

ESSB 5122 - H AMD TO CYF COMM AMD (H-1307.1/21) **550**

By Representative Young

1 On page 1, line 14 of the striking amendment, after "through"
2 strike "12" and insert "nine"

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4 On page 1, line 28 of the striking amendment, after "ages" strike
5 "13" and insert "10"

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7 On page 5, line 1 of the striking amendment, after "~~eight~~"
8 strike "13" and insert "10"

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10 On page 5, line 2 of the striking amendment, after "eight" strike
11 "~~(and under)~~ through twelve" and insert "~~(and under twelve)~~ and
12 nine"

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14 On page 5, line 3 of the striking amendment, after "with"
15 strike "murder in the first or" and insert "a serious violent
16 offense as defined under RCW 9.94A.030 or rape in the"

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18 On page 5, line 24 of the striking amendment, after "~~eight~~"
19 strike "13" and insert "10"

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21 On page 6, line 3 of the striking amendment, after "~~eight~~"
22 strike "13" and insert "10"

EFFECT: Makes the following changes to the underlying bill:

- Modifies the age at which a child is incapable of committing crime to specify that children under age 10 (instead of under age 13) are incapable of committing crime, and children age 8 and 9 who are charged with a serious violent offense or Rape in the Second Degree are presumed incapable of committing crime, but that presumption can be rebutted.

- Specifies that youth courts have authority over juveniles age 10 through 17 (instead of 13 through 17).
- Modifies the intent language to be consistent with the above changes.

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