<u>2SSB 5213</u> - S AMD TO S AMD (S-2479.1/05) 263 By Senator Carrell

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Beginning on page 2, line 37 of the amendment, after "(4)" strike 1 2 all material through $\left(\frac{(5)}{(5)}\right)$ on page 3, line 8, and insert "In order to be eligible for temporary assistance for needy families benefits, any 3 applicant with a felony conviction ((after August 21, 1996,)) involving 4 drug use or possession((, must: (a) Have been assessed as chemically 5 dependent by a chemical dependency program approved under chapter 6 7 70.96A RCW and be participating in or have completed a coordinated 8 rehabilitation plan consisting of chemical dependency treatment and 9 vocational services; and (b) have not been convicted of a felony 10 involving drug use or possession in the three years prior to the most 11 current conviction)) after August 21, 1996, and who is found eligible for temporary assistance for needy families benefits after the 12 effective date of this act, shall become ineligible to receive such 13 benefits if he or she is convicted of more than one subsequent felony 14 15 for drug use or possession after the effective date of this act. 16 (5)"

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