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Sponsor(s): Senate Committee on Labor & Workforce Development (originally sponsored by Senators Prentice, Hale, Bauer, Costa, Swecker, Winsley, B. Sheldon, T. Sheldon, Gardner, Oke and Rasmussen; by request of Governor Locke)

Brief Description: Promoting economic development in Washington by increasing the skills and productivity of workers.

SB 6321-S - DIGEST

(DIGEST OF PROPOSED 1ST SUBSTITUTE)

Promotes economic development in Washington by increasing the skills and productivity of workers.

Creates a skills gap program for the purpose of promoting economic development in Washington state by providing grants to increase the skills and productivity of Washington workers. The program shall be used to create partnerships with business, labor, and the work force employment and training system to close the skills gap in Washington state.