# 2011 Final Legislative Status Report – WSBA-Sponsored Legislation

#### SHB 1051

# **An Act Relating to Trusts and Estates**

**Explanatory Memo** 

Sponsored by Representatives Pedersen, Rodne, Eddy, Goodman, Kelley, Moeller. **BAR POSITION:** Sponsor, from the WSBA Real Property, Probate & Trust Section.

STATUS: Chapter 327, Laws of 2011. Effective date 1/1/2012.

#### HB 1052

# An Act Relating to Stakeholders and Boards of Directors to Take Certain Actions Under the Corporation Act.

<u>Explanatory Memo – Vesting of Indemnification Rights</u>

Explanatory Memo – Force the Vote

Explanatory Memo - Bylaws et al

Sponsored by Representatives Pedersen, Rodne, Eddy, Moeller.

BAR POSITION: Sponsor, from the WSBA Business Law Section, Corporate Act

Revision Committee.

STATUS: Chapter 328, Laws of 2011. Effective date 7/22/2011.

#### SHB 1053

An Act Relating to the Implementation of Recommendations from the Washington State Bar Association Elder Law Section's Executive Committee Report of the Guardianship Task Force.

**Explanatory Memo** 

Sponsored by Representatives Moeller, Kenney, Ladenburg, Appleton, Roberts, Darneille, Upthgrove.

**BAR POSITION:** Sponsor, from the WSBA Elder Law Section. **STATUS:** Chapter 329, Laws of 2011 PV. Effective date 7/22/2011.

#### HB 1221

# An Act Relating to Rights of Higher Education Students Involved in Military Service.

**Explanatory Memo** 

Sponsored by Representatives Finn, Rodne, Eddy, Shea, Klippert, and Kelley.

**BAR POSITION:** Sponsor, from the WSBA Legal Assistance to Military Personnel

Section.

**STATUS:** Failed to pass.

#### E2SHB 1267

# An Act Relating to Clarifying and Expanding the Rights and Obligations of State Registered Domestic Partners and Other Couples Related to Parentage.

#### **Explanatory Memo**

Sponsored by Representatives Pedersen, Walsh, Jinkins, Eddy, Roberts, Frockt, Carlyle, Liias, Kenney, Clibborn, Seaquist, Blake, Hudgins, Fitzgibbon, Darneile, Dunshee, Morris, Takko, Pettigrew, Finn, Billig, Hunter, Cody, Dickerson, Stanford, Springer, Reykdal, Haigh, Rolfes, Sells, Jacks, Appleton, Hunt, Maxwell, Rye, Ormsby, Ladenburg, McCoy, Santos, Lytton, Moscoso, Upthegrove, Green, Hasegawa, and Tharinger.

**BAR POSITION:** Sponsor, from the WSBA Board of Governors **STATUS:** Chapter 283, Laws of 2011. Effective date 7/22/2011.

#### SHB 1615

#### An Act Relating to Service Members' Civil Relief.

**Explanatory Memo** 

Sponsored by Representatives Ladenburg, Kelley, Rodne, Moscoso, Kirby, Appleton, and Stanford.

**BAR POSITION:** Sponsor, from the WSBA Legal Assistance to Military Personnel

Section.

**STATUS:** Failed to pass.

#### SSB 5085

Modifying provisions on personal property exempt from execution, attachment, and garnishment.

#### **Explanatory Memo**

Sponsored by Senator Kline.

**BAR POSITION:** Sponsor, from the WSBA Creditor Debtor Rights Section.

**STATUS:** Passed Senate. Died in Rules. Amended onto <u>ESHB 1864</u> in the Senate.

Chapter 162, Laws of 2011. Effective date 7/22/2011 - Except section 6 which becomes effective 1/1/2018.

#### SB 5057

# An Act Relating to the income tax required to be paid by a trustee.

**Explanatory Memo** 

Sponsored by Senators Pflug, Kline and Harper.

**BAR POSITION:** Sponsor, from the WSBA Real Property, Probate & Trust Section.

**STATUS:** Chapter 33, Laws of 2011. Effective date 7/22/2011.

### ESB 5058

# An Act Relating to Receivership.

**Explanatory Memo** 

Sponsored by Senators Pflug, Kline, and Harper.

**BAR POSITION:** Sponsor, from the WSBA Creditor Debtor Rights Section.

STATUS: Chapter 34, Laws of 2011. Effective date 7/22/2011.

#### SB 5849

# An Act Relating to Estates and Trusts.

Sponsored by Senators Prentice and Parlette.

**BAR POSITION:** Support, WSBA Taxation Section, Estate and Gift Tax Committee.

**STATUS:** Chapter 113, Laws of 2011 Effective date 4/18/2011.