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Sponsor(s): Senators McAuliffe and Winsley

Brief Description: Addressing problems of truancy.

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Authorizes a school attendance officer to request that the prosecutor recommend that the student be given the option of entering into a diversion agreement under RCW 13.40.080 and 13.40.085.

Authorizes a court to order a parent to provide community service at the child's school instead of imposing a fine.

Directs a prosecuting attorney to establish a panel of volunteer attorneys who will act as deputy prosecuting attorneys to prosecute cases of violation of compulsory attendance laws.