ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 6257

State of Washington 65th Legislature 2018 Regular Session

By Senate Early Learning & K-12 Education (originally sponsored by Senators Billig, Zeiger, Kuderer, Keiser, Palumbo, and Saldaña)

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- AN ACT Relating to provision of early intervention services for eligible children with disabilities from birth through two years of age; creating a new section; and providing an expiration date.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- Sec. 1. (1) The department of children, youth, and 5 NEW SECTION. 6 families, in consultation with the department of early learning, the 7 office of the superintendent of public instruction, the office of financial management, the caseload forecast council, legislative 8 and with advice and assistance from the state 9 fiscal staff, interagency coordinating council, must develop a funding model with 10 which to determine the amount of annual allocations that shall be 11 12 appropriated in the omnibus appropriations act after July 1, 2019, for early intervention services for children with disabilities from 13 14 birth through two years of age, which the department of children, youth, and families oversees. 15
- 16 (2) The department must submit a final report that includes the 17 agreed-upon funding model and any necessary statutory changes to the 18 office of financial management and the fiscal committees of the 19 legislature no later than September 1, 2018.

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1 (3) This section expires July 1, 2020.

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