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1 AN ACT Relating to licensing provisions concerning driving under
2 the influence of intoxicating liquor or drugs; amending RCW 46.20.342,
3 46.20.380, 46.20.391, 46.20.400, 46.20.410, 46.20.720, 46.20.740, and
4 46.61.5055; reenacting and amending RCW 46.20.308 and 46.63.020; adding
5 a new section to chapter 46.04 RCW; adding a new section to chapter
6 46.68 RCW; adding new sections to chapter 46.20 RCW; and providing an
7 effective date.

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

9 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 46.04 RCW
10 to read as follows:

11 "Ignition interlock driver's license" means a permit issued to a
12 person by the department that allows the person to operate a
13 noncommercial motor vehicle with an ignition interlock device while the
14 person's regular driver's license is suspended, revoked, or denied.

15 **Sec. 2.** RCW 46.20.308 and 2005 c 314 s 307 and 2005 c 269 s 1 are
16 each reenacted and amended to read as follows:

17 (1) Any person who operates a motor vehicle within this state is
18 deemed to have given consent, subject to the provisions of RCW

1 46.61.506, to a test or tests of his or her breath or blood for the
2 purpose of determining the alcohol concentration or presence of any
3 drug in his or her breath or blood if arrested for any offense where,
4 at the time of the arrest, the arresting officer has reasonable grounds
5 to believe the person had been driving or was in actual physical
6 control of a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating
7 liquor or any drug or was in violation of RCW 46.61.503. Neither
8 consent nor this section precludes a police officer from obtaining a
9 search warrant for a person's breath or blood.

10 (2) The test or tests of breath shall be administered at the
11 direction of a law enforcement officer having reasonable grounds to
12 believe the person to have been driving or in actual physical control
13 of a motor vehicle within this state while under the influence of
14 intoxicating liquor or any drug or the person to have been driving or
15 in actual physical control of a motor vehicle while having alcohol in
16 a concentration in violation of RCW 46.61.503 in his or her system and
17 being under the age of twenty-one. However, in those instances where
18 the person is incapable due to physical injury, physical incapacity, or
19 other physical limitation, of providing a breath sample or where the
20 person is being treated in a hospital, clinic, doctor's office,
21 emergency medical vehicle, ambulance, or other similar facility or
22 where the officer has reasonable grounds to believe that the person is
23 under the influence of a drug, a blood test shall be administered by a
24 qualified person as provided in RCW 46.61.506(5). The officer shall
25 inform the person of his or her right to refuse the breath or blood
26 test, and of his or her right to have additional tests administered by
27 any qualified person of his or her choosing as provided in RCW
28 46.61.506. The officer shall warn the driver, in substantially the
29 following language, that:

30 (a) If the driver refuses to take the test, the driver's license,
31 permit, or privilege to drive will be revoked or denied for at least
32 one year; and

33 (b) If the driver refuses to take the test, the driver's refusal to
34 take the test may be used in a criminal trial; and

35 (c) If the driver submits to the test and the test is administered,
36 the driver's license, permit, or privilege to drive will be suspended,
37 revoked, or denied for at least ninety days if the driver is age
38 twenty-one or over and the test indicates the alcohol concentration of

1 the driver's breath or blood is 0.08 or more, or if the driver is under
2 age twenty-one and the test indicates the alcohol concentration of the
3 driver's breath or blood is 0.02 or more, or if the driver is under age
4 twenty-one and the driver is in violation of RCW 46.61.502 or
5 46.61.504; and

6 (d) If the driver's license, permit, or privilege to drive is
7 suspended, revoked, or denied the driver may be eligible to immediately
8 apply for an ignition interlock driver's license.

9 (3) Except as provided in this section, the test administered shall
10 be of the breath only. If an individual is unconscious or is under
11 arrest for the crime of vehicular homicide as provided in RCW 46.61.520
12 or vehicular assault as provided in RCW 46.61.522, or if an individual
13 is under arrest for the crime of driving while under the influence of
14 intoxicating liquor or drugs as provided in RCW 46.61.502, which arrest
15 results from an accident in which there has been serious bodily injury
16 to another person, a breath or blood test may be administered without
17 the consent of the individual so arrested.

18 (4) Any person who is dead, unconscious, or who is otherwise in a
19 condition rendering him or her incapable of refusal, shall be deemed
20 not to have withdrawn the consent provided by subsection (1) of this
21 section and the test or tests may be administered, subject to the
22 provisions of RCW 46.61.506, and the person shall be deemed to have
23 received the warnings required under subsection (2) of this section.

24 (5) If, following his or her arrest and receipt of warnings under
25 subsection (2) of this section, the person arrested refuses upon the
26 request of a law enforcement officer to submit to a test or tests of
27 his or her breath or blood, no test shall be given except as authorized
28 under subsection (3) or (4) of this section.

29 (6) If, after arrest and after the other applicable conditions and
30 requirements of this section have been satisfied, a test or tests of
31 the person's blood or breath is administered and the test results
32 indicate that the alcohol concentration of the person's breath or blood
33 is 0.08 or more if the person is age twenty-one or over, or 0.02 or
34 more if the person is under the age of twenty-one, or the person
35 refuses to submit to a test, the arresting officer or other law
36 enforcement officer at whose direction any test has been given, or the
37 department, where applicable, if the arrest results in a test of the
38 person's blood, shall:

1 (a) Serve notice in writing on the person on behalf of the
2 department of its intention to suspend, revoke, or deny the person's
3 license, permit, or privilege to drive as required by subsection (7) of
4 this section;

5 (b) Serve notice in writing on the person on behalf of the
6 department of his or her right to a hearing, specifying the steps he or
7 she must take to obtain a hearing as provided by subsection (8) of this
8 section and that the person waives the right to a hearing if he or she
9 receives an ignition interlock driver's license;

10 (c) Mark the person's Washington state driver's license or permit
11 to drive, if any, in a manner authorized by the department;

12 (d) Serve notice in writing that the marked license or permit, if
13 any, is a temporary license that is valid for sixty days from the date
14 of arrest or from the date notice has been given in the event notice is
15 given by the department following a blood test, or until the
16 suspension, revocation, or denial of the person's license, permit, or
17 privilege to drive is sustained at a hearing pursuant to subsection (8)
18 of this section, whichever occurs first. No temporary license is valid
19 to any greater degree than the license or permit that it replaces; and

20 (e) Immediately notify the department of the arrest and transmit to
21 the department within seventy-two hours, except as delayed as the
22 result of a blood test, a sworn report or report under a declaration
23 authorized by RCW 9A.72.085 that states:

24 (i) That the officer had reasonable grounds to believe the arrested
25 person had been driving or was in actual physical control of a motor
26 vehicle within this state while under the influence of intoxicating
27 liquor or drugs, or both, or was under the age of twenty-one years and
28 had been driving or was in actual physical control of a motor vehicle
29 while having an alcohol concentration in violation of RCW 46.61.503;

30 (ii) That after receipt of the warnings required by subsection (2)
31 of this section the person refused to submit to a test of his or her
32 blood or breath, or a test was administered and the results indicated
33 that the alcohol concentration of the person's breath or blood was 0.08
34 or more if the person is age twenty-one or over, or was 0.02 or more if
35 the person is under the age of twenty-one; and

36 (iii) Any other information that the director may require by rule.

37 (7) The department of licensing, upon the receipt of a sworn report
38 or report under a declaration authorized by RCW 9A.72.085 under

1 subsection (6)(e) of this section, shall suspend, revoke, or deny the
2 person's license, permit, or privilege to drive or any nonresident
3 operating privilege, as provided in RCW 46.20.3101, such suspension,
4 revocation, or denial to be effective beginning sixty days from the
5 date of arrest or from the date notice has been given in the event
6 notice is given by the department following a blood test, or when
7 sustained at a hearing pursuant to subsection (8) of this section,
8 whichever occurs first.

9 (8) A person receiving notification under subsection (6)(b) of this
10 section may, within (~~thirty~~) twenty days after the notice has been
11 given, request in writing a formal hearing before the department. The
12 person shall pay a fee of two hundred dollars as part of the request.
13 If the request is mailed, it must be postmarked within (~~thirty~~)
14 twenty days after receipt of the notification. Upon timely receipt of
15 such a request for a formal hearing, including receipt of the required
16 two hundred dollar fee, the department shall afford the person an
17 opportunity for a hearing. The department may waive the required two
18 hundred dollar fee if the person is an indigent as defined in RCW
19 10.101.010. Except as otherwise provided in this section, the hearing
20 is subject to and shall be scheduled and conducted in accordance with
21 RCW 46.20.329 and 46.20.332. The hearing shall be conducted in the
22 county of the arrest, except that all or part of the hearing may, at
23 the discretion of the department, be conducted by telephone or other
24 electronic means. The hearing shall be held within sixty days
25 following the arrest or following the date notice has been given in the
26 event notice is given by the department following a blood test, unless
27 otherwise agreed to by the department and the person, in which case the
28 action by the department shall be stayed, and any valid temporary
29 license marked under subsection (6)(c) of this section extended, if the
30 person is otherwise eligible for licensing. For the purposes of this
31 section, the scope of the hearing shall cover the issues of whether a
32 law enforcement officer had reasonable grounds to believe the person
33 had been driving or was in actual physical control of a motor vehicle
34 within this state while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or
35 any drug or had been driving or was in actual physical control of a
36 motor vehicle within this state while having alcohol in his or her
37 system in a concentration of 0.02 or more if the person was under the
38 age of twenty-one, whether the person was placed under arrest, and (a)

1 whether the person refused to submit to the test or tests upon request
2 of the officer after having been informed that such refusal would
3 result in the revocation of the person's license, permit, or privilege
4 to drive, or (b) if a test or tests were administered, whether the
5 applicable requirements of this section were satisfied before the
6 administration of the test or tests, whether the person submitted to
7 the test or tests, or whether a test was administered without express
8 consent as permitted under this section, and whether the test or tests
9 indicated that the alcohol concentration of the person's breath or
10 blood was 0.08 or more if the person was age twenty-one or over at the
11 time of the arrest, or 0.02 or more if the person was under the age of
12 twenty-one at the time of the arrest. The sworn report or report under
13 a declaration authorized by RCW 9A.72.085 submitted by a law
14 enforcement officer is prima facie evidence that the officer had
15 reasonable grounds to believe the person had been driving or was in
16 actual physical control of a motor vehicle within this state while
17 under the influence of intoxicating liquor or drugs, or both, or the
18 person had been driving or was in actual physical control of a motor
19 vehicle within this state while having alcohol in his or her system in
20 a concentration of 0.02 or more and was under the age of twenty-one and
21 that the officer complied with the requirements of this section.

22 A hearing officer shall conduct the hearing, may issue subpoenas
23 for the attendance of witnesses and the production of documents, and
24 shall administer oaths to witnesses. The hearing officer shall not
25 issue a subpoena for the attendance of a witness at the request of the
26 person unless the request is accompanied by the fee required by RCW
27 5.56.010 for a witness in district court. The sworn report or report
28 under a declaration authorized by RCW 9A.72.085 of the law enforcement
29 officer and any other evidence accompanying the report shall be
30 admissible without further evidentiary foundation and the
31 certifications authorized by the criminal rules for courts of limited
32 jurisdiction shall be admissible without further evidentiary
33 foundation. The person may be represented by counsel, may question
34 witnesses, may present evidence, and may testify. The department shall
35 order that the suspension, revocation, or denial either be rescinded or
36 sustained.

37 (9) If the suspension, revocation, or denial is sustained after
38 such a hearing, the person whose license, privilege, or permit is

1 suspended, revoked, or denied has the right to file a petition in the
2 superior court of the county of arrest to review the final order of
3 revocation by the department in the same manner as an appeal from a
4 decision of a court of limited jurisdiction. Notice of appeal must be
5 filed within thirty days after the date the final order is served or
6 the right to appeal is waived. Notwithstanding RCW 46.20.334, RALJ
7 1.1, or other statutes or rules referencing de novo review, the appeal
8 shall be limited to a review of the record of the administrative
9 hearing. The appellant must pay the costs associated with obtaining
10 the record of the hearing before the hearing officer. The filing of
11 the appeal does not stay the effective date of the suspension,
12 revocation, or denial. A petition filed under this subsection must
13 include the petitioner's grounds for requesting review. Upon granting
14 petitioner's request for review, the court shall review the
15 department's final order of suspension, revocation, or denial as
16 expeditiously as possible. The review must be limited to a
17 determination of whether the department has committed any errors of
18 law. The superior court shall accept those factual determinations
19 supported by substantial evidence in the record: (a) That were
20 expressly made by the department; or (b) that may reasonably be
21 inferred from the final order of the department. The superior court
22 may reverse, affirm, or modify the decision of the department or remand
23 the case back to the department for further proceedings. The decision
24 of the superior court must be in writing and filed in the clerk's
25 office with the other papers in the case. The court shall state the
26 reasons for the decision. If judicial relief is sought for a stay or
27 other temporary remedy from the department's action, the court shall
28 not grant such relief unless the court finds that the appellant is
29 likely to prevail in the appeal and that without a stay the appellant
30 will suffer irreparable injury. If the court stays the suspension,
31 revocation, or denial it may impose conditions on such stay.

32 (10)(a) If a person whose driver's license, permit, or privilege to
33 drive has been or will be suspended, revoked, or denied under
34 subsection (7) of this section, other than as a result of a breath or
35 blood test refusal, and who has not committed an offense for which he
36 or she was granted a deferred prosecution under chapter 10.05 RCW,
37 petitions a court for a deferred prosecution on criminal charges
38 arising out of the arrest for which action has been or will be taken

1 under subsection (7) of this section, or notifies the department of
2 licensing of the intent to seek such a deferred prosecution, then the
3 license suspension or revocation shall be stayed pending entry of the
4 deferred prosecution. The stay shall not be longer than one hundred
5 fifty days after the date charges are filed, or two years after the
6 date of the arrest, whichever time period is shorter. If the court
7 stays the suspension, revocation, or denial, it may impose conditions
8 on such stay. If the person is otherwise eligible for licensing, the
9 department shall issue a temporary license, or extend any valid
10 temporary license marked under subsection (6) of this section, for the
11 period of the stay. If a deferred prosecution treatment plan is not
12 recommended in the report made under RCW 10.05.050, or if treatment is
13 rejected by the court, or if the person declines to accept an offered
14 treatment plan, or if the person violates any condition imposed by the
15 court, then the court shall immediately direct the department to cancel
16 the stay and any temporary marked license or extension of a temporary
17 license issued under this subsection.

18 (b) A suspension, revocation, or denial imposed under this section,
19 other than as a result of a breath or blood test refusal, shall be
20 stayed if the person is accepted for deferred prosecution as provided
21 in chapter 10.05 RCW for the incident upon which the suspension,
22 revocation, or denial is based. If the deferred prosecution is
23 terminated, the stay shall be lifted and the suspension, revocation, or
24 denial reinstated. If the deferred prosecution is completed, the stay
25 shall be lifted and the suspension, revocation, or denial canceled.

26 (c) The provisions of (b) of this subsection relating to a stay of
27 a suspension, revocation, or denial and the cancellation of any
28 suspension, revocation, or denial do not apply to the suspension,
29 revocation, denial, or disqualification of a person's commercial
30 driver's license or privilege to operate a commercial motor vehicle.

31 (11) When it has been finally determined under the procedures of
32 this section that a nonresident's privilege to operate a motor vehicle
33 in this state has been suspended, revoked, or denied, the department
34 shall give information in writing of the action taken to the motor
35 vehicle administrator of the state of the person's residence and of any
36 state in which he or she has a license.

1 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 3.** A new section is added to chapter 46.68 RCW
2 to read as follows:

3 The ignition interlock device revolving fund is created in the
4 custody of the state treasurer to assist in covering the monetary costs
5 of installing, removing, and leasing an ignition interlock device for
6 indigent people who are required under section 9 of this act and RCW
7 46.61.5055 to install an ignition interlock device in all vehicles
8 owned or operated by the person. All receipts from the fee assessed
9 under section 9(6) of this act must be deposited into the account. The
10 director, or his or her designee, is authorized to expend money from
11 the ignition interlock device revolving fund. The account is subject
12 to allotment procedures under chapter 43.88 RCW, but an appropriation
13 is not required for expenditures.

14 **Sec. 4.** RCW 46.20.342 and 2004 c 95 s 5 are each amended to read
15 as follows:

16 (1) It is unlawful for any person to drive a motor vehicle in this
17 state while that person is in a suspended or revoked status or when his
18 or her privilege to drive is suspended or revoked in this or any other
19 state. Any person who has a valid Washington driver's license is not
20 guilty of a violation of this section.

21 (a) A person found to be an habitual offender under chapter 46.65
22 RCW, who violates this section while an order of revocation issued
23 under chapter 46.65 RCW prohibiting such operation is in effect, is
24 guilty of driving while license suspended or revoked in the first
25 degree, a gross misdemeanor. Upon the first such conviction, the
26 person shall be punished by imprisonment for not less than ten days.
27 Upon the second conviction, the person shall be punished by
28 imprisonment for not less than ninety days. Upon the third or
29 subsequent conviction, the person shall be punished by imprisonment for
30 not less than one hundred eighty days. If the person is also convicted
31 of the offense defined in RCW 46.61.502 or 46.61.504, when both
32 convictions arise from the same event, the minimum sentence of
33 confinement shall be not less than ninety days. The minimum sentence
34 of confinement required shall not be suspended or deferred. A
35 conviction under this subsection does not prevent a person from
36 petitioning for reinstatement as provided by RCW 46.65.080.

1 (b) A person who violates this section while an order of suspension
2 or revocation prohibiting such operation is in effect and while the
3 person is not eligible to reinstate his or her driver's license or
4 driving privilege, other than for a suspension for the reasons
5 described in (c) of this subsection, is guilty of driving while license
6 suspended or revoked in the second degree, a gross misdemeanor. This
7 subsection applies when a person's driver's license or driving
8 privilege has been suspended or revoked by reason of:

9 (i) A conviction of a felony in the commission of which a motor
10 vehicle was used;

11 (ii) A previous conviction under this section;

12 (iii) A notice received by the department from a court or diversion
13 unit as provided by RCW 46.20.265, relating to a minor who has
14 committed, or who has entered a diversion unit concerning an offense
15 relating to alcohol, legend drugs, controlled substances, or imitation
16 controlled substances;

17 (iv) A conviction of RCW 46.20.410, relating to the violation of
18 restrictions of an occupational ((~~or~~)) driver's license, a temporary
19 restricted driver's license, or an ignition interlock driver's license;

20 (v) A conviction of RCW 46.20.345, relating to the operation of a
21 motor vehicle with a suspended or revoked license;

22 (vi) A conviction of RCW 46.52.020, relating to duty in case of
23 injury to or death of a person or damage to an attended vehicle;

24 (vii) A conviction of RCW 46.61.024, relating to attempting to
25 elude pursuing police vehicles;

26 (viii) A conviction of RCW 46.61.500, relating to reckless driving;

27 (ix) A conviction of RCW 46.61.502 or 46.61.504, relating to a
28 person under the influence of intoxicating liquor or drugs;

29 (x) A conviction of RCW 46.61.520, relating to vehicular homicide;

30 (xi) A conviction of RCW 46.61.522, relating to vehicular assault;

31 (xii) A conviction of RCW 46.61.527(4), relating to reckless
32 endangerment of roadway workers;

33 (xiii) A conviction of RCW 46.61.530, relating to racing of
34 vehicles on highways;

35 (xiv) A conviction of RCW 46.61.685, relating to leaving children
36 in an unattended vehicle with motor running;

37 (xv) A conviction of RCW 46.61.740, relating to theft of motor
38 vehicle fuel;

1 (xvi) A conviction of RCW 46.64.048, relating to attempting,
2 aiding, abetting, coercing, and committing crimes;

3 (xvii) An administrative action taken by the department under
4 chapter 46.20 RCW; or

5 (xviii) A conviction of a local law, ordinance, regulation, or
6 resolution of a political subdivision of this state, the federal
7 government, or any other state, of an offense substantially similar to
8 a violation included in this subsection.

9 (c) A person who violates this section when his or her driver's
10 license or driving privilege is, at the time of the violation,
11 suspended or revoked solely because (i) the person must furnish proof
12 of satisfactory progress in a required alcoholism or drug treatment
13 program, (ii) the person must furnish proof of financial responsibility
14 for the future as provided by chapter 46.29 RCW, (iii) the person has
15 failed to comply with the provisions of chapter 46.29 RCW relating to
16 uninsured accidents, (iv) the person has failed to respond to a notice
17 of traffic infraction, failed to appear at a requested hearing,
18 violated a written promise to appear in court, or has failed to comply
19 with the terms of a notice of traffic infraction or citation, as
20 provided in RCW 46.20.289, (v) the person has committed an offense in
21 another state that, if committed in this state, would not be grounds
22 for the suspension or revocation of the person's driver's license, (vi)
23 the person has been suspended or revoked by reason of one or more of
24 the items listed in (b) of this subsection, but was eligible to
25 reinstate his or her driver's license or driving privilege at the time
26 of the violation, or (vii) the person has received traffic citations or
27 notices of traffic infraction that have resulted in a suspension under
28 RCW 46.20.267 relating to intermediate drivers' licenses, or any
29 combination of (i) through (vii), is guilty of driving while license
30 suspended or revoked in the third degree, a misdemeanor.

31 (2) Upon receiving a record of conviction of any person or upon
32 receiving an order by any juvenile court or any duly authorized court
33 officer of the conviction of any juvenile under this section, the
34 department shall:

35 (a) For a conviction of driving while suspended or revoked in the
36 first degree, as provided by subsection (1)(a) of this section, extend
37 the period of administrative revocation imposed under chapter 46.65 RCW

1 for an additional period of one year from and after the date the person
2 would otherwise have been entitled to apply for a new license or have
3 his or her driving privilege restored; or

4 (b) For a conviction of driving while suspended or revoked in the
5 second degree, as provided by subsection (1)(b) of this section, not
6 issue a new license or restore the driving privilege for an additional
7 period of one year from and after the date the person would otherwise
8 have been entitled to apply for a new license or have his or her
9 driving privilege restored; or

10 (c) Not extend the period of suspension or revocation if the
11 conviction was under subsection (1)(c) of this section. If the
12 conviction was under subsection (1)(a) or (b) of this section and the
13 court recommends against the extension and the convicted person has
14 obtained a valid driver's license, the period of suspension or
15 revocation shall not be extended.

16 **Sec. 5.** RCW 46.20.380 and 2004 c 95 s 6 are each amended to read
17 as follows:

18 No person may file an application for an occupational ~~((or))~~
19 driver's license, a temporary restricted driver's license, or an
20 ignition interlock driver's license as provided in RCW 46.20.391 and
21 section 9 of this act unless he or she first pays to the director or
22 other person authorized to accept applications and fees for driver's
23 licenses a fee of one hundred dollars. The applicant shall receive
24 upon payment an official receipt for the payment of such fee. All such
25 fees shall be forwarded to the director who shall transmit such fees to
26 the state treasurer in the same manner as other driver's license fees.

27 **Sec. 6.** RCW 46.20.391 and 2004 c 95 s 7 are each amended to read
28 as follows:

29 (1)~~((a))~~ Any person licensed under this chapter who is convicted
30 of an offense relating to motor vehicles for which suspension or
31 revocation of the driver's license is mandatory, other than vehicular
32 homicide ~~((or))~~, vehicular assault, ~~((or who has had his or her license~~
33 ~~suspended, revoked, or denied under RCW 46.20.3101))~~ driving while
34 under the influence of intoxicating liquor or any drug, or being in
35 actual physical control of a motor vehicle while under the influence of
36 intoxicating liquor or any drug, may submit to the department an

1 application for a temporary restricted driver's license. The
2 department, upon receipt of the prescribed fee and upon determining
3 that the petitioner is eligible to receive the license, may issue a
4 temporary restricted driver's license and may set definite restrictions
5 as provided in RCW 46.20.394. ~~((No person may petition for, and the
6 department shall not issue, a temporary restricted driver's license
7 that is effective during the first thirty days of any suspension or
8 revocation imposed for a violation of RCW 46.61.502 or 46.61.504 or,
9 for a suspension, revocation, or denial imposed under RCW 46.20.3101,
10 during the required minimum portion of the periods of suspension,
11 revocation, or denial established under (c) of this subsection.~~

12 ~~(b) An applicant under this subsection whose driver's license is
13 suspended or revoked for an alcohol-related offense shall provide proof
14 to the satisfaction of the department that a functioning ignition
15 interlock device has been installed on a vehicle owned or operated by
16 the person.~~

17 ~~(i) The department shall require the person to maintain such a
18 device on a vehicle owned or operated by the person and shall restrict
19 the person to operating only vehicles equipped with such a device, for
20 the remainder of the period of suspension, revocation, or denial.~~

21 ~~(ii) Subject to any periodic renewal requirements established by
22 the department pursuant to this section and subject to any applicable
23 compliance requirements under this chapter or other law, a temporary
24 restricted driver's license granted after a suspension or revocation
25 under RCW 46.61.5055 or 46.20.3101 extends through the remaining
26 portion of any concurrent or consecutive suspension or revocation that
27 may be imposed as the result of administrative action and criminal
28 conviction arising out of the same incident.~~

29 ~~(iii) The time period during which the person is licensed under
30 this section shall apply on a day for day basis toward satisfying the
31 period of time the ignition interlock device restriction is required
32 under RCW 46.20.720 (1) and (2) (a), (b), and (c).~~

33 ~~(c) The department shall provide by rule the minimum portions of
34 the periods of suspension, revocation, or denial set forth in RCW
35 46.20.3101 after which a person may apply for a temporary restricted
36 driver's license under this section. In establishing the minimum
37 portions of the periods of suspension, revocation, or denial, the
38 department shall consider the requirements of federal law regarding~~

1 ~~state eligibility for grants or other funding, and shall establish such~~
2 ~~periods so as to ensure that the state will maintain its eligibility,~~
3 ~~or establish eligibility, to obtain incentive grants or any other~~
4 ~~federal funding.))~~

5 (2)(a) A person licensed under this chapter whose driver's license
6 is suspended administratively due to failure to appear or pay a traffic
7 ticket under RCW 46.20.289; a violation of the financial responsibility
8 laws under chapter 46.29 RCW; or for multiple violations within a
9 specified period of time under RCW 46.20.291, may apply to the
10 department for an occupational driver's license.

11 (b) If the suspension is for failure to respond, pay, or comply
12 with a notice of traffic infraction or conviction, the applicant must
13 enter into a payment plan with the court.

14 (c) An occupational driver's license issued to an applicant
15 described in (a) of this subsection shall be valid for the period of
16 the suspension or revocation.

17 (3) An applicant for an occupational or temporary restricted
18 driver's license who qualifies under subsection (1) or (2) of this
19 section is eligible to receive such license only if:

20 (a) Within seven years immediately preceding the date of the
21 offense that gave rise to the present conviction or incident, the
22 applicant has not committed vehicular homicide under RCW 46.61.520 or
23 vehicular assault under RCW 46.61.522; and

24 (b) The applicant demonstrates that it is necessary for him or her
25 to operate a motor vehicle because he or she:

26 (i) Is engaged in an occupation or trade that makes it essential
27 that he or she operate a motor vehicle;

28 (ii) Is undergoing continuing health care or providing continuing
29 care to another who is dependent upon the applicant;

30 (iii) Is enrolled in an educational institution and pursuing a
31 course of study leading to a diploma, degree, or other certification of
32 successful educational completion;

33 (iv) Is undergoing substance abuse treatment or is participating in
34 meetings of a twelve-step group such as Alcoholics Anonymous that
35 requires the petitioner to drive to or from the treatment or meetings;

36 (v) Is fulfilling court-ordered community service responsibilities;

37 (vi) Is in a program that assists persons who are enrolled in a

1 WorkFirst program pursuant to chapter 74.08A RCW to become gainfully
2 employed and the program requires a driver's license;

3 (vii) Is in an apprenticeship, on-the-job training, or welfare-to-
4 work program; or

5 (viii) Presents evidence that he or she has applied for a position
6 in an apprenticeship or on-the-job training program for which a
7 driver's license is required to begin the program, provided that a
8 license granted under this provision shall be in effect for no longer
9 than fourteen days; and

10 (c) The applicant files satisfactory proof of financial
11 responsibility under chapter 46.29 RCW; and

12 (d) Upon receipt of evidence that a holder of an occupational
13 driver's license granted under this subsection is no longer enrolled in
14 an apprenticeship or on-the-job training program, the director shall
15 give written notice by first-class mail to the driver that the
16 occupational driver's license shall be canceled. The effective date of
17 cancellation shall be fifteen days from the date of mailing the notice.
18 If at any time before the cancellation goes into effect the driver
19 submits evidence of continued enrollment in the program, the
20 cancellation shall be stayed. If the cancellation becomes effective,
21 the driver may obtain, at no additional charge, a new occupational
22 driver's license upon submittal of evidence of enrollment in another
23 program that meets the criteria set forth in this subsection; and

24 (e) The department shall not issue an occupational driver's license
25 under (b)(iv) of this subsection if the applicant is able to receive
26 transit services sufficient to allow for the applicant's participation
27 in the programs referenced under (b)(iv) of this subsection.

28 (4) A person aggrieved by the decision of the department on the
29 application for an occupational or temporary restricted driver's
30 license may request a hearing as provided by rule of the department.

31 (5) The director shall cancel an occupational or temporary
32 restricted driver's license upon receipt of notice that the holder
33 thereof has been convicted of operating a motor vehicle in violation of
34 its restrictions, or of a separate offense that under chapter 46.20 RCW
35 would warrant suspension or revocation of a regular driver's license.
36 The cancellation is effective as of the date of the conviction, and
37 continues with the same force and effect as any suspension or
38 revocation under this title.

1 **Sec. 7.** RCW 46.20.400 and 2004 c 95 s 9 are each amended to read
2 as follows:

3 If an occupational ((~~or~~)) driver's license, a temporary restricted
4 driver's license, or an ignition interlock driver's license is issued
5 and is not revoked during the period for which issued the licensee may
6 obtain a new driver's license at the end of such period, but no new
7 driver's license may be issued to such person until he or she
8 surrenders his or her occupational ((~~or~~)) driver's license, temporary
9 restricted driver's license, or ignition interlock driver's license and
10 his or her copy of the order, and the director is satisfied that the
11 person complies with all other provisions of law relative to the
12 issuance of a driver's license.

13 **Sec. 8.** RCW 46.20.410 and 2004 c 95 s 10 are each amended to read
14 as follows:

15 Any person convicted for violation of any restriction of an
16 occupational ((~~or~~)) driver's license, a temporary restricted driver's
17 license, or an ignition interlock driver's license shall in addition to
18 the immediate revocation of such license and any other penalties
19 provided by law be fined not less than fifty nor more than two hundred
20 dollars or imprisoned for not more than six months or both such fine
21 and imprisonment.

22 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 9.** A new section is added to chapter 46.20 RCW
23 to read as follows:

24 (1)(a) Beginning January 1, 2009, any person licensed under this
25 chapter who is convicted of any offense involving the use, consumption,
26 or possession of alcohol while operating a motor vehicle in violation
27 of RCW 46.61.502 or 46.61.504, other than vehicular homicide or
28 vehicular assault, or who has had or will have his or her license
29 suspended, revoked, or denied under RCW 46.20.3101, may submit to the
30 department an application for an ignition interlock driver's license.
31 The department, upon receipt of the prescribed fee and upon determining
32 that the petitioner is eligible to receive the license, may issue an
33 ignition interlock driver's license.

34 (b) A person may apply for an ignition interlock driver's license
35 anytime, including immediately after receiving the notices under RCW

1 46.20.308 or after his or her license is suspended, revoked, or denied.
2 A person receiving an ignition interlock driver's license waives his or
3 her right to a hearing or appeal under RCW 46.20.308.

4 (c) An applicant under this subsection shall provide proof to the
5 satisfaction of the department that a functioning ignition interlock
6 device has been installed on all vehicles operated by the person.

7 (i) The department shall require the person to maintain the device
8 on all vehicles operated by the person and shall restrict the person to
9 operating only vehicles equipped with the device, for the remainder of
10 the period of suspension, revocation, or denial. The installation of
11 an ignition interlock device is not necessary on vehicles owned by a
12 person's employer and driven as a requirement of employment during
13 working hours. The person must provide the department with a
14 declaration pursuant to RCW 9A.72.085 from his or her employer stating
15 that the person's employment requires the person to operate a vehicle
16 owned by the employer during working hours.

17 (ii) Subject to any periodic renewal requirements established by
18 the department under this section and subject to any applicable
19 compliance requirements under this chapter or other law, an ignition
20 interlock driver's license granted upon a suspension or revocation
21 under RCW 46.61.5055 or 46.20.3101 extends through the remaining
22 portion of any concurrent or consecutive suspension or revocation that
23 may be imposed as the result of administrative action and criminal
24 conviction arising out of the same incident.

25 (iii) The time period during which the person is licensed under
26 this section shall apply on a day-for-day basis toward satisfying the
27 period of time the ignition interlock device restriction is required
28 under RCW 46.20.720 and 46.61.5055.

29 (2) An applicant for an ignition interlock driver's license who
30 qualifies under subsection (1) of this section is eligible to receive
31 a license only if:

32 (a) Within seven years immediately preceding the date of the
33 offense that gave rise to the present conviction or incident, the
34 applicant has not committed vehicular homicide under RCW 46.61.520 or
35 vehicular assault under RCW 46.61.522; and

36 (b) The applicant files satisfactory proof of financial
37 responsibility under chapter 46.29 RCW.

1 (3) Upon receipt of evidence that a holder of an ignition interlock
2 driver's license granted under this subsection no longer has a
3 functioning ignition interlock device installed on all vehicles
4 operated by the driver, the director shall give written notice by
5 first-class mail to the driver that the ignition interlock driver's
6 license shall be canceled. The effective date of cancellation shall be
7 fifteen days from the date of mailing the notice. If at any time
8 before the cancellation goes into effect the driver submits evidence
9 that a functioning ignition interlock device has been installed on all
10 vehicles operated by the driver, the cancellation shall be stayed. If
11 the cancellation becomes effective, the driver may obtain, at no
12 additional charge, a new ignition interlock driver's license upon
13 submittal of evidence that a functioning ignition interlock device has
14 been installed on all vehicles operated by the driver.

15 (4) A person aggrieved by the decision of the department on the
16 application for an ignition interlock driver's license may request a
17 hearing as provided by rule of the department.

18 (5) The director shall cancel an ignition interlock driver's
19 license upon receipt of notice that the holder thereof has been
20 convicted of operating a motor vehicle in violation of its
21 restrictions, or of a separate offense that under this chapter would
22 warrant suspension or revocation of a regular driver's license. The
23 cancellation is effective as of the date of the conviction, and
24 continues with the same force and effect as any suspension or
25 revocation under this title.

26 (6)(a) Unless costs are waived by the ignition interlock company or
27 the person is indigent under RCW 10.101.010, the applicant shall pay
28 the cost of installing, removing, and leasing the ignition interlock
29 device and shall pay an additional fee of twenty dollars per month.
30 Payments shall be made directly to the ignition interlock company. The
31 company shall remit the additional twenty-dollar fee to the department.

32 (b) The department shall deposit the money into the ignition
33 interlock device revolving fund administered by the department. Money
34 from the account may only be used to provide monetary assistance to
35 those persons who otherwise qualify for an ignition interlock driver's
36 license but are unable to pay for all or part of the costs due to
37 indigency under RCW 10.101.010, as determined by the department.

1 (7) The department shall adopt rules to implement ignition
2 interlock licensing. The department shall consult with the
3 administrative office of the courts, the state patrol, the Washington
4 association of sheriffs and police chiefs, ignition interlock
5 companies, and any other organization or entity the department deems
6 appropriate.

7 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 10.** A new section is added to chapter 46.20 RCW
8 to read as follows:

9 (1) A pilot program is created for the purpose of monitoring
10 compliance by persons required to use ignition interlock devices and by
11 ignition interlock companies and vendors.

12 (2) The department, the state patrol, and the Washington traffic
13 safety commission shall coordinate to establish a compliance pilot
14 program that will target at least one county from eastern Washington
15 and one county from western Washington, as determined by the
16 department, state patrol, and Washington traffic safety commission.

17 (3) At a minimum, the compliance pilot program shall:

18 (a) Review the number of ignition interlock devices that are
19 required to be installed in the targeted county and the number of
20 ignition interlock devices actually installed;

21 (b) Work to identify those persons who are not complying with
22 ignition interlock requirements or are repeatedly violating ignition
23 interlock requirements; and

24 (c) Identify ways to track compliance and reduce noncompliance.

25 (4) As part of monitoring compliance, the Washington traffic safety
26 commission shall also track recidivism for violations of RCW 46.61.502
27 and 46.61.504 by persons required to have an ignition interlock
28 driver's license under section 9 of this act.

29 **Sec. 11.** RCW 46.63.020 and 2005 c 431 s 2, 2005 c 323 s 3, and
30 2005 c 183 s 10 are each reenacted and amended to read as follows:

31 Failure to perform any act required or the performance of any act
32 prohibited by this title or an equivalent administrative regulation or
33 local law, ordinance, regulation, or resolution relating to traffic
34 including parking, standing, stopping, and pedestrian offenses, is
35 designated as a traffic infraction and may not be classified as a

1 criminal offense, except for an offense contained in the following
2 provisions of this title or a violation of an equivalent administrative
3 regulation or local law, ordinance, regulation, or resolution:

4 (1) RCW 46.09.120(2) relating to the operation of a nonhighway
5 vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or a
6 controlled substance;

7 (2) RCW 46.09.130 relating to operation of nonhighway vehicles;

8 (3) RCW 46.10.090(2) relating to the operation of a snowmobile
9 while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or narcotics or habit-
10 forming drugs or in a manner endangering the person of another;

11 (4) RCW 46.10.130 relating to the operation of snowmobiles;

12 (5) Chapter 46.12 RCW relating to certificates of ownership and
13 registration and markings indicating that a vehicle has been destroyed
14 or declared a total loss;

15 (6) RCW 46.16.010 relating to the nonpayment of taxes and fees by
16 failure to register a vehicle and falsifying residency when registering
17 a motor vehicle;

18 (7) RCW 46.16.011 relating to permitting unauthorized persons to
19 drive;

20 (8) RCW 46.16.160 relating to vehicle trip permits;

21 (9) RCW 46.16.381(2) relating to knowingly providing false
22 information in conjunction with an application for a special placard or
23 license plate for disabled persons' parking;

24 (10) RCW 46.20.005 relating to driving without a valid driver's
25 license;

26 (11) RCW 46.20.091 relating to false statements regarding a
27 driver's license or instruction permit;

28 (12) RCW 46.20.0921 relating to the unlawful possession and use of
29 a driver's license;

30 (13) RCW 46.20.342 relating to driving with a suspended or revoked
31 license or status;

32 (14) RCW 46.20.345 relating to the operation of a motor vehicle
33 with a suspended or revoked license;

34 (15) RCW 46.20.410 relating to the violation of restrictions of an
35 occupational ((~~or~~)) driver's license, temporary restricted driver's
36 license, or ignition interlock driver's license;

37 (16) RCW 46.20.740 relating to operation of a motor vehicle without

1 an ignition interlock device in violation of a license notation that
2 the device is required;

3 (17) RCW 46.20.750 relating to (~~assisting another person to start~~
4 ~~a vehicle equipped with~~) circumventing an ignition interlock device;

5 (18) RCW 46.25.170 relating to commercial driver's licenses;

6 (19) Chapter 46.29 RCW relating to financial responsibility;

7 (20) RCW 46.30.040 relating to providing false evidence of
8 financial responsibility;

9 (21) RCW 46.37.435 relating to wrongful installation of
10 sunscreening material;

11 (22) RCW 46.37.650 relating to the sale, resale, distribution, or
12 installation of a previously deployed air bag;

13 (23) RCW 46.37.671 through 46.37.675 relating to signal preemption
14 devices;

15 (24) RCW 46.44.180 relating to operation of mobile home pilot
16 vehicles;

17 ~~((+24+))~~ (25) RCW 46.48.175 relating to the transportation of
18 dangerous articles;

19 ~~((+25+))~~ (26) RCW 46.52.010 relating to duty on striking an
20 unattended car or other property;

21 ~~((+26+))~~ (27) RCW 46.52.020 relating to duty in case of injury to
22 or death of a person or damage to an attended vehicle;

23 ~~((+27+))~~ (28) RCW 46.52.090 relating to reports by repairmen,
24 storagemen, and appraisers;

25 ~~((+28+))~~ (29) RCW 46.52.130 relating to confidentiality of the
26 driving record to be furnished to an insurance company, an employer,
27 and an alcohol/drug assessment or treatment agency;

28 ~~((+29+))~~ (30) RCW 46.55.020 relating to engaging in the activities
29 of a registered tow truck operator without a registration certificate;

30 ~~((+30+))~~ (31) RCW 46.55.035 relating to prohibited practices by tow
31 truck operators;

32 ~~((+31+))~~ (32) RCW 46.55.300 relating to vehicle immobilization;

33 (33) RCW 46.61.015 relating to obedience to police officers,
34 flaggers, or firefighters;

35 ~~((+32+))~~ (34) RCW 46.61.020 relating to refusal to give information
36 to or cooperate with an officer;

37 ~~((+33+))~~ (35) RCW 46.61.022 relating to failure to stop and give
38 identification to an officer;

1 ~~((34))~~ (36) RCW 46.61.024 relating to attempting to elude
2 pursuing police vehicles;
3 ~~((35))~~ (37) RCW 46.61.500 relating to reckless driving;
4 ~~((36))~~ (38) RCW 46.61.502 and 46.61.504 relating to persons under
5 the influence of intoxicating liquor or drugs;
6 ~~((37))~~ (39) RCW 46.61.503 relating to a person under age twenty-
7 one driving a motor vehicle after consuming alcohol;
8 ~~((38))~~ (40) RCW 46.61.520 relating to vehicular homicide by motor
9 vehicle;
10 ~~((39))~~ (41) RCW 46.61.522 relating to vehicular assault;
11 ~~((40))~~ (42) RCW 46.61.5249 relating to first degree negligent
12 driving;
13 ~~((41))~~ (43) RCW 46.61.527(4) relating to reckless endangerment of
14 roadway workers;
15 ~~((42))~~ (44) RCW 46.61.530 relating to racing of vehicles on
16 highways;
17 ~~((43))~~ (45) RCW 46.61.655(7) (a) and (b) relating to failure to
18 secure a load;
19 ~~((44))~~ (46) RCW 46.61.685 relating to leaving children in an
20 unattended vehicle with the motor running;
21 ~~((45))~~ (47) RCW 46.61.740 relating to theft of motor vehicle
22 fuel;
23 ~~((46))~~ ~~RCW 46.37.671 through 46.37.675 relating to signal~~
24 ~~preemption devices;~~
25 ~~(47))~~ (48) RCW 46.64.010 relating to unlawful cancellation of or
26 attempt to cancel a traffic citation;
27 ~~((48))~~ (49) RCW 46.64.048 relating to attempting, aiding,
28 abetting, coercing, and committing crimes;
29 ~~((49))~~ (50) Chapter 46.65 RCW relating to habitual traffic
30 offenders;
31 ~~((50))~~ (51) RCW 46.68.010 relating to false statements made to
32 obtain a refund;
33 ~~((51))~~ (52) Chapter 46.70 RCW relating to unfair motor vehicle
34 business practices, except where that chapter provides for the
35 assessment of monetary penalties of a civil nature;
36 ~~((52))~~ (53) Chapter 46.72 RCW relating to the transportation of
37 passengers in for hire vehicles;

1 (~~(53)~~) (54) RCW 46.72A.060 relating to limousine carrier
2 insurance;
3 (~~(54)~~) (55) RCW 46.72A.070 relating to operation of a limousine
4 without a vehicle certificate;
5 (~~(55)~~) (56) RCW 46.72A.080 relating to false advertising by a
6 limousine carrier;
7 (~~(56)~~) (57) Chapter 46.80 RCW relating to motor vehicle wreckers;
8 (~~(57)~~) (58) Chapter 46.82 RCW relating to driver's training
9 schools;
10 (~~(58)~~) (59) RCW 46.87.260 relating to alteration or forgery of a
11 cab card, letter of authority, or other temporary authority issued
12 under chapter 46.87 RCW;
13 (~~(59)~~) (60) RCW 46.87.290 relating to operation of an
14 unregistered or unlicensed vehicle under chapter 46.87 RCW.

15 **Sec. 12.** RCW 46.20.720 and 2004 c 95 s 11 are each amended to read
16 as follows:

17 (1) The court may order that after a period of suspension,
18 revocation, or denial of driving privileges, and for up to as long as
19 the court has jurisdiction, any person convicted of any offense
20 involving the use, consumption, or possession of alcohol while
21 operating a motor vehicle may drive only a motor vehicle equipped with
22 a functioning ignition interlock. The court shall establish a specific
23 calibration setting at which the interlock will prevent the vehicle
24 from being started. The court shall also establish the period of time
25 for which interlock use will be required.

26 (2) Under RCW 46.61.5055, the court shall order any person
27 convicted of a violation of RCW 46.61.502 or 46.61.504 or an equivalent
28 local ordinance to apply for an ignition interlock driver's license
29 from the department under section 9 of this act and to have a
30 functioning ignition interlock device installed on all motor vehicles
31 operated by the person.

32 (3) The department shall require that, after any applicable period
33 of suspension, revocation, or denial of driving privileges, a person
34 may drive only a motor vehicle equipped with a functioning ignition
35 interlock device if the person is convicted of an alcohol-related
36 violation of RCW 46.61.502 or 46.61.504 or an equivalent local
37 ordinance.

1 The department may waive the requirement for the use of such a
2 device if it concludes that such devices are not reasonably available
3 in the local area. The device is not necessary on vehicles owned by a
4 person's employer and driven as a requirement of employment during
5 working hours. The person must provide the department with a
6 declaration pursuant to RCW 9A.72.085 from his or her employer stating
7 that the person's employment requires the person to operate a vehicle
8 owned by the employer during working hours.

9 The ignition interlock device shall be calibrated to prevent the
10 motor vehicle from being started when the breath sample provided has an
11 alcohol concentration of 0.025 or more. The period of time of the
12 restriction will be as follows:

13 (a) For a person who has not previously been restricted under this
14 section, a period of one year;

15 (b) For a person who has previously been restricted under (a) of
16 this subsection, a period of five years;

17 (c) For a person who has previously been restricted under (b) of
18 this subsection, a period of ten years.

19 **Sec. 13.** RCW 46.20.740 and 2004 c 95 s 12 are each amended to read
20 as follows:

21 (1) The department shall attach or imprint a notation on the
22 driving record of any person restricted under RCW 46.20.720 or
23 46.61.5055 stating that the person may operate only a motor vehicle
24 equipped with a functioning ignition interlock device. The department
25 shall determine the person's eligibility for licensing based upon
26 written verification by a company doing business in the state that it
27 has installed the required device on a vehicle owned or operated by the
28 person seeking reinstatement. If, based upon notification from the
29 interlock provider or otherwise, the department determines that an
30 ignition interlock required under this section is no longer installed
31 or functioning as required, the department shall suspend the person's
32 license or privilege to drive. Whenever the license or driving
33 privilege of any person is suspended or revoked as a result of
34 noncompliance with an ignition interlock requirement, the suspension
35 shall remain in effect until the person provides notice issued by a
36 company doing business in the state that a vehicle owned or operated by
37 the person is equipped with a functioning ignition interlock device.

1 (2) It is a misdemeanor for a person with such a notation on his or
2 her driving record to operate a motor vehicle that is not so equipped.

3 **Sec. 14.** RCW 46.61.5055 and 2007 c 474 s 1 are each amended to
4 read as follows:

5 (1) Except as provided in RCW 46.61.502(6) or 46.61.504(6), a
6 person who is convicted of a violation of RCW 46.61.502 or 46.61.504
7 and who has no prior offense within seven years shall be punished as
8 follows:

9 (a) In the case of a person whose alcohol concentration was less
10 than 0.15, or for whom for reasons other than the person's refusal to
11 take a test offered pursuant to RCW 46.20.308 there is no test result
12 indicating the person's alcohol concentration:

13 (i) By imprisonment for not less than one day nor more than one
14 year. Twenty-four consecutive hours of the imprisonment may not be
15 suspended or deferred unless the court finds that the imposition of
16 this mandatory minimum sentence would impose a substantial risk to the
17 offender's physical or mental well-being. Whenever the mandatory
18 minimum sentence is suspended or deferred, the court shall state in
19 writing the reason for granting the suspension or deferral and the
20 facts upon which the suspension or deferral is based. In lieu of the
21 mandatory minimum term of imprisonment required under this subsection
22 (1)(a)(i), the court may order not less than fifteen days of electronic
23 home monitoring. The offender shall pay the cost of electronic home
24 monitoring. The county or municipality in which the penalty is being
25 imposed shall determine the cost. The court may also require the
26 offender's electronic home monitoring device to include an alcohol
27 detection breathalyzer, and the court may restrict the amount of
28 alcohol the offender may consume during the time the offender is on
29 electronic home monitoring; and

30 (ii) By a fine of not less than three hundred fifty dollars nor
31 more than five thousand dollars. Three hundred fifty dollars of the
32 fine may not be suspended or deferred unless the court finds the
33 offender to be indigent; or

34 (b) In the case of a person whose alcohol concentration was at
35 least 0.15, or for whom by reason of the person's refusal to take a
36 test offered pursuant to RCW 46.20.308 there is no test result
37 indicating the person's alcohol concentration:

1 (i) By imprisonment for not less than two days nor more than one
2 year. Two consecutive days of the imprisonment may not be suspended or
3 deferred unless the court finds that the imposition of this mandatory
4 minimum sentence would impose a substantial risk to the offender's
5 physical or mental well-being. Whenever the mandatory minimum sentence
6 is suspended or deferred, the court shall state in writing the reason
7 for granting the suspension or deferral and the facts upon which the
8 suspension or deferral is based. In lieu of the mandatory minimum term
9 of imprisonment required under this subsection (1)(b)(i), the court may
10 order not less than thirty days of electronic home monitoring. The
11 offender shall pay the cost of electronic home monitoring. The county
12 or municipality in which the penalty is being imposed shall determine
13 the cost. The court may also require the offender's electronic home
14 monitoring device to include an alcohol detection breathalyzer, and the
15 court may restrict the amount of alcohol the offender may consume
16 during the time the offender is on electronic home monitoring; and

17 (ii) By a fine of not less than five hundred dollars nor more than
18 five thousand dollars. Five hundred dollars of the fine may not be
19 suspended or deferred unless the court finds the offender to be
20 indigent.

21 (2) Except as provided in RCW 46.61.502(6) or 46.61.504(6), a
22 person who is convicted of a violation of RCW 46.61.502 or 46.61.504
23 and who has one prior offense within seven years shall be punished as
24 follows:

25 (a) In the case of a person whose alcohol concentration was less
26 than 0.15, or for whom for reasons other than the person's refusal to
27 take a test offered pursuant to RCW 46.20.308 there is no test result
28 indicating the person's alcohol concentration:

29 (i) By imprisonment for not less than thirty days nor more than one
30 year and sixty days of electronic home monitoring. The offender shall
31 pay for the cost of the electronic monitoring. The county or
32 municipality where the penalty is being imposed shall determine the
33 cost. The court may also require the offender's electronic home
34 monitoring device include an alcohol detection breathalyzer, and may
35 restrict the amount of alcohol the offender may consume during the time
36 the offender is on electronic home monitoring. Thirty days of
37 imprisonment and sixty days of electronic home monitoring may not be
38 suspended or deferred unless the court finds that the imposition of

1 this mandatory minimum sentence would impose a substantial risk to the
2 offender's physical or mental well-being. Whenever the mandatory
3 minimum sentence is suspended or deferred, the court shall state in
4 writing the reason for granting the suspension or deferral and the
5 facts upon which the suspension or deferral is based; and

6 (ii) By a fine of not less than five hundred dollars nor more than
7 five thousand dollars. Five hundred dollars of the fine may not be
8 suspended or deferred unless the court finds the offender to be
9 indigent; or

10 (b) In the case of a person whose alcohol concentration was at
11 least 0.15, or for whom by reason of the person's refusal to take a
12 test offered pursuant to RCW 46.20.308 there is no test result
13 indicating the person's alcohol concentration:

14 (i) By imprisonment for not less than forty-five days nor more than
15 one year and ninety days of electronic home monitoring. The offender
16 shall pay for the cost of the electronic monitoring. The county or
17 municipality where the penalty is being imposed shall determine the
18 cost. The court may also require the offender's electronic home
19 monitoring device include an alcohol detection breathalyzer, and may
20 restrict the amount of alcohol the offender may consume during the time
21 the offender is on electronic home monitoring. Forty-five days of
22 imprisonment and ninety days of electronic home monitoring may not be
23 suspended or deferred unless the court finds that the imposition of
24 this mandatory minimum sentence would impose a substantial risk to the
25 offender's physical or mental well-being. Whenever the mandatory
26 minimum sentence is suspended or deferred, the court shall state in
27 writing the reason for granting the suspension or deferral and the
28 facts upon which the suspension or deferral is based; and

29 (ii) By a fine of not less than seven hundred fifty dollars nor
30 more than five thousand dollars. Seven hundred fifty dollars of the
31 fine may not be suspended or deferred unless the court finds the
32 offender to be indigent.

33 (3) Except as provided in RCW 46.61.502(6) or 46.61.504(6), a
34 person who is convicted of a violation of RCW 46.61.502 or 46.61.504
35 and who has two or three prior offenses within seven years shall be
36 punished as follows:

37 (a) In the case of a person whose alcohol concentration was less

1 than 0.15, or for whom for reasons other than the person's refusal to
2 take a test offered pursuant to RCW 46.20.308 there is no test result
3 indicating the person's alcohol concentration:

4 (i) By imprisonment for not less than ninety days nor more than one
5 year and one hundred twenty days of electronic home monitoring. The
6 offender shall pay for the cost of the electronic monitoring. The
7 county or municipality where the penalty is being imposed shall
8 determine the cost. The court may also require the offender's
9 electronic home monitoring device include an alcohol detection
10 breathalyzer, and may restrict the amount of alcohol the offender may
11 consume during the time the offender is on electronic home monitoring.
12 Ninety days of imprisonment and one hundred twenty days of electronic
13 home monitoring may not be suspended or deferred unless the court finds
14 that the imposition of this mandatory minimum sentence would impose a
15 substantial risk to the offender's physical or mental well-being.
16 Whenever the mandatory minimum sentence is suspended or deferred, the
17 court shall state in writing the reason for granting the suspension or
18 deferral and the facts upon which the suspension or deferral is based;
19 and

20 (ii) By a fine of not less than one thousand dollars nor more than
21 five thousand dollars. One thousand dollars of the fine may not be
22 suspended or deferred unless the court finds the offender to be
23 indigent; or

24 (b) In the case of a person whose alcohol concentration was at
25 least 0.15, or for whom by reason of the person's refusal to take a
26 test offered pursuant to RCW 46.20.308 there is no test result
27 indicating the person's alcohol concentration:

28 (i) By imprisonment for not less than one hundred twenty days nor
29 more than one year and one hundred fifty days of electronic home
30 monitoring. The offender shall pay for the cost of the electronic
31 monitoring. The county or municipality where the penalty is being
32 imposed shall determine the cost. The court may also require the
33 offender's electronic home monitoring device include an alcohol
34 detection breathalyzer, and may restrict the amount of alcohol the
35 offender may consume during the time the offender is on electronic home
36 monitoring. One hundred twenty days of imprisonment and one hundred
37 fifty days of electronic home monitoring may not be suspended or
38 deferred unless the court finds that the imposition of this mandatory

1 minimum sentence would impose a substantial risk to the offender's
2 physical or mental well-being. Whenever the mandatory minimum sentence
3 is suspended or deferred, the court shall state in writing the reason
4 for granting the suspension or deferral and the facts upon which the
5 suspension or deferral is based; and

6 (ii) By a fine of not less than one thousand five hundred dollars
7 nor more than five thousand dollars. One thousand five hundred dollars
8 of the fine may not be suspended or deferred unless the court finds the
9 offender to be indigent.

10 (4) A person who is convicted of a violation of RCW 46.61.502 or
11 46.61.504 and who has four or more prior offenses within ten years, or
12 who has ever previously been convicted of a violation of RCW 46.61.520
13 committed while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or any drug
14 or RCW 46.61.522 committed while under the influence of intoxicating
15 liquor or any drug, shall be punished in accordance with chapter 9.94A
16 RCW.

17 (5)(a) The court shall require any person convicted of a violation
18 of RCW 46.61.502 or 46.61.504 to apply for an ignition interlock
19 driver's license from the department under section 9 of this act and to
20 have a functioning ignition interlock device installed on all motor
21 vehicles operated by the person.

22 (b) The installation of an ignition interlock device is not
23 necessary on vehicles owned by a person's employer and driven as a
24 requirement of employment during working hours. The person must
25 provide the department with a declaration pursuant to RCW 9A.72.085
26 from his or her employer stating that the person's employment requires
27 the person to operate a vehicle owned by the employer during working
28 hours.

29 (c) An ignition interlock device imposed under this section shall
30 be calibrated to prevent a motor vehicle from being started when the
31 breath sample provided has an alcohol concentration of 0.025 or more.

32 (d) The court may waive the requirement that a person obtain an
33 ignition interlock driver's license and operate only vehicles equipped
34 with a functioning ignition interlock device if the court makes a
35 specific finding in writing that the devices are not reasonably
36 available in the local area, that the person does not operate a
37 vehicle, or the person is not eligible to receive an ignition interlock
38 driver's license under section 9 of this act.

1 (e) When the requirement that a person obtain an ignition interlock
2 driver's license and operate only vehicles equipped with a functioning
3 ignition interlock device is waived by the court, the court shall order
4 the person to submit to alcohol monitoring through an alcohol detection
5 breathalyzer device, transdermal sensor device, or other technology
6 designed to detect alcohol in a person's system. The person shall pay
7 for the cost of the monitoring. The county or municipality where the
8 penalty is being imposed shall determine the cost.

9 (f) The period of time for which ignition interlock use or alcohol
10 monitoring is required will be as follows:

11 (i) For a person who has not previously been restricted under this
12 section, a period of one year;

13 (ii) For a person who has previously been restricted under (f)(i)
14 of this subsection, a period of five years;

15 (iii) For a person who has previously been restricted under (f)(ii)
16 of this subsection, a period of ten years.

17 (6) If a person who is convicted of a violation of RCW 46.61.502 or
18 46.61.504 committed the offense while a passenger under the age of
19 sixteen was in the vehicle, the court shall:

20 (a) In any case in which the installation and use of an interlock
21 or other device is not mandatory under RCW 46.20.720 or other law,
22 order the use of such a device for not less than sixty days following
23 the restoration of the person's license, permit, or nonresident driving
24 privileges; and

25 (b) In any case in which the installation and use of such a device
26 is otherwise mandatory, order the use of such a device for an
27 additional sixty days.

28 ~~((+6))~~ (7) In exercising its discretion in setting penalties
29 within the limits allowed by this section, the court shall particularly
30 consider the following:

31 (a) Whether the person's driving at the time of the offense was
32 responsible for injury or damage to another or another's property; and

33 (b) Whether at the time of the offense the person was driving or in
34 physical control of a vehicle with one or more passengers.

35 ~~((+7))~~ (8) An offender punishable under this section is subject to
36 the alcohol assessment and treatment provisions of RCW 46.61.5056.

37 ~~((+8))~~ (9) The license, permit, or nonresident privilege of a

1 person convicted of driving or being in physical control of a motor
2 vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or drugs must:

3 (a) If the person's alcohol concentration was less than 0.15, or if
4 for reasons other than the person's refusal to take a test offered
5 under RCW 46.20.308 there is no test result indicating the person's
6 alcohol concentration:

7 (i) Where there has been no prior offense within seven years, be
8 suspended or denied by the department for ninety days;

9 (ii) Where there has been one prior offense within seven years, be
10 revoked or denied by the department for two years; or

11 (iii) Where there have been two or more prior offenses within seven
12 years, be revoked or denied by the department for three years;

13 (b) If the person's alcohol concentration was at least 0.15:

14 (i) Where there has been no prior offense within seven years, be
15 revoked or denied by the department for one year;

16 (ii) Where there has been one prior offense within seven years, be
17 revoked or denied by the department for nine hundred days; or

18 (iii) Where there have been two or more prior offenses within seven
19 years, be revoked or denied by the department for four years; or

20 (c) If by reason of the person's refusal to take a test offered
21 under RCW 46.20.308, there is no test result indicating the person's
22 alcohol concentration:

23 (i) Where there have been no prior offenses within seven years, be
24 revoked or denied by the department for two years;

25 (ii) Where there has been one prior offense within seven years, be
26 revoked or denied by the department for three years; or

27 (iii) Where there have been two or more previous offenses within
28 seven years, be revoked or denied by the department for four years.

29 The department shall grant credit on a day-for-day basis for any
30 portion of a suspension, revocation, or denial already served under
31 this subsection for a suspension, revocation, or denial imposed under
32 RCW 46.20.3101 arising out of the same incident.

33 For purposes of this subsection (~~((8))~~) (9), the department shall
34 refer to the driver's record maintained under RCW 46.52.120 when
35 determining the existence of prior offenses.

36 (~~((9))~~) (10) After expiration of any period of suspension,
37 revocation, or denial of the offender's license, permit, or privilege

1 to drive required by this section, the department shall place the
2 offender's driving privilege in probationary status pursuant to RCW
3 46.20.355.

4 ~~((10))~~ (11)(a) In addition to any nonsuspendable and
5 nondeferrable jail sentence required by this section, whenever the
6 court imposes less than one year in jail, the court shall also suspend
7 but shall not defer a period of confinement for a period not exceeding
8 five years. The court shall impose conditions of probation that
9 include: (i) Not driving a motor vehicle within this state without a
10 valid license to drive and proof of financial responsibility for the
11 future; (ii) not driving a motor vehicle within this state while having
12 an alcohol concentration of 0.08 or more within two hours after
13 driving; and (iii) not refusing to submit to a test of his or her
14 breath or blood to determine alcohol concentration upon request of a
15 law enforcement officer who has reasonable grounds to believe the
16 person was driving or was in actual physical control of a motor vehicle
17 within this state while under the influence of intoxicating liquor.
18 The court may impose conditions of probation that include
19 nonrepetition, installation of an ignition interlock device on the
20 probationer's motor vehicle, alcohol or drug treatment, supervised
21 probation, or other conditions that may be appropriate. The sentence
22 may be imposed in whole or in part upon violation of a condition of
23 probation during the suspension period.

24 (b) For each violation of mandatory conditions of probation under
25 (a)(i), (ii), or (iii) of this subsection, the court shall order the
26 convicted person to be confined for thirty days, which shall not be
27 suspended or deferred.

28 (c) For each incident involving a violation of a mandatory
29 condition of probation imposed under this subsection, the license,
30 permit, or privilege to drive of the person shall be suspended by the
31 court for thirty days or, if such license, permit, or privilege to
32 drive already is suspended, revoked, or denied at the time the finding
33 of probation violation is made, the suspension, revocation, or denial
34 then in effect shall be extended by thirty days. The court shall
35 notify the department of any suspension, revocation, or denial or any
36 extension of a suspension, revocation, or denial imposed under this
37 subsection.

1 (~~(11)~~) (12) A court may waive the electronic home monitoring
2 requirements of this chapter when:

3 (a) The offender does not have a dwelling, telephone service, or
4 any other necessity to operate an electronic home monitoring system;

5 (b) The offender does not reside in the state of Washington; or

6 (c) The court determines that there is reason to believe that the
7 offender would violate the conditions of the electronic home monitoring
8 penalty.

9 Whenever the mandatory minimum term of electronic home monitoring
10 is waived, the court shall state in writing the reason for granting the
11 waiver and the facts upon which the waiver is based, and shall impose
12 an alternative sentence with similar punitive consequences. The
13 alternative sentence may include, but is not limited to, additional
14 jail time, work crew, or work camp.

15 Whenever the combination of jail time and electronic home
16 monitoring or alternative sentence would exceed three hundred sixty-
17 five days, the offender shall serve the jail portion of the sentence
18 first, and the electronic home monitoring or alternative portion of the
19 sentence shall be reduced so that the combination does not exceed three
20 hundred sixty-five days.

21 (~~(12)~~) (13) An offender serving a sentence under this section,
22 whether or not a mandatory minimum term has expired, may be granted an
23 extraordinary medical placement by the jail administrator subject to
24 the standards and limitations set forth in RCW 9.94A.728(4).

25 (~~(13)~~) (14) For purposes of this section and RCW 46.61.502 and
26 46.61.504:

27 (a) A "prior offense" means any of the following:

28 (i) A conviction for a violation of RCW 46.61.502 or an equivalent
29 local ordinance;

30 (ii) A conviction for a violation of RCW 46.61.504 or an equivalent
31 local ordinance;

32 (iii) A conviction for a violation of RCW 46.61.520 committed while
33 under the influence of intoxicating liquor or any drug;

34 (iv) A conviction for a violation of RCW 46.61.522 committed while
35 under the influence of intoxicating liquor or any drug;

36 (v) A conviction for a violation of RCW 46.61.5249, 46.61.500, or
37 9A.36.050 or an equivalent local ordinance, if the conviction is the

1 result of a charge that was originally filed as a violation of RCW
2 46.61.502 or 46.61.504, or an equivalent local ordinance, or of RCW
3 46.61.520 or 46.61.522;

4 (vi) An out-of-state conviction for a violation that would have
5 been a violation of (a)(i), (ii), (iii), (iv), or (v) of this
6 subsection if committed in this state;

7 (vii) A deferred prosecution under chapter 10.05 RCW granted in a
8 prosecution for a violation of RCW 46.61.502, 46.61.504, or an
9 equivalent local ordinance; or

10 (viii) A deferred prosecution under chapter 10.05 RCW granted in a
11 prosecution for a violation of RCW 46.61.5249, or an equivalent local
12 ordinance, if the charge under which the deferred prosecution was
13 granted was originally filed as a violation of RCW 46.61.502 or
14 46.61.504, or an equivalent local ordinance, or of RCW 46.61.520 or
15 46.61.522;

16 (b) "Within seven years" means that the arrest for a prior offense
17 occurred within seven years of the arrest for the current offense; and

18 (c) "Within ten years" means that the arrest for a prior offense
19 occurred within ten years of the arrest for the current offense.

20 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 15.** Sections 2, 4 through 8, and 11 through 14
21 of this act take effect January 1, 2009.

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