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On page 8, after line 14, insert the following:

6 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 207.** A new section is added to chapter 71.09 7 RCW to read as follows:

8 To the greatest extent possible, persons who were not residents of 9 the county in which both the special commitment center and a step-down 10 facility are located prior to the conviction for which they were 11 incarcerated at the time of the petition for civil commitment was filed 12 may not be released to that county.

13 Renumber the sections consecutively and correct any internal 14 references accordingly.

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EFFECT: To the greatest extent possible, limits the number of persons being released from the step-down facility to Pierce county placements to those persons formerly resident in Pierce county.