclothes for private benefit.

**Sponsors:** By Representatives O'Brien, Pearson, Morrell, Lantz, Lovick, Wood, McCune, Wallace and Condotta.

**House Committee on Criminal Justice & Corrections**  
**Senate Committee on Transportation**

#### **Background:**

The Washington State Patrol (WSP) officers may engage in private law enforcement off-duty employment in uniform for private benefit, subject to guidelines adopted by the Chief of the WSP.

#### **Summary:**

The WSP officers continue to have permission to engage in private law enforcement off-duty employment in uniform for private benefit, and are now expressly granted permission to engage in similar employment while in plainclothes. Whether in uniform or in plainclothes, this activity is subject to guidelines adopted by the Chief of the WSP.

#### **Votes on Final Passage:**

House	97	0
Senate	49	0