

2056

Sponsor(s): Representative Braddock; by request of Department of Health

Brief Description: Making major changes to the regulation and provision of vital statistics.

**HB 2056 - DIGEST**

(SUBSTITUTED FOR - SEE 1ST SUB)

Establishes the center for health statistics to install and operate the only system of vital statistics in the state in cooperation with local reporting agencies.

Designates the reporting requirements of local registrars.

Establishes minimum standards for forms for vital records and for transmitting and filing certificates.

Provides for the designation of parentage on birth certificates, for adoption information, for marriage certificates, and for death certificates.

Requires authorization for final disposition of a deceased person.

Designates the procedures for access to information from the center for health statistics.

Establishes criminal penalties for violations of the act.

Repeals provisions of chapter 70.58 RCW.