
SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 8206

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By Senators Ranker, Hargrove, Keiser, Kohl-Welles, Nelson, and Hatfield

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1 BE IT RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
2 STATE OF WASHINGTON, IN LEGISLATIVE SESSION ASSEMBLED:

3 THAT, At the next general election to be held in this state the
4 secretary of state shall submit to the qualified voters of the state
5 for their approval and ratification, or rejection, an amendment to
6 Article VII of the Constitution of the state of Washington by adding
7 a new section to read as follows:

8 Article VII, section Any tax imposed on or measured by
9 capital gains as defined by statute may be imposed only on annual
10 capital gains in excess of five hundred thousand dollars for
11 taxpayers filing a joint return and only on annual capital gains in
12 excess of two hundred fifty thousand dollars for all other taxpayers.

13 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the secretary of state shall cause
14 notice of this constitutional amendment to be published at least four
15 times during the four weeks next preceding the election in every
16 legal newspaper in the state.

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