
SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5520

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By Senate Committee on Commerce & Labor (originally sponsored by Senators Newhouse, Jesernig, Murray, Matson, Skratek, Vognild, Bluechel, McCaslin, West, Hayner, Stratton, Patterson, Gaspard, Rinehart, Bauer and Saling).

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1 AN ACT Relating to shipments of wine; adding new sections to
2 chapter 66.12 RCW; and prescribing penalties.

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

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** Notwithstanding any other provision of
5 Title 66 RCW, the holder of a license to manufacture wine in a state
6 which affords holders of a Washington license issued under RCW
7 66.24.170 an equal reciprocal shipping privilege, may ship for personal
8 use and not for resale not more than two cases of wine of its own
9 manufacture per year, with each case containing not more than nine
10 liters, to any state resident twenty-one years of age or older. Out-
11 of-state wine manufacturers that are authorized to ship wine pursuant
12 to sections 1 through 4 of this act shall first obtain a license from
13 the Washington state liquor control board under procedures prescribed
14 by rule of the board, before shipping wine into Washington. Delivery

1 of a shipment under this section shall not be deemed to constitute a
2 sale in this state.

3 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** The shipping container of any wine sent
4 into or out of this state under section 1 of this act shall be clearly
5 labeled to indicate that the package cannot be delivered to a person
6 under twenty-one years of age or to an intoxicated person.

7 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 3.** Pickup, delivery, or acceptance of any
8 container of wine, by a person, that is shipped into this state to a
9 person from a person who is not licensed as provided in section 1 of
10 this act, shall constitute a civil violation and be subject to the
11 penalties imposed by chapter 66.44 RCW.

12 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 4.** A license issued under section 1 of this
13 act to a wine manufacturer, shipper, or person located outside this
14 state who, within this state, advertises for or solicits consumers to
15 engage in interstate reciprocal wine shipment under sections 1 through
16 4 of this act shall be revoked.

17 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 5.** Sections 1 through 4 of this act are
18 each added to chapter 66.12 RCW.