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SENATE BILL 5389

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By Senator Gardner

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to small claims court; and amending RCW 12.40.010.
- 2 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 3 Sec. 1. RCW 12.40.010 and 1991 c 71 s 1 are each amended to read 4 as follows:
- 5 In every district court there shall be created and organized by the
- 6 court a department to be known as the "small claims department of the
- 7 district court."((\cdot)) The small claims department shall have
- 8 jurisdiction, but not exclusive, in cases for the recovery of money
- 9 only if the amount claimed does not exceed ((two)) four thousand ((five
- 10 hundred)) dollars.

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