5225 Sponsor(s): Senators Benton, Prentice, Zarelli and Esser

Brief Description: Providing rental assistance vouchers. Revised for 1st Substitute: Providing rent vouchers for low-income persons to pay for rent and security deposits.

SB 5225 - DIGEST

(SUBSTITUTED FOR - SEE 1ST SUB)

Recognizes that housing affordability has become a significant problem for a large portion of society in many parts of the state in recent years. To address this problem, there is a need to allocate funding from the surcharge of ten dollars per instrument charged by the county auditor for each document recorded as established under RCW 36.22.178, to provide low-income persons with rent vouchers to pay for permanent, multifamily and single-family, for-profit, rental housing not supported in any manner by government funding.