
SENATE BILL 6390

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By Senators Fortunato, Rivers, Wilson, L., and Ericksen

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1 AN ACT Relating to making the nonprofit and library fund-raising
2 exemption permanent; amending RCW 82.12.225; and creating new
3 sections.

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

5 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** The legislature recognizes that the
6 citizen commission for performance measurement of tax preferences
7 recommended continuing the use tax exemption for individuals who win
8 items at nonprofit or library fund-raising events, finding that the
9 preference was meeting the legislature's objectives and that it
10 allowed nonprofits and libraries to avoid the administrative burdens
11 and decreased donations associated with collecting and reporting use
12 tax at fund-raising events. In light of these findings, the
13 legislature intends to make this exemption permanent.

14 **Sec. 2.** RCW 82.12.225 and 2015 3rd sp.s. c 32 s 2 are each
15 amended to read as follows:

16 ((1)) The provisions of this chapter do not apply in respect to
17 the use of any article of personal property, valued at less than
18 twelve thousand dollars, purchased or received as a prize in a
19 contest of chance, as defined in RCW 82.04.285, from a nonprofit
20 organization or a library, if the gross income the nonprofit

1 organization or library receives from the sale is exempt under RCW
2 82.04.3651.

3 (~~(2) This section expires July 1, 2020.~~)

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 3.** The provisions of RCW 82.32.805 and
5 82.32.808 do not apply to this act.

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