
SENATE BILL 6340

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By Senators Franklin and Stevens

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1 AN ACT Relating to civil actions for improperly obtaining or
2 conveying a person's deoxyribonucleic acid; and adding a new chapter to
3 Title 7 RCW.

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

5 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** Any person or entity that either obtains or
6 conveys an individual's deoxyribonucleic acid for genetic testing
7 purposes that is individually identifiable or discloses any
8 computerized interpretation of a person's deoxyribonucleic acid that is
9 individually identifiable without the individual's written
10 authorization or pursuant to specific federal or state authority is
11 liable in a civil action and shall pay reasonable attorneys' fees and
12 costs.

13 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** Section 1 of this act constitutes a new
14 chapter in Title 7 RCW.

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