

1  EXPEDITE  
 2  No Hearing Set  
 3  Hearing is Set  
 4       Date: 2/10/17  
 5       Time: 2:00 p.m.  
 6 The Honorable Chris Lanese

7                                   **STATE OF WASHINGTON**  
 8                                   **THURSTON COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT**

9 In the Matter of:  
 10 A Challenge to the Ballot Title of  
 11 Initiative No. 1552, An Initiative to the  
 12 People

NO. ~~17-2-00323-34~~  
 NO. 17-2-00333-34

ORDER  
~~PROPOSED~~

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 14 In re Ballot Title for Initiative Measure  
 15 No. 1552  
 16 On behalf of Washington Coalition of  
 17 Sexual Assault Programs, A  
 18 Washington nonprofit corporation, and  
 19 YouthCare, A Washington nonprofit  
 20 corporation

21       The Court having considered the Petitions to Appeal Ballot Title for Initiative  
 22 Measure No. 1552 and all pleadings filed in support and opposition thereto, and having heard  
 23 the arguments presented and being fully advised,

24       IT IS ORDERED that these challenges to the Ballot Title for Initiative Measure  
 25 No. 1552 are ~~DENIED~~ *Granted in Part.* The Attorney General's Ballot Title is adopted and the Ballot Title  
 26 for the measure shall read as follows: *as amended*

1 Initiative 1552

2 **BALLOT TITLE**

3 Statement of Subject: Initiative Measure No. 1552 concerns gender-segregated facilities and civil liability.


4 Concise Description: This measure would override state/local <sup>protections</sup> prohibitions against gender-identity  
5 discrimination in certain public-accommodation facilities, require that public schools restrict  
6 access to some facilities based on sex at birth, and allow related lawsuits against schools.

7 Should this measure be enacted into law? Yes [ ] No [ ]

8 **BALLOT MEASURE SUMMARY**

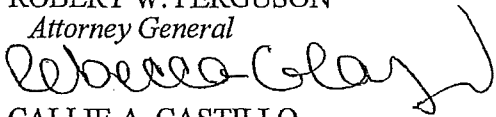
9 This measure would amend the Law Against Discrimination to redefine "sex," "gender," and  
10 related terms to be based on biological sex at birth. With exceptions, covered public and  
11 private entities could restrict access to "private facilities" based on sex at birth regardless of  
12 gender identity. It would restrict state and local regulations banning gender-identity  
13 discrimination. It would require that some public school facilities be gender segregated and  
14 authorize lawsuits against schools that fail to comply.

15 DATED this 10<sup>th</sup> day of February 2017.

16   
17 HONORABLE  
18 Superior Court Judge Chris Lanese

19 Presented by:

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