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SENATE BILL 5362

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By Senator Winsley

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1 AN ACT Relating to opening or consuming liquor in public; amending  
2 RCW 66.44.100; and prescribing penalties.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 66.44.100 and 1981 1st ex.s. c 5 s 21 are each amended  
5 to read as follows:

6 Except as permitted by this title, no person shall open the package  
7 containing liquor or consume liquor in a public place. (~~Every person~~  
8 ~~who violates~~) A violation of any provision of this section (~~shall be~~  
9 ~~guilty of~~) is a (~~misdemeanor, and on conviction therefor shall be~~  
10 ~~finned not more than one hundred dollars~~) class 1 civil infraction with  
11 a maximum penalty of two hundred fifty dollars, not including statutory  
12 assessments, as provided in RCW 7.80.120.

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