
SENATE BILL 5107

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By Senators Hewitt, Hale, Eide and Kohl-Welles

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1 AN ACT Relating to the use of liquor in courses teaching enology or
2 viticulture; and amending RCW 66.12.140.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 66.12.140 and 1982 c 85 s 8 are each amended to read
5 as follows:

6 (1) Nothing in this title shall prevent the use of beer, wine,
7 and/or spirituous liquor, for cooking purposes only, in conjunction
8 with a culinary or restaurant course offered by a college, university,
9 community college, area vocational technical institute, or private
10 vocational school. Further, nothing in this title shall prohibit the
11 making of beer or wine in food fermentation courses offered by a
12 college, university, community college, area vocational technical
13 institute, or private vocational school.

14 (2) "Culinary or restaurant course" as used in this section means
15 a course of instruction which includes practical experience in food
16 preparation, enology, or viticulture under the supervision of an
17 instructor who is twenty-one years of age or older.

18 (3) Persons under twenty-one years of age participating in culinary
19 or restaurant courses may handle beer, wine, or spirituous liquor for

1 purposes of participating in the courses, but nothing in this section
2 shall be construed to authorize consumption of liquor by persons under
3 twenty-one years of age or to authorize possession of liquor by persons
4 under twenty-one years of age at any time or place other than while
5 preparing food under the supervision of the course instructor.

6 (4) Beer, wine, and/or spirituous liquor to be used in culinary or
7 restaurant courses shall be purchased at retail from the board or a
8 retailer licensed under this title. All such liquor shall be securely
9 stored in the food preparation area and shall not be displayed in an
10 area open to the general public.

11 (5) Colleges, universities, community colleges, area vocational
12 technical institutes, and private vocational schools shall obtain the
13 prior written approval of the board for use of beer, wine, and/or
14 spirituous liquor for cooking purposes in their culinary or restaurant
15 courses.

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