

**RCW 7.105.375 Dismissal or suspension of criminal prosecution in exchange for protection order.** The practice of dismissing or suspending a criminal prosecution in exchange for the issuance of a protection order undermines the purposes of this chapter. Nothing in this chapter shall be construed as encouraging that practice. [2021 c 215 s 52.]

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