
SENATE BILL 6109

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By Senators Pridemore, Swecker, and Prentice; by request of Attorney General and State Auditor

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1 AN ACT Relating to exempting video and audio recordings of closed
2 executive session meetings from public inspection and copying; and
3 adding a new section to chapter 42.56 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 42.56 RCW
6 to read as follows:

7 Video and audio recordings of any portion of an executive session
8 from which the public is excluded pursuant to RCW 42.30.110 are exempt
9 from public disclosure under this chapter. A majority of the
10 statutorily or otherwise legally authorized, voting positions of the
11 governing body of the public agency may waive this exemption for any
12 portion of a recording not made confidential by some other law without
13 waiving this exemption for other recordings.

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