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1 On page 2, line 35, after "participant" insert "or election
2 official"

3 On page 2, line 36, after "duties" insert "or election official's
4 official duties"

5 On page 2, line 38, after "participant" insert "or election
6 official"

7 On page 3, line 1, after "participant" insert "or election
8 official"

9 On page 3, line 2, after "duties" insert "or election official's
10 official duties"

11 On page 3, line 7, after "participant" insert "or election
12 official"

13 On page 3, line 9, after "participant" insert "or election
14 official"

15 On page 3, line 11, after "participant" insert "or election
16 official"

17 On page 3, line 13, after "participant" insert "or election
18 official"

19 On page 3, line 29, after "(5)" insert "For the purposes of this
20 section, an election official includes any staff member of the office
21 of the secretary of state or staff member of the county auditor's
22 office, regardless of whether the member is employed on a temporary
23 or part-time basis, whose duties relate to voter registration or the
24 processing of votes as provided in Title 29A RCW.

25 (6)"

1 Renumber the remaining subsections consecutively and correct any
2 internal references accordingly.

3 On page 8, line 17, after "11.88.010," strike "and" and insert
4 "~~(and)~~"

5 On page 8, line 17, after "(b)" insert "any election official as
6 described in RCW 9.61.260 (as recodified by this act) who is a target
7 for threats or harassment prohibited under RCW 9.61.260 (as
8 recodified by this act) or 9A.46.020(2)(c) (section 1(2)(c),
9 chapter . . . (Substitute Senate Bill No. 5148), Laws of 2022), and
10 (c)"

11 Correct any internal references accordingly.

12 On page 8, line 20, after "(iv)" insert "or (c) (section 1(2)(c),
13 chapter . . . (Substitute Senate Bill No. 5148), Laws of 2022)"

14 On page 8, line 32, after "made;" strike "or" and insert "~~(or)~~"

15 On page 8, line 32, after "(B)" insert "that the applicant, as an
16 election official as described in RCW 9.61.260 (as recodified by this
17 act), is a target for threats or harassment prohibited under RCW
18 9.61.260 (as recodified by this act) or 9A.46.020(2)(c) (section
19 1(2)(c), chapter . . . (Substitute Senate Bill No. 5148), Laws of
20 2022); or (C)"

21 Correct any internal references accordingly.

22 On page 8, line 36, after "(iv)" insert "or (c) (section 1(2)(c),
23 chapter . . . (Substitute Senate Bill No. 5148), Laws of 2022)"

24 On page 9, line 4, after "(iv)" insert "or (c) (section 1(2)(c),
25 chapter . . . (Substitute Senate Bill No. 5148), Laws of 2022)"

26 On page 9, line 13, after "(iv)" insert "or (c) (section 1(2)(c),
27 chapter . . . (Substitute Senate Bill No. 5148), Laws of 2022)"

28 On page 10, line 19, after "made," strike "or" and insert
29 "~~(or)~~"

30 On page 10, line 19, after "(b)" insert "the safety of any
31 election official as described in RCW 9.61.260 (as recodified by this
32 act) who is a target for threats or harassment prohibited under RCW

1 9.61.260 (as recodified by this act) or 9A.46.020(2)(c) (section
2 1(2)(c), chapter . . . (Substitute Senate Bill No. 5148), Laws of
3 2022), or (c)"

4 Correct any internal references accordingly.

5 On page 10, line 22, after "(iv)" insert "or (c) (section
6 1(2)(c), chapter . . . (Substitute Senate Bill No. 5148), Laws of
7 2022)."

EFFECT: Expands the crime of cyber harassment to election officials who are performing their official duties at the time the threat is made or because of an action taken or decision made by the election officials. Allows election officials and their families to be eligible for the address confidentiality program if election officials are the targets of threats or harassment.

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