

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT  
**SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1919**

Chapter 217, Laws of 1991

52nd Legislature  
1991 Regular Session

DRIVER EDUCATION--ALCOHOL AND DRUG USE INSTRUCTION REQUIRED

EFFECTIVE DATE: 7/28/91

Passed by the House March 19, 1991  
Yeas 98 Nays 0

JOE KING  
**Speaker of the  
House of Representatives**

Passed by the Senate April 12, 1991  
Yeas 39 Nays 0

JOEL PRITCHARD  
**President of the Senate**

Approved May 16, 1991

BOOTH GARDNER  
**Governor of the State of Washington**

CERTIFICATE

I, Alan Thompson, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1919** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

ALAN THOMPSON  
**Chief Clerk**

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May 16, 1991 - 10:38 a.m.

Secretary of State  
State of Washington



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AS AMENDED BY THE SENATE

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**By** House Committee on Financial Institutions & Insurance (originally sponsored by Representatives Valle, Dellwo, Sprenkle, Scott, Winsley, Prentice, Rasmussen, Bowman and Leonard).

Read first time March 6, 1991.

1            AN ACT Relating to motor vehicle insurance and safety courses;  
2 amending RCW 28A.220.900 and 46.82.420; and adding a new section to  
3 chapter 28A.220 RCW.

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

5            **Sec. 1.** RCW 28A.220.900 and 1969 ex.s. c 218 s 7 are each amended  
6 to read as follows:

7            It is the purpose of this act to provide the financial assistance  
8 necessary to enable each high school district to offer a course in  
9 traffic safety education and by that means to develop in the youth of  
10 this state a knowledge of the motor vehicle laws, an acceptance of  
11 personal responsibility on the public highways, and an understanding of  
12 the causes and consequences of traffic accidents, with an emphasis on  
13 the consequences, both physical and legal, of the use of drugs or  
14 alcohol in relation to operating a motor vehicle. The course in  
15 traffic safety education shall further provide to the youthful drivers

1 of this state training in the skills necessary for the safe operation  
2 of motor vehicles.

3 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** A new section is added to chapter 28A.220  
4 RCW to read as follows:

5 The superintendent of public instruction shall include information  
6 on the effects of alcohol and drug use on motor vehicle operators,  
7 including information on drug and alcohol related traffic injury and  
8 mortality rates in the state of Washington, and current penalties for  
9 driving under the influence of drugs or alcohol in instructional  
10 material used in traffic safety education courses.

11 **Sec. 3.** RCW 46.82.420 and 1979 ex.s. c 51 s 15 are each amended to  
12 read as follows:

13 The advisory committee shall compile and furnish to each qualifying  
14 applicant for an instructor's license or a driver training school  
15 license a basic minimum required curriculum. The basic minimum  
16 required curriculum shall also include information on the effects of  
17 alcohol and drug use on motor vehicle operators, including information  
18 on drug and alcohol related traffic injury and mortality rates in the  
19 state of Washington, and current penalties for driving under the  
20 influence of drugs or alcohol. Should the director be presented with  
21 acceptable proof that any licensed instructor or driver training school  
22 is not showing proper diligence in teaching such basic minimum  
23 curriculum as required, the instructor or school shall be required to  
24 appear before the advisory committee and show cause why the license of  
25 the instructor or school should not be revoked for such negligence. If  
26 the committee does not accept such reasons as may be offered, the  
27 director may revoke the license of the instructor or school, or both.

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