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SENATE BILL 6535

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By Senators Warnick and Miloscia

Read first time 01/25/16. Referred to Committee on Human Services, Mental Health & Housing.

- 1 AN ACT Relating to the distribution of supplemental nutrition
- 2 assistance program benefits; and adding a new section to chapter
- 3 74.04 RCW.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 5 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 74.04
- 6 RCW to read as follows:
- 7 Beginning November 1, 2016, the department must expand the dates
- 8 it distributes supplemental nutrition assistance program benefits
- 9 from the first through the tenth of every month, to the first through
- 10 the twenty-fifth of every month. The department must assign new
- 11 supplemental nutrition assistance program benefit recipients
- 12 distribution dates within the expanded distribution period until
- 13 recipient distribution is reasonably equal throughout the range of
- 14 distribution dates.

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