



STATE OF WASHINGTON
— OFFICE OF GOVERNOR BOB FERGUSON —

March 23, 2026

To: Ladies and Gentlemen
From: Deborah Driver, Legislative Director *D.D.*
Subject: **Bill Action -- March 14, 2026**
Governor's Conference Room
416 Sid Snyder Ave SW
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Olympia, WA 98504

Governor Ferguson will take action on the following House and Senate Bills:

Commencing at 11:00 AM

House Bill No. 2309

Relating to reducing barriers to state employment by eliminating postgraduate degree requirements that are unnecessary.

Primary Sponsor: Rep. Mari Leavitt

Engrossed House Bill No. 2317

Relating to early learning program licensing requirements.

Primary Sponsor: Rep. Carolyn Eslick

House Bill No. 2441

Relating to medical insurance premium reimbursements for surviving spouses of line of duty deaths.

Primary Sponsor: Rep. Sam Low

Second Substitute House Bill No. 2479

Relating to the recovery of unpaid wages.

Primary Sponsor: Rep. Mary Fosse

Senate Bill No. 5467

Relating to the sale of surplus property by water-sewer districts.
Primary Sponsor: Sen. Keith Goehner

Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 5552

Relating to the creation of building codes for kit homes.
Primary Sponsor: Sen. Jeff Wilson

Substitute Senate Bill No. 6149

Relating to the definition of "rural county" for purposes of public facilities funding.
Primary Sponsor: Sen. Jeff Wilson

Substitute Senate Bill No. 5825

Relating to authorizing the Washington state leadership board to solicit gifts, grants, and endowments from public or private sources.
Primary Sponsor: Sen. Claire Wilson

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 5872

Relating to establishing the preK promise account.
Primary Sponsor: Sen. Claire Wilson

Substitute Senate Bill No. 5917

Relating to improving access to abortion medications.
Primary Sponsor: Sen. Jessica Bateman

Senate Bill No. 5963

Relating to modifying funding for the passport to careers program, and permitting students eligible for the passport to careers program to automatically qualify as income-eligible for the purpose of receiving the Washington college grant.
Primary Sponsor: Sen. T'wina Nobles

Senate Bill No. 6025

Relating to updating the definition of fetal death to ensure the calculation of gestational age is based on objective and clinically accurate criteria.

Primary Sponsor: Sen. Annette Cleveland

Senate Bill No. 6046

Relating to the Washington division of civil air patrol as part of the Washington military department.

Primary Sponsor: Sen. Keith Wagoner

Substitute Senate Bill No. 5874

Relating to employers' information reporting for purposes of unemployment compensation.

Primary Sponsor: Sen. Drew MacEwen

Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 6087

Relating to donations for children.

Primary Sponsor: Sen. John Braun

Substitute Senate Bill No. 6183

Relating to coverage for HIV antiviral drugs.

Primary Sponsor: Sen. Marko Liias

Senate Bill No. 6278

Relating to the ongoing review of approved teacher and principal preparation programs.

Primary Sponsor: Sen. Lisa Wellman

NOTE: Order of bills is subject to change.

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