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By Senators Nelson, A. Smith and Erwin

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- AN ACT Relating to appearance bonds; and amending RCW 10.19.140.
- 2 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 3 Sec. 1. RCW 10.19.140 and 1986 c 322 s 3 are each amended to read
- 4 as follows:
- 5 If a forfeiture has been entered against a person in a criminal
- 6 case that has not been adjudicated and the person is returned to
- 7 custody or produced in court within twelve months from the forfeiture,
- 8 then the full amount of the bond, less any and all costs determined by
- 9 the court to have been incurred by law enforcement in transporting,
- 10 locating, apprehending, or processing the return of the person to the
- 11 jurisdiction of the court, shall be remitted to the surety if the
- 12 surety was directly responsible for producing the person in court or
- 13 directly responsible for apprehension of the person by law enforcement.