
HOUSE BILL 2000

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By Representatives Caldier and Richards

1 AN ACT Relating to names to be included on the Washington state
2 law enforcement memorial; and adding a new section to chapter 79.24
3 RCW.

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

5 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 79.24
6 RCW to read as follows:

7 Washington state law enforcement officers ruled as dying in the
8 line of duty under the hometown heroes survivors benefits act of
9 2003, as determined by the United States department of justice, shall
10 be included on the Washington state law enforcement memorial.

11 (1) This section applies retroactively for five years to include
12 Washington state law enforcement officers who died in the line of
13 duty on or after January 1, 2020.

14 (2) Once a determination is made pursuant to the hometown heroes
15 survivors benefits act of 2003, the officer's name shall be added to
16 the Washington state law enforcement memorial at the first wall
17 update following the determination.

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