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**SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5636**

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**State of Washington                      61st Legislature                      2009 Regular Session**

**By** Senate Government Operations & Elections (originally sponsored by Senators Swecker, Hobbs, Haugen, Morton, Benton, Honeyford, Stevens, McCaslin, and Roach)

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1            AN ACT Relating to the creation of a trust account on behalf of the  
2 Washington wing of the civil air patrol; adding new sections to chapter  
3 43.43 RCW; and creating a new section.

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

5            NEW SECTION.    **Sec. 1.**    The legislature finds that the Washington  
6 wing of the civil air patrol is uniquely suited to assist the state in  
7 providing air search, rescue, and emergency services including response  
8 to emergency missions.    The legislature further finds that the  
9 Washington wing of the civil air patrol is a nonprofit, federally  
10 chartered private corporation which is the auxiliary of the United  
11 States air force and is engaged in cooperation with the national,  
12 state, and local emergency services.

13            NEW SECTION.    **Sec. 2.**    A new section is added to chapter 43.43 RCW  
14 to read as follows:

15            (1) The Washington state patrol may receive gifts, grants, or  
16 endowments from public or private sources that are made from time to  
17 time, in trust or otherwise, for the use and benefit of the purposes of  
18 the Washington wing of the civil air patrol.

1           (2) The chief of the Washington state patrol or the chief's  
2 designee shall deposit moneys received under subsection (1) of this  
3 section into the Washington wing of the civil air patrol account  
4 created in section 3 of this act.

5           (3) The chief of Washington state patrol or the chief's designee  
6 shall disperse the donated funds to the Washington wing of the civil  
7 air patrol for the following purposes: Equipment purchase, conduct of  
8 search and rescue missions, and training and education.

9           NEW SECTION.   **Sec. 3.** A new section is added to chapter 43.43 RCW  
10 to read as follows:

11           The Washington wing of the civil air patrol account is created in  
12 the custody of the state treasurer. All receipts from public and  
13 private contributions to the Washington wing of the civil air patrol  
14 must be deposited into the account. Expenditures from the account may  
15 be used only for the purposes of section 2 of this act. Only the chief  
16 of the Washington state patrol or the chief's designee may authorize  
17 expenditures from the account. The account is subject to allotment  
18 procedures under chapter 43.88 RCW, but an appropriation is not  
19 required for expenditures.

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