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By Senator Carrell

1 On page 2, after line 30, insert the following:

2 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 4. (1)(a) A work group on the definition of  
3 bail is established within existing resources. The work group must  
4 consist of the following members:

5 (i) One member from each of the two largest caucuses of the senate,  
6 appointed by the president of the senate;

7 (ii) One member from each of the two largest caucuses of the house  
8 of representatives, appointed by the speaker of the house of  
9 representatives;

10 (iii) The chief justice of the Washington state supreme court or  
11 the chief justice's designee;

12 (iv) A superior court judge, appointed by the superior court  
13 judges' association;

14 (v) A district or municipal court judge, appointed by the district  
15 and municipal court judges' association;

16 (vi) The governor or the governor's designee;

17 (vii) The secretary of the Washington state department of  
18 corrections or the secretary's designee;

19 (viii) The director of the Washington state department of licensing  
20 or the director's designee;

21 (ix) The Washington state insurance commissioner or the  
22 commissioner's designee;

23 (x) Two prosecutors, appointed by the Washington association of  
24 prosecuting attorneys or designees of the association;

25 (xi) Two attorneys selected by separate associations of attorneys  
26 whose members have practices that focus on representing criminal  
27 defendants;

28 (xii) One police officer and one deputy sheriff, selected by a  
29 statewide association of such officers and deputies;

1 (xiii) A representative of a statewide association of city  
2 governments, selected by the association;

3 (xiv) A representative of a statewide association of counties,  
4 selected by the association;

5 (xv) A representative employed as an adult corrections officer,  
6 selected by a statewide association of such officers;

7 (xvi) A representative from an entity representing corrections  
8 officers at a local county jail in which adult offenders are in custody  
9 and located in any county with a population in excess of one million  
10 persons, selected by the entity;

11 (xvii) A representative of a statewide organization concerned  
12 primarily with the protection of individual liberties, selected by the  
13 organization;

14 (xviii) A representative of a statewide association of advocates  
15 who work on behalf of victims and survivors of violent crimes, selected  
16 by the association;

17 (xix) A representative of the bail bond enforcement industry,  
18 chosen by a statewide association of bail bond enforcement agents;

19 (xx) A representative of the bail bond industry, selected by a  
20 statewide association of bail companies; and

21 (xxi) A representative of a statewide consumer advocacy  
22 organization with at least thirty thousand members, selected by the  
23 organization.

24 (b) The work group shall choose its cochairs from among its  
25 legislative membership. The legislative cochairs shall convene the  
26 initial meeting of the work group.

27 (2) The work group shall review, at a minimum, the fifth  
28 recommendation of the bail practices work group created in section 2,  
29 chapter 256, Laws of 2010, regarding establishment of a generally  
30 recognized definition of bail.

31 (3) The work group shall use staff from senate committee services  
32 and the house of representatives office of program research and meet in  
33 state facilities that do not charge for use.

34 (4) Legislative members of the work group must be reimbursed for  
35 travel expenses in accordance with RCW 44.04.120. Nonlegislative  
36 members, except those representing an employer or organization, are  
37 entitled to be reimbursed for travel expenses in accordance with RCW  
38 43.03.050 and 43.03.060.

1 (5) The work group may organize itself in a manner and adopt rules  
2 of procedure that it determines are most conducive to the timely  
3 completion of its charge.

4 (6) The work group shall report its findings and recommendations to  
5 the Washington state supreme court, the governor, and appropriate  
6 committees of the legislature by December 1, 2012.

7 (7) This section expires December 31, 2012."

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8 On page 1, line 3 of the title, after "2010;", insert "amending RCW  
9 10.19.090, 10.19.100, 10.19.160, 18.185.010, 18.185.040, 18.185.070,  
10 18.185.100, and 18.185.110; adding a new section to chapter 10.19 RCW;  
11 creating a new section; and providing an expiration date."

EFFECT: Provides for a work group to study recommendation #5 of  
the bail practices work group.

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