<u>SSB 6288</u> - S AMD TO S AMD (S-6759.1/20) **1130** By Senator Braun

NOT ADOPTED 02/18/2020

1 On page 2, line 38, after "act" insert ";

2 (h) Reducing instances of firearm deaths by suicide, which 3 comprise over seventy-five percent of firearm deaths in Washington 4 over the last five years. The office shall work collaboratively with 5 the department of health and the Washington action alliance for 6 suicide prevention"

7 On page 3, line 5, after "must" insert "focus on efforts and 8 progress in reducing instances of firearm death by suicide and"

EFFECT: Adds to the duties of the office a focus on reducing instances of firearm deaths by suicide (which comprise 75% of firearm deaths in Washington over the last five years). Initial report to Legislature must include efforts and progress in reducing firearm deaths by suicide.

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