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**State of Washington 64th Legislature 2016 Regular Session**

**By** Representative Klippert

AN ACT Relating to flying flags from Washington state ferry system vessels and terminals; and adding a new section to chapter 47.60 RCW.

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

NEW SECTION. **Sec.**  A new section is added to chapter 47.60 RCW to read as follows:

(1) The Washington state ferry system may not fly a flag on any vessel or terminal that it operates, other than the flag of the United States, the flag of Washington state, or a maritime flag.

(2) For the purposes of this section, "maritime flag" means a flag that is flown as part of the international code of signals for the purpose of communication between vessels.

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