6369-S

Sponsor(s): Senate Committee on State & Local Government (originally sponsored by Senators Patterson, McCaslin, Haugen, Long, Costa, Fairley, Eide, Heavey, Wojahn, Prentice, Brown and Winsley)

Brief Description: Ordering a study of law enforcement issues in counties with over 150,000 population.

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(SUBSTITUTED FOR - SEE 2ND SUB)

Directs the Washington association of sheriffs and police chiefs to conduct a study of the total costs and expenditures for law enforcement for both counties and cities within the county for counties with populations over one hundred fifty thousand.

Requires that, in conducting the study the Washington association of sheriffs and police chiefs shall collaborate with the legislative evaluation and accountability program committee and the state auditor's office.

Makes an appropriation of two hundred fifty thousand dollars from the general fund to the Washington association of sheriffs and police chiefs for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2001, to carry out the purposes of this act.

Provides that the act shall be null and void if appropriations are not approved.