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HOUSE BILL 2800

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By Representatives Lambert, Hurst, Kagi, Pflug, Lovick and Haigh Read first time 01/20/2000. Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

- 1 AN ACT Relating to the exchange of information between the courts
- 2 and law enforcement; and adding a new section to chapter 2.56 RCW.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 4 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 2.56 RCW 5 to read as follows:
- 6 The administrator for the courts shall study and make
- 7 recommendations to the legislature on ways to improve the availability
- 8 and transferability of information between courts and law enforcement.
- 9 Specifically, the administrator for the courts shall study and make
- 10 recommendations on:
- 11 (1) The feasibility and desirability of establishing an interface
- 12 between district and superior court data bases and law enforcement data
- 13 bases so that information may be electronically transmitted and
- 14 available between data bases;
- 15 (2) Short-term technological solutions to the problems of
- 16 transmitting information from the courts to law enforcement data bases,
- 17 including greater utilization of existing technology and technology
- 18 that is readily available;

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1 (3) The development and use of electronic signatures by judges on 2 warrants and other court orders.

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