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House Bills

HB 1064-S by House Committee on Public Safety (originally sponsored by Representatives Goodman, Klippert, Sells, Ryu, Orwall, Irwin, Ortiz-Self, Pellicciotti, Kirby, Appleton, Lovick, Dolan, Springer, Barkis, Santos, Griffey, Kloba, Smith, Doglio, Gregerson, Shewmake, Pollet, Tarleton, Valdez, Peterson, Fey, Stanford, Slatter, Tharinger, Hansen, Wylie, Fitzgibbon, Jinkins, Macri, Bergquist, Chambers, Graham, Frame, and Reeves)

Concerning law enforcement.

(DIGEST OF PROPOSED 1ST SUBSTITUTE)

Requires the criminal justice training commission, when developing curricula, to consider inclusion of alternatives to the use of physical or deadly force so that de-escalation tactics and less lethal alternatives are part of the decision-making process leading up to the consideration of deadly force.

Establishes a state policy that requires law enforcement personnel to provide or facilitate first aid that is rendered at the earliest safe opportunity to injured persons at a scene controlled by law enforcement.

Requires an independent investigation to be completed to inform a determination of whether the use of deadly force met the good faith standard and satisfied other applicable laws and policies, except as required by federal consent decree, federal settlement agreement, or federal court order, where the use of deadly force by a peace officer results in death, substantial bodily harm, or great bodily harm.

Requires a law enforcement agency to notify the governor's office of Indian affairs when a law enforcement officer's application of force results in the death of a person who is an enrolled member of a federally recognized Indian tribe.

Requires the state to reimburse a peace officer, for all reasonable costs and expenses involved in his or her defense, if the officer is charged with a crime but found not guilty, or charges are dismissed by reason of justifiable homicide, use of deadly force, or self-defense.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 PS - Majority; 1st substitute bill be substituted, do pass.

Jan 17 Referred to Appropriations.

HB 1282 by Representatives Reeves, Valdez, Gregerson, Pellicciotti, Frame, Fey, Robinson, Ortiz-Self, Stonier, Lovick, Kilduff, Pettigrew, Riccelli, Wylie, Appleton, Stanford, Santos, Bergquist, Jinkins, Kloba, Leavitt, Ormsby, and Pollet

Concerning driver's license suspensions and revocations.

Addresses department of licensing requirements with regard to the relicensing program; the suspension and/or revocation of a driver's license; and failure to comply with the terms of a criminal complaint or criminal action.

Authorizes the department of licensing to administratively reinstate suspended licenses except those licenses: (1) That are suspended under Article IV of the nonresident violator compact or from a jurisdiction that has entered into an agreement with the department; and

(2) Suspended because the person failed to comply with the terms of criminal complaint or criminal citation.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 18 First reading, referred to Transportation.

HB 1283 by Representatives Dent, Chapman, Chandler, Sullivan, Kretz, Blake, Maycumber, Dye, Mosbrucker, Stonier, Irwin, Schmick, Valdez, Van Werven, Springer, Barkis, Eslick, and Wylie

Ensuring the funding of agricultural fairs.

Changes the funding source and the amount of funding for the fair fund.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 18 First reading, referred to Appropriations.

HB 1284 by Representatives Vick, Kirby, Reeves, Volz, Kilduff, Ryu, Stanford, Dolan, Frame, and Jinkins; by request of State Treasurer

Creating the capacity for the state treasurer's office to provide separately managed investment portfolios to eligible governmental entities.

Requires money remitted for pooled investment under chapter 43.250 RCW (investment of local government funds) to be deposited in the public funds investment account.

Creates a trust fund to be known as the separately managed public funds investment account; and a trust fund to be known as the separately managed state agency investment account. These accounts are to be separately accounted for and invested by the state treasurer.

Creates a separately managed state treasurer's service account in the custody of the state treasurer.

Authorizes the state treasurer's office to employ personnel as necessary to administer the separately managed accounts.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 18 First reading, referred to State Government & Tribal Relations.

HB 1285 by Representatives Doglio, Steele, Kirby, Tharinger, Ryu, DeBolt, Volz, Dolan, Frame, and Rude; by request of State Treasurer

Adding the treasurer to the public works board.

Changes the composition of the public works board by including the state treasurer.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 18 First reading, referred to Capital Budget.

HB 1286 by Representatives Peterson, Valdez, Appleton, Dolan, Frame, Ryu, Robinson, Macri, Walen, Bergquist, Kloba, Pollet, and Thai; by request of Attorney General

Banning the sale of assault weapons and large capacity magazines.

Prohibits a person, unless certain conditions are met, from manufacturing, possessing, distributing, importing, transferring, selling, offering for sale, or purchasing an assault weapon or large capacity magazine.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 18 First reading, referred to Civil Rights & Judiciary.

HB 1287 by Representatives Griffey and MacEwen
Regarding establishing natural areas.

Requires the department of natural resources to recommend to the governor a prioritized list of all property acquisitions for the purpose of creating: (1) Washington natural resources conservation areas; and

(2) A Washington natural area preserve.

Authorizes the governor to remove projects from the list and submit the amended list in the capital budget request to the legislature.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 18 First reading, referred to Capital Budget.

HB 1288 by Representatives MacEwen and Griffey

Concerning department of natural resources' land acquisitions.

Addresses the restriction of certain public land acquisition processes and the encouragement of positive working relationships between private landowners and state agencies that manage public natural resource lands.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 18 First reading, referred to Civil Rights & Judiciary.

HB 1289 by Representatives Stanford, Appleton, Macri, Doglio, Fitzgibbon, Stonier, and Wylie

Concerning marijuana businesses.

Revises the uniform controlled substances act regarding applications for marijuana licenses; performance of authorized management services for certain entities for a marijuana licensee or group of licensees under common ownership; state resident requirements; and the requirement that licensed marijuana producers, processors, or retailers or license applicants must submit an attestation signed by a bona fide labor organization to the state liquor and cannabis board.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 18 First reading, referred to Commerce & Gaming.

HB 1290 by Representatives Peterson, Barkis, Robinson, Lekanoff, Maycumber, and Pollet; by request of Department of Ecology

Concerning reviews of voluntary cleanups.

Finds that: (1) Cleaning up and redeveloping contaminated property is essential to the health and economic prosperity of our communities;

(2) Most cleanups are performed voluntarily by property owners and many of these owners request written opinions on the sufficiency of their voluntary cleanups from the department of ecology.

Authorizes the department of ecology to: (1) Establish a program to provide informal advice and assistance on the administrative and technical requirements of the model toxics control act to persons conducting or interested in conducting independent remedial actions at facilities where there is a suspected or confirmed release of hazardous substances; and

(2) Collect costs incurred by it in providing advice and assistance from people requesting the advice and assistance under the program.

Declares an intent to: (1) Cleanup and redevelop contaminated properties in our communities;

(2) Provide the department with additional tools and resources for conducting expedited reviews of voluntary cleanups; and

(3) Waive the department's costs of reviewing voluntary cleanups to encourage voluntary cleanups of these properties.

Creates the voluntary cleanup account.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 18 First reading, referred to Environment & Energy.

HB 1291 by Representatives Walsh, Dolan, Goehner, Gregerson, Van Werven, Eslick, Bergquist, Pollet, and Rude

Concerning state reimbursement of election costs.

Addresses the obligation of a county or the state with regard to the reimbursement of certain election costs.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 18 First reading, referred to State Government & Tribal Relations.

HB 1292 by Representatives Walsh, Dolan, Gregerson, and Goehner

Concerning deadlines for receipt of voter registrations by election officials.

Requires voter registration applications to be received by an election official by the required voter registration deadline.

Provides information on how to submit a change of address.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 18 First reading, referred to State Government & Tribal Relations.

HB 1293 by Representatives Tharinger, Blake, Kretz, and Mosbrucker

Concerning the distribution of monetary penalties to local courts and state agencies paid for failure to comply with discover pass requirements.

Requires a county treasurer to remit, to the state treasurer, seventy-five percent of the money received from penalties with regard to the display of a discover pass, vehicle access pass, or day-use permit.

Requires the balance of noninterest money received by a county treasurer to be deposited in the county current expense fund.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 18 First reading, referred to Appropriations.

HB 1294 by Representatives Goehner, Gregerson, and Hudgins; by request of Office of Financial Management

Correcting agency names and accounts in statutes to reflect the organizational structure, duties, and responsibilities of the office of financial management.

Reflects the organizational structure, duties, and responsibilities of the office of financial management by correcting certain agency names and accounts.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 18 First reading, referred to State Government & Tribal Relations.

HB 1295 by Representative Tharinger

Concerning public works contracting procedures.

Modifies provisions relating to alternative public works contracting procedures.

Exempts the following from disclosure under the public records act: Financial information supplied by or on behalf of a person, firm, or corporation for the purpose of qualifying to submit a bid or proposal for alternative public works contracting procedures.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 18 First reading, referred to Capital Budget.

HB 1296 by Representatives Macri, Goodman, Appleton, Cody, Thai, Tharinger, and Springer

Concerning continuing care retirement communities.

Provides independent residents of continuing care retirement communities (CCRCs) access to the office of the state long-term care ombuds through a pilot project.

Requires an applicant for a registration as a CCRC to submit the following to the department of commerce: (1) Service or care agreements used for nonindependent residents that the CCRC intends to use for the certification period; and

(2) A copy of the most recent actuarial report.

Requires a CCRC to prepare a disclosure statement that includes: (1) Whether, and in what manner, funds have been set aside for reserves or other contingent liabilities reflected in the financial statements;

(2) Management fees or other compensation paid by the CCRC to a management company or related party, that controls the CCRC during the CCRC's two preceding fiscal years; and

(3) An actuarial summary of the CCRC's most recent actuarial report.

Requires a CCRC to notify independent residents that audited financial statements and actuarial evaluations are available to the residents within thirty days after they are delivered to the chief financial officer.

Requires the department of commerce and a private nonprofit organization to enter into a separate contract for additional services which will enable the ombuds to provide services to the residents of CCRCs through a pilot project in a county that has a suitable concentration of CCRCs.

Requires the ombuds to create a pilot project advisory committee to provide feedback and input about the pilot program.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 18 First reading, referred to Health Care & Wellness.

HB 1297 by Representatives Bergquist, Griffey, Orcutt, Fitzgibbon, DeBolt, Irwin, Lekanoff, and Leavitt; by request of LEOFF Plan 2 Retirement Board

Recovering service credit withdrawn from the public employees' retirement system for certain law enforcement officers and firefighters.

Permits law enforcement officers or firefighters who are employed by a department of retirement systems covered employer to transfer service credit they earned as officers or firefighters in the public employees' retirement system to the law enforcement officers' and firefighters' retirement system plan 2 by irrevocable election, if certain conditions are met.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 18 First reading, referred to Appropriations.

HB 1298 by Representatives Pettigrew, Chandler, Blake, Kretz, and Springer; by request of Department of Agriculture

Concerning device registration, civil penalties, and service agent registration for the weights and measures program.

Modifies the weights and measures program with regard to device registration, civil penalties, and service agent registration.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 18 First reading, referred to Rural Development, Agriculture, & Natural Resources.

HB 1299 by Representatives Dolan, Doglio, Jinkins, Sells, Kilduff, Gregerson, Peterson, Goodman, Valdez, Riccelli, Macri, Frame, Appleton, Fitzgibbon, Tharinger, Ryu, Stanford, Hudgins, Lekanoff, Bergquist, Leavitt, Ormsby, and Pollet

Extending collective bargaining rights to assistant attorneys general.

Grants the right to assistant attorneys general to collectively bargain unless otherwise excluded below.

Excludes the following from collective bargaining: Division chiefs, deputy attorneys general, the solicitor general, special assistant attorneys general, certain confidential employees, and any assistant or deputy attorney general who reports directly to the attorney general.

Requires the governor or designee and an exclusive bargaining representative to negotiate one master collective bargaining agreement for assistant attorneys general.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 18 First reading, referred to Labor & Workplace Standards.

HB 1300 by Representatives Tarleton, Pollet, Bergquist, Sells, Dolan, Pellicciotti, Frame, Entenman, Stanford, Lovick, Orwall, Appleton, Ryu, Valdez, Goodman, Lekanoff, Macri, Jinkins, Leavitt, Thai, and Wylie

Creating the reinvesting in our colleges program.

Creates the reinvesting in our colleges program to provide for the allocation of state funding that the legislature deems necessary to support community and technical colleges in offering the instructional programs under chapter 28B.50 RCW (the community and technical college act of 1991).

Makes appropriations from the general fund to the state board for community and technical colleges for the purposes of this act.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 18 First reading, referred to College & Workforce Development.

HB 1301 by Representatives Kirby, Fey, Jinkins, Kilduff, Morgan, Leavitt, and Wylie

Exempting certain leasehold interests in arenas with a seating capacity of more than two thousand from the leasehold excise tax.

Provides a leasehold excise tax exemption for all leasehold interests in the public or entertainment areas of an arena if certain conditions are met.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 18 First reading, referred to Finance.

HB 1302 by Representatives Kloba, Ryu, MacEwen, Reeves, Stanford, Vick, Kirby, Jenkin, Morgan, Appleton, Cody, Irwin, Davis, Bergquist, Jinkins, Ormsby, and Thai; by request of Gambling Commission

Creating a self-exclusion program for persons with a gambling problem or gambling disorder.

Requires the gambling commission, the horse racing commission, and the state lottery commission to jointly develop problem gambling and gambling disorder informational signs that include a toll-free hotline number for individuals with a gambling problem or gambling disorder.

Requires the gambling commission to establish a statewide self-exclusion program for all licensees that will allow a person to voluntarily exclude themselves from gambling at certain gambling establishments.

Prohibits a person who is registered with the program from participating in gambling activities associated with the program and requires the person to forfeit money and things of value obtained by or owed to the person by the establishment as a result of prohibited wagers or gambling activities.

Requires the forfeited money and things of value to be distributed to the problem gambling account and/or certain charitable or nonprofit organizations.

Exempts the following from inspection and copying under the public records act: Information submitted by a person to the state, Indian tribes, or tribal enterprises that own gambling operations or facilities with class III gaming compacts.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 18 First reading, referred to Commerce & Gaming.

HB 1303 by Representatives Shewmake, Eslick, Pollet, Griffey, Riccelli, Senn, Appleton, Dolan, Frame, Paul, Goodman, Robinson, Springer, Lekanoff, Macri, Thai, Tharinger, Stanford, Bergquist, Jinkins, Leavitt, and Ormsby

Removing certain restrictions on subsidized child care for students at institutions of higher education.

Requires the department of children, youth, and families, in consultation with the state board for community and technical colleges and the student achievement council, to revise any rules that require applicants or consumers, who are full-time community or technical college students and who are not WorkFirst participants, to work at least an average of twenty or more hours per week, or at least an average of sixteen hours or more per week in a federal or state work-study program,

as a condition of receiving working connections child care program benefits.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 18 First reading, referred to Human Services & Early Learning.

HB 1304 by Representatives MacEwen, Stonier, Santos, Harris, Steele, Griffey, Reeves, Stokesbary, Sells, Dolan, Eslick, Lekanoff, Bergquist, Jinkins, Leavitt, Thai, and Wylie

Concerning career and technical education in alternative learning experience programs.

States that, in addition to the allocation provided by the superintendent of public instruction to school districts for each student enrolled in an alternative learning experience course, if a course is a vocational alternative learning experience course then the allocated state funding must also include vocational program funding enhancements.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 18 First reading, referred to Education.

HB 1305 by Representatives Walen, Irwin, and Jinkins

Concerning notices of disqualification in courts of limited jurisdiction.

Prohibits a district court judicial officer and a municipal court judicial officer from presiding in the following case: When a party to or an attorney appearing in an action or proceeding has disqualified the judicial officer from hearing the matter.

Prohibits a reduction in salary from occurring when a judge pro tempore serves while a district court judge is disqualified from serving following the filing of a notice of disqualification.

Permits a presiding municipal court judge to designate one or more persons as judges pro tem to serve in the absence or disability of the elected or duly appointed judges of the court, subsequent to the filing of a notice of disqualification.

Specifies that when a change of venue is allowed, where a notice of disqualification is filed against a judge of a municipal court, the cause is transferred to another department of the municipal court.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 18 First reading, referred to Civil Rights & Judiciary.

HB 1306 by Representatives Senn, Barkis, Chapman, Appleton, Walen, Springer, Pollet, Ryu, Macri, Stokesbary, Tharinger, Volz, and Goodman

Concerning the Washington uniform common interest ownership act.

Modifies the uniform common interest ownership act regarding condominium liability and makes technical corrections to certain statutes.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 18 First reading, referred to Civil Rights & Judiciary.

HB 1307 by Representatives Mosbrucker, Kilduff, Chandler, Reeves, Corry, Hoff, Gregerson, and Leavitt

Providing a sales and use tax exemption on eligible purchases made on behalf of Washington chapters of the veterans of foreign wars.

Provides a sales and use tax exemption for members, employees, and officers of the state's veterans of foreign wars chapters on qualifying purchases to support our local chapters.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 18 First reading, referred to Finance.

Senate Bills

SB 5001-S by Senate Committee on Labor & Commerce (originally sponsored by Senators Pedersen, King, Rivers, Keiser, Palumbo, Saldaña, Liias, Carlyle, Conway, Kuderer, and Van De Wege)

Concerning human remains.

(DIGEST OF PROPOSED 1ST SUBSTITUTE)

Changes certain terms and phrases in Title 68 RCW (cemeteries, morgues, and human remains).

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 17 LBRC - Majority; 1st substitute bill be substituted, do pass.

Jan 18 Passed to Rules Committee for second reading.

SB 5030-S by Senate Committee on Financial Institutions, Economic Development & Trade (originally sponsored by Senators Mullet and Wilson, L.)

Concerning service contract providers.

(DIGEST OF PROPOSED 1ST SUBSTITUTE)

Addresses service contract providers and protection product guarantee provisions regarding: (1) A provider's net worth threshold, ability to pay its debts, and the use of generally accepted accounting standards in regard to unearned contract fees or expected contract claims; and

(2) The authority of the insurance commissioner to take action against a provider.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 17 FIET - Majority; 1st substitute bill be substituted, do pass.

Jan 21 Passed to Rules Committee for second reading.

SB 5106-S by Senate Committee on Financial Institutions, Economic Development & Trade (originally sponsored by Senators Das, Mullet, Frockt, Keiser, Zeiger, and Kuderer; by request of Insurance Commissioner)

Concerning the creation of a work group to study and make recommendations on natural disaster mitigation and resiliency activities.

(DIGEST OF PROPOSED 1ST SUBSTITUTE)

Creates a work group to study and make recommendations on natural disaster and resiliency activities.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 17 FIET - Majority; 1st substitute bill be substituted, do pass.

Jan 21 Passed to Rules Committee for second reading.

SB 5332 by Senators Pedersen, Rivers, Wilson, C., Walsh, Randall, Cleveland, and Liias; by request of Department of Health

Concerning vital statistics.

Provides a framework for ongoing administration of a single comprehensive vital records system that is operated and maintained by the department of health, under the supervision of the state registrar, to preserve the security, integrity, and confidentiality of state vital records and vital statistics.

Exempts the following from public inspection and copying under the public records act: Vital records, reports, indices, supporting documentation, vital statistics, and data.

Repeals chapter 70.58 RCW, the existing vital statistic statutes, and creates new statutes to replace those repealed.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 17 First reading, referred to Law & Justice.

SB 5333 by Senators Pedersen and Rivers

Making changes related to the uniform parentage act for access to court records, compliance with regulations of the food and drug administration, enacting a repealed section of chapter 26.26 RCW, and correcting citations and terminology.

Modifies the uniform parentage act regarding access to court records, compliance with regulations of the food and drug administration, and corrections to certain citations and terminology.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 17 First reading, referred to Law & Justice.

SB 5334 by Senators Pedersen, Padden, Mullet, Fortunato, Carlyle, Rivers, Kuderer, Dhingra, Palumbo, Frockt, Wellman, Salomon, Saldaña, Keiser, O'Ban, Billig, Holy, and Darneille

Concerning the Washington uniform common interest ownership act.

Modifies the uniform common interest ownership act regarding condominium liability and makes technical corrections to certain statutes.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 17 First reading, referred to Law & Justice.

SB 5335 by Senators Bailey, Hobbs, Schoesler, Conway, and Hunt; by request of LEOFF Plan 2 Retirement Board and Select Committee on Pension Policy

Paying state retirement benefits until the end of the month in which the retiree or beneficiary dies.

Requires the department of retirement systems to continue paying benefits until the end of the month in which a retiree's or member's death occurred.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 17 First reading, referred to Ways & Means.

SB 5336 by Senators Palumbo, Carlyle, Nguyen, Saldaña, Hasegawa, Dhingra, Frockt, and Kuderer; by request of Office of the Governor

Advancing electric transportation.

Provides a sales and use tax exemption on electric vehicles.

Requires the department of ecology to adopt the zero emission vehicle program regulations contained in Title 13, section 1962, 1962.1, and 1962.2 of the California Code of Regulations.

Declares an intent to provide clear authority for utilities to engage in and promote the build out of electric vehicle infrastructure.

Requires utilities that are traditionally responsible for providing electric service to customers and for understanding and engineering the electrical grid for safety and reliability to be engaged in the electrification of the transportation system.

Authorizes certain cities or towns that are engaged in the generation, sale, or distribution of energy to, for its customers: (1) Assist in financing materials and equipment for the electrification of transportation; and

(2) Offer programs, services, or investments in the electrification of transportation in a way that benefits ratepayers.

Permits an electric utility to submit an electrification of transportation plan, to the utilities and transportation commission, that deploys electric vehicle supply equipment or provides other electric transportation programs, services, or incentives to support electrification of transportation.

Creates the electric vehicle account.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 17 First reading, referred to Environment, Energy & Technology.

SB 5337 by Senators Takko and Holy

Expanding a sales and use tax exemption for personal property sold between political subdivisions to include sales or uses of personal property as a result of a merger or sales or uses of personal property made under contractual consolidations in which the taxpayer that originally paid the sales or use tax continues to benefit from the personal property.

Provides a sales and use tax exemption on the sale to one political subdivision by another political subdivision and the use of the personal property of one political subdivision by another political subdivision, under the terms of a contractual consolidation where the taxpayers that originally paid a sales or use tax continue to benefit from the personal property.

Expires January 1, 2030.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 17 First reading, referred to Local Government.

SB 5338 by Senators Darneille, Rivers, Conway, Keiser, Van De Wege, and Kuderer; by request of Department of Social and Health Services

Concerning the protection of vulnerable adults.

Revises certain vulnerable adult provisions with regard to findings of abuse, abandonment, neglect, financial exploitation, and misappropriation of resident property; and the creation and maintenance of a vulnerable adult abuse registry by the department of social and health services.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 17 First reading, referred to Human Services, Reentry & Rehabilitation.

SB 5339 by Senators Carlyle, Walsh, Pedersen, Wellman, Keiser, Lias, Hunt, Kuderer, Nguyen, and Saldaña; by request of Attorney General

Reducing criminal justice expenses by eliminating the death penalty and instead requiring life imprisonment without possibility of release or parole as the sentence for aggravated first degree murder.

Eliminates the death penalty and requires life imprisonment without possibility of release or parole as the sentence for aggravated first degree murder.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 17 First reading, referred to Law & Justice.

SB 5340 by Senators Kuderer, Dhingra, Carlyle, Hunt, Keiser, Nguyen, Saldaña, and Wellman; by request of Attorney General

Banning the sale of assault weapons and large capacity magazines.

Prohibits a person, unless certain conditions are met, from manufacturing, possessing, distributing, importing, transferring, selling, offering for sale, or purchasing an assault weapon or large capacity magazine.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 17 First reading, referred to Law & Justice.

SB 5341 by Senators Randall, Wilson, C., Lias, Frockt, Hasegawa, Hunt, Keiser, Kuderer, Nguyen, Palumbo, and Saldaña

Improving access and completion for students at public institutions of higher education, especially at community and technical colleges, by removing restrictions on subsidized child care.

Prohibits the department of children, youth, and families from requiring an applicant or consumer who is a full-time student of a community, technical, or tribal college to meet work requirements as a condition of receiving working connections child care benefits.

Requires the department to offer working connections child care benefits to otherwise qualified students of community, technical, and tribal colleges who are pursuing all associate degree programs.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 17 First reading, referred to Early Learning & K-12 Education.

SB 5342 by Senators Randall, Wilson, C., Das, Hunt, Pedersen, Lias, Frockt, Keiser, Kuderer, Nguyen, and Saldaña

Providing a nonbinary gender category in applications for certain programs.

Requires the terms his, her, he, and she to be interpreted as applying equally to persons identifying as nonbinary.

Provides a nonbinary gender category for certain situations.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 17 First reading, referred to State Government, Tribal Relations & Elections.

SB 5343 by Senators Mullet, Rivers, Palumbo, Hobbs, Salomon, and Wilson, C.

Facilitating high school success.

Changes certain common school provisions regarding an academic acceleration policy; dual credit courses and programs; dropout prevention programs; the dropout early warning and intervention data system; the Washington integrated student supports protocol developed by the center for the improvement of student learning; guidance counseling and funding for guidance counselors; comprehensive guidance and planning programs for students; high school and beyond plans; and the K-12 dropout prevention, intervention, and reengagement system.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 17 First reading, referred to Early Learning & K-12 Education.

SB 5344 by Senators Cleveland, O'Ban, Hobbs, Takko, Mullet, Palumbo, Rivers, Wellman, and Hunt

Concerning nursing fatigue.

Modifies provisions relating to nursing care and hospital regulations; missed meals and rest breaks; staffing concerns and complaints; performance by a registered nurse of direct clinical nursing care for compensation for more than sixty hours in a week; an employer's tracking the total hours worked of a registered nurse; and using reasonable efforts to find a replacement when an employee on prescheduled on-call is activated and working a shift immediately before or after a twelve-hour shift.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 17 First reading, referred to Health & Long Term Care.

SB 5345 by Senators Cleveland, Rivers, Wilson, L., Darneille, Keiser, Rolfes, Kuderer, Walsh, Wilson, C., and Saldaña

Concerning health plan coverage for contralateral prophylactic mastectomies.

Requires a health plan, issued or renewed on or after January 1, 2020, to provide benefits or coverage for contralateral prophylactic mastectomies to certain covered individuals.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 17 First reading, referred to Health & Long
Term Care.

SB 5346 by Senators Sheldon and Randall

Concerning the use of life insurance to pay for the last illness and death of the insured.

Requires an insured person's life insurance to pay a certain amount towards the payment for funeral or other expenses related to the last illness or death of the insured person.

-- 2019 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 17 First reading, referred to Financial
Institutions, Economic Development &
Trade.