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HOUSE BILL 2120

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By Representative Williams

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1            AN ACT Relating to permitting the liquor control board to provide  
2 retail licensee sales data information to the national alcohol beverage  
3 control association; and amending RCW 66.16.090.

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

5            **Sec. 1.** RCW 66.16.090 and 1933 ex.s. c 62 s 89 are each amended to  
6 read as follows:

7            (~~All records whatsoever of the board showing purchases by any  
8 individual of liquor shall be deemed confidential, and, except subject  
9 to audit by the state auditor, shall not be permitted to be inspected  
10 by any person whatsoever, except by employees of the board to the  
11 extent permitted by the regulations; and no member of the board and no  
12 employee whatsoever shall give out any information concerning such  
13 records and neither such records nor any information relative thereto  
14 which shall make known the name of any individual purchaser shall be  
15 competent to be admitted as evidence in any court or courts except in  
16 prosecutions for illegal possession of and/or sale of liquor. Any  
17 person violating the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a  
18 misdemeanor.~~)

1       (1) All records detailing purchases by any individual from the  
2 board shall be deemed confidential except:  
3       (a) When subject to audit by the state auditor; and  
4       (b) When inspected by an employee of the board as permitted by  
5 board regulations.  
6       (2) The sales data information of retail licensees who purchase  
7 distilled spirits from the board, including contract liquor stores,  
8 shall be provided to the national alcohol beverage control association  
9 and may be used by the association's members for commercial purposes.  
10       (3) RCW 42.56.070(9) does not apply to sales data information  
11 provided to the national alcohol beverage control association under  
12 subsection (2) of this section.

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