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 ${\tt Sponsor(s): Representatives \ Lambert, \ H. \ Sommers, \ Talcott \ and \ Kessler}$ 

Brief Description: Changing sexual misconduct laws with regard to school employees.

## HB 2262.E - DIGEST

## (AS OF HOUSE 2ND READING 6/04/01)

Provides that a person is guilty of sexual misconduct with a minor in the first degree when the person is a school employee who has, or knowingly causes another person under the age of eighteen to have, sexual intercourse with a registered student of the school who is at least sixteen years old and not married to the employee, if the employee is at least sixty months older than the student.

Declares that for the purposes of this act, "school employee" means an employee of a common school defined in RCW 28A.150.020, or a grade kindergarten through twelve employee of a private school under chapter 28A.195 RCW, who is not enrolled as a student of the common school or private school.

Provides that a person is guilty of sexual misconduct with a minor in the second degree when the person is a school employee who has, or knowingly causes another person under the age of eighteen to have, sexual contact with a registered student of the school who is at least sixteen years old and not married to the employee, if the employee is at least sixty months older than the student.

Provides that, for the purposes of this act, "school employee" means an employee of a common school defined in RCW 28A.150.020, or a grade kindergarten through twelve employee of a private school under chapter 28A.195 RCW, who is not enrolled as a student of the common school or private school.