

By Representative Ballasiotes

1 **ESSB 5122** - H COMM AMD **ADOPTED 4/12/01**

2 By Committee on Criminal Justice & Corrections

3 On page 14, after line 6, strike all of section 10 and insert the
4 following:

5 **NEW SECTION.** **Sec. 10.** The department shall, in consultation
6 with interested stakeholders, develop recommendations for improving the
7 procedures used to notify victims when a sexually violent predator is
8 conditionally released to a less restrictive alternative under chapter
9 71.09 RCW, while at the same time maintaining the confidentiality of
10 victim information.-

11 Correct the title.

EFFECT: Removes the provision requiring the DSHS to verify that the proposed less restrictive alternative housing is not within 25 miles of any of the person's registered victims. Requires the DSHS to work with interested parties in developing improved procedures for notifying victims when a sexually violent predator is released to an LRA, while maintaining the confidentiality of victim information.