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WHEREAS patients have a right to obtain their prescription at the pharmacy of their choice; and

WHEREAS using their own personal values-based system as criteria, some pharmacists have refused to fill selected legally-issued prescriptions;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Washington State Democratic Party request that Washington State Senate Majority Leader Lisa Brown and Washington State Speaker of the House Frank Chopp pass legislation requiring that pharmacies must fill legally written prescriptions irrespective of the personal values of individual pharmacists.

Submitted by the Grays Harbor County Democrats to the Democratic Central Committee for consideration at its June 14 convention in Spokane. (Date Submitted 4/12/2008)

The Resolutions Committee "AMENDED THIS RESOLUTION AND RECOMMENDED A PASS" at its June 13, 2008 meeting in Spokane.

The Washington State Democratic Convention "PASSED" this resolution at its June 14, 2008 meeting in Spokane.