

2 SSB 6157 - S Amd  
3 By Senator Oke

4 Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the following:

5 "Sec. 1. RCW 9.41.280 and 1989 c 219 s 1 are each amended to read  
6 as follows:

7 (1) It is unlawful for ~~((an elementary or secondary school student  
8 under the age of twenty-one knowingly))~~ a person to carry onto public  
9 or private elementary or secondary school premises:

10 (a) ~~((Any firearm; or~~

11 ~~(b)))~~ Any dangerous weapon as defined in RCW 9.41.250; or

12 ~~((+e)))~~ (b) Any device commonly known as "nun-chu-ka sticks",  
13 consisting of two or more lengths of wood, metal, plastic, or similar  
14 substance connected with wire, rope, or other means; or

15 ~~((+d)))~~ (c) Any device, commonly known as "throwing stars", which  
16 are multi-pointed, metal objects designed to embed upon impact from any  
17 aspect; or

18 ~~((+e)))~~ (d) Any air gun, including any air pistol or air rifle,  
19 designed to propel a BB, pellet, or other projectile by the discharge  
20 of compressed air, carbon dioxide, or other gas.

21 (2) It is unlawful for any person to carry any firearm into a  
22 public or private elementary or secondary school building.

23 (3) It is unlawful for any person to carry any firearm onto public  
24 or private elementary or secondary school grounds outside of school  
25 buildings.

26 (4) It is unlawful for an elementary or secondary school student  
27 under the age of twenty-one to knowingly carry onto public or private  
28 elementary or secondary school premises any firearm.

1       (5) Any such ~~((student))~~ person violating subsection (1), (2), or  
2 (3), or (4) of this section is guilty of a gross misdemeanor.

3       Any violation of subsection (1), (2), (3), or (4) of this section  
4 by elementary or secondary school students constitutes grounds for  
5 expulsion.

6       ~~((3))~~ (6) Subsection (1), (2), (3), and (4) of this section  
7 ~~((does))~~ do not apply to:

8       (a) Any student or employee of a private military academy; or

9       (b) Any ~~((student))~~ person engaged in military, law enforcement, or  
10 security activities~~((, sponsored by the federal or state governments))~~  
11 while engaged in official duties; or

12       (c) Any ~~((student))~~ person who is ~~((attending))~~ involved in a  
13 convention, showing, demonstration, lecture, or firearms safety course  
14 authorized by school authorities in which the firearms of collectors or  
15 instructors are handled or displayed; or

16       (d) Any ~~((student))~~ person who possesses nun-chu-ka sticks,  
17 throwing stars, or other dangerous weapons to be used in martial arts  
18 classes conducted on the school premises; or

19       (e) Any ~~((student))~~ person while the ~~((student))~~ person is  
20 participating in a firearms or air gun competition approved by the  
21 school or school district.

22       (f) Any person legally in possession of an unloaded firearm or  
23 other dangerous weapon within an attended vehicle or concealed from  
24 view within a locked unattended vehicle.

25       (7) In addition to the exemptions under subsection (6) of this  
26 section, subsection (2) of this section does not apply to any person  
27 licensed under RCW 9.41.070 who is authorized by school authorities to  
28 carry a firearm and is carrying the firearm covered by the permit.

29       (8) In addition to the exemptions under subsection (6) of this  
30 section, subsection (3) of this section does not apply to any person

1 licensed pursuant to RCW 9.41.070 while carrying the firearm covered by  
2 the permit."