

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5457

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58th Legislature
2003 Regular Session

MOTORCYCLES--CONSTRUCTION SIGNS

EFFECTIVE DATE: 1/1/04

Passed by the Senate April 21, 2003
YEAS 43 NAYS 0

BRAD OWEN

President of the Senate

Passed by the House April 14, 2003
YEAS 93 NAYS 0

FRANK CHOPP

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Approved May 16, 2003.

GARY LOCKE

Governor of the State of Washington

CERTIFICATE

I, Milton H. Doumit, Jr.,
Secretary of the Senate of the
State of Washington, do hereby
certify that the attached is
SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5457 as
passed by the Senate and the House
of Representatives on the dates
hereon set forth.

MILTON H. DOUMIT JR.

Secretary

FILED

May 16, 2003 - 4:43 p.m.

**Secretary of State
State of Washington**

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AS AMENDED BY THE HOUSE

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By Senate Committee on Highways & Transportation (originally sponsored by Senators Horn, Haugen, Oke, Johnson, Hargrove, B. Sheldon, Roach, Zarelli, Sheahan, Jacobsen, Stevens, Schmidt, Rossi, Eide, Kline, T. Sheldon, West, Shin and Rasmussen)

READ FIRST TIME 03/05/03.

1 AN ACT Relating to posting of hazards to motorcycles; amending RCW
2 47.36.200; creating a new section; and providing an effective date.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 47.36.200 and 1984 c 7 s 202 are each amended to read
5 as follows:

6 (1) When construction, repair, or maintenance work is conducted on
7 or adjacent to a public highway, county road, street, bridge, or other
8 thoroughfare commonly traveled and when the work interferes with the
9 normal and established mode of travel on the highway, county road,
10 street, bridge, or thoroughfare, the location shall be properly posted
11 by prominently displayed signs or flagmen or both. Signs used for
12 posting in such an area shall be consistent with the provisions found
13 in the state of Washington "Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices
14 for Streets and Highways" obtainable from the department of
15 transportation.

16 (2) If the construction, repair, or maintenance work includes or
17 uses grooved pavement, abrupt lane edges, steel plates, or gravel or
18 earth surfaces, the construction, repair, or maintenance zone must be
19 posted with signs stating the condition, as required by current law,

1 and in addition, must warn motorcyclists of the potential hazard. For
2 the purposes of this subsection, the department shall adopt by rule a
3 uniform sign or signs for this purpose, including at least the
4 following language, "MOTORCYCLES USE EXTREME CAUTION."

5 NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. If specific funding for the purposes of this
6 act, referencing this act by bill or chapter number, is not provided by
7 June 30, 2003, in the omnibus transportation appropriations act, this
8 act is null and void.

9 NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. This act takes effect January 1, 2004.
Passed by the Senate April 21, 2003.
Passed by the House April 14, 2003.
Approved by the Governor May 16, 2003.
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