

## A Resolution Supporting the Worker's Privacy Act

**WHEREAS** American workers should not have to drop their First Amendment and privacy rights at the workplace door;

**WHEREAS** American workers should not be forced to attend any meeting where the issue at hand is a matter of conscience;

**WHEREAS** in 1935, the United States established, by law, that workers must be free to form unions;

**WHEREAS** the freedom to form or join a union is internationally recognized by the 1948 Universal Declaration of Human Rights as a fundamental human right;

**WHEREAS** the Freedom of Religion is internationally recognized by the 1948 Universal Declaration of Human Rights as a fundamental human right;

**WHEREAS** the Washington State Legislature failed to act in an appropriate manner, in its decisions regarding the Worker Privacy Act (HB 1528 and SB 5446);

**WHEREAS** a schism may now form between the Democratic Party and Unified Labor; and

**WHEREAS** it is in the best interest of the Democratic Party, to ensure close ties to our working family values;

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Washington State Democrats hereby go on record (Again) as supporting the Workers Privacy Act;

**THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Washington State Democrats urge the Washington State Legislature to pass the Workers Privacy Act; and

**THEREFORE BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED** that the chair of the Washington State Democratic Party is directed to send a copy to the Governor and the members of the Washington State Legislature.

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Submitted by the Hispanic Latino Caucus to the Washington State Democratic Central Committee for consideration at its September 26, 2009 meeting in Walla Walla. (Date Submitted 8/26/2009)

The WSDCC Resolutions Committee "RECOMMENDED A PASS" on this resolution at its September 25, 2009 meeting in Walla Walla.

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