

**E2SHB 2060** - S COMM AMD

By Committee on Human Services, Mental Health & Housing

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the  
2 following:

3 "Sec. 1. RCW 10.77.073 and 2013 c 284 s 1 are each amended to  
4 read as follows:

5 (1) The department shall reimburse a county for the cost of  
6 appointing a qualified expert or professional person under RCW  
7 10.77.060(1)(a) subject to subsections (2), (3), and (4) of this  
8 section if, at the time of a referral for an evaluation of competency  
9 to stand trial in a jail for an in-custody defendant, the department  
10 ((has)): (a) During the most recent quarter, did not perform at least  
11 one-third of the number of jail-based competency evaluations for in-  
12 custody defendants as were performed by qualified experts or  
13 professional persons appointed by the court in the referring county;  
14 or (b) did not ((met)) meet the performance target for timely  
15 completion of competency evaluations under RCW 10.77.068(1)(a)(ii)  
16 during the most recent quarter in fifty percent of cases submitted by  
17 the referring county, as documented in the most recent quarterly  
18 report under RCW 10.77.068(3) or confirmed by records maintained by  
19 the department((, the department shall reimburse the county for the  
20 cost of appointing a qualified expert or professional person under  
21 RCW 10.77.060(1)(a) subject to subsections (2) and (3) of this  
22 section)).

23 (2) Appointment of a qualified expert or professional person  
24 under this section must be from a list of qualified experts or  
25 professional persons assembled with participation by representatives  
26 of the prosecuting attorney and the defense bar of the county. The  
27 qualified expert or professional person shall complete an evaluation  
28 and report that includes the components specified in RCW  
29 10.77.060(3).

30 (3) The county shall provide a copy of the evaluation report to  
31 the applicable state hospital upon referral of the defendant for  
32 admission to the state hospital. The county shall maintain data on  
33 the timeliness of competency evaluations completed under this  
34 section.

1 (4) A qualified expert or professional person appointed by a  
2 court under this section must be compensated for competency  
3 evaluations in an amount that will encourage in-depth evaluation  
4 reports. Subject to the availability of amounts appropriated for this  
5 specific purpose, the department shall reimburse the county in an  
6 amount determined by the department to be fair and reasonable with  
7 the county paying any excess costs. The amount of reimbursement  
8 established by the department must at least meet the equivalent  
9 amount for evaluations conducted by the department.

10 ~~((4)-(5))~~ (5) Nothing in this section precludes either party  
11 from objecting to the appointment of an evaluator on the basis that  
12 an inpatient evaluation is appropriate under RCW 10.77.060(1)(d).

13 ~~((5)-(6))~~ (6) This section expires June 30, ~~((2016))~~ 2018.

14 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** (1) The legislature finds that there are  
15 currently no alternatives to competency restoration provided in the  
16 state hospitals and there is insufficient capacity within the state  
17 hospitals to meet the projected service needs of the state. Subject  
18 to the availability of amounts appropriated for this specific  
19 purpose, the legislature encourages the department of social and  
20 health services to develop, on a phased-in basis, alternative  
21 locations and increased access to competency restoration services  
22 under chapter 10.77 RCW for individuals who do not require inpatient  
23 psychiatric hospitalization level services.

24 (2) The department shall work with counties and the courts to  
25 develop a screening process to determine which individuals are safe  
26 to receive competency restoration treatment outside the state  
27 hospitals. The department also must develop a plan to sufficiently  
28 increase capacity to meet the projected ten-year need for both  
29 forensic and civil mental health bed demand.

30 **Sec. 3.** RCW 10.77.086 and 2013 c 289 s 2 are each amended to  
31 read as follows:

32 (1)(a) If the defendant is charged with a felony and determined  
33 to be incompetent, until he or she has regained the competency  
34 necessary to understand the proceedings against him or her and assist  
35 in his or her own defense, ~~((or has been determined unlikely to  
36 regain competency pursuant to RCW 10.77.084(1)(b),))~~ but in any event  
37 for a period of no longer than ninety days, the court:

1 (i) Shall commit the defendant to the custody of the secretary  
2 who shall place such defendant in an appropriate facility of the  
3 department for evaluation and treatment; or

4 (ii) May alternatively order the defendant to undergo evaluation  
5 and treatment at some other facility as determined by the department,  
6 or under the guidance and control of a professional person. The  
7 facilities may include community mental health providers or other  
8 local facilities that contract with the department and are willing  
9 and able to provide treatment under this section. During the  
10 2015-2017 fiscal biennium, the department may contract with one or  
11 more cities or counties to provide competency restoration services in  
12 a city or county jail if the city or county jail is willing and able  
13 to serve as a location for competency restoration services and if the  
14 secretary determines that there is an emergent need for beds and  
15 documents the justification, including a plan to address the  
16 emergency. Patients receiving competency restoration services in a  
17 city or county jail must be physically separated from other  
18 populations at the jail, must interact only with treatment staff and  
19 not jail staff, except for incidental interaction with jail staff for  
20 custodial service, food service, or similar services, and must be  
21 provided as much as possible with a therapeutic environment.  
22 Competency restoration services provided in a city or county jail  
23 must be performed by staff and professionals who have the skills and  
24 qualifications necessary to provide competency restoration services  
25 comparable to those provided at a state hospital. The ninety-day  
26 period for evaluation and treatment under this subsection (1)  
27 includes only the time the defendant is actually at the facility and  
28 is in addition to reasonable time for transport to or from the  
29 facility.

30 (b) For a defendant whose highest charge is a class C felony, or  
31 a class B felony that is not classified as violent under RCW  
32 9.94A.030, the maximum time allowed for the initial period of  
33 commitment for competency restoration is forty-five days. The forty-  
34 five day period includes only the time the defendant is actually at  
35 the facility and is in addition to reasonable time for transport to  
36 or from the facility.

37 (c) If the court determines that the defendant is unlikely to  
38 regain competency, the court may dismiss the charges without  
39 prejudice without ordering the defendant to undergo restoration  
40 treatment, in which case the court shall order that the defendant be

1 referred for evaluation for civil commitment in the manner provided  
2 in subsection (4) of this section.

3 (2) On or before expiration of the initial period of commitment  
4 under subsection (1) of this section the court shall conduct a  
5 hearing, at which it shall determine whether or not the defendant is  
6 incompetent.

7 (3) If the court finds by a preponderance of the evidence that a  
8 defendant charged with a felony is incompetent, the court shall have  
9 the option of extending the order of commitment or alternative  
10 treatment for an additional period of ninety days, but the court must  
11 at the time of extension set a date for a prompt hearing to determine  
12 the defendant's competency before the expiration of the second  
13 restoration period. The defendant, the defendant's attorney, or the  
14 prosecutor has the right to demand that the hearing be before a jury.  
15 No extension shall be ordered for a second or third restoration  
16 period as provided in subsection (4) of this section if the  
17 defendant's incompetence has been determined by the secretary to be  
18 solely the result of a developmental disability which is such that  
19 competence is not reasonably likely to be regained during an  
20 extension. The ninety-day period includes only the time the defendant  
21 is actually at the facility and is in addition to reasonable time for  
22 transport to or from the facility.

23 (4) For persons charged with a felony, at the hearing upon the  
24 expiration of the second restoration period, or at the end of the  
25 first restoration period((τ)) in the case of a defendant with a  
26 developmental disability, if the jury or court finds that the  
27 defendant is incompetent, or if the court or jury at any stage finds  
28 that the defendant is incompetent and the court determines that the  
29 defendant is unlikely to regain competency, the charges shall be  
30 dismissed without prejudice, and the court shall order the defendant  
31 be committed to a state hospital as defined in RCW 72.23.010 for up  
32 to seventy-two hours starting from admission to the facility,  
33 excluding Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays, for evaluation for the  
34 purpose of filing a civil commitment petition under chapter 71.05  
35 RCW. The criminal charges shall not be dismissed if the court or jury  
36 finds that: (a) The defendant (i) is a substantial danger to other  
37 persons; or (ii) presents a substantial likelihood of committing  
38 criminal acts jeopardizing public safety or security; and (b) there  
39 is a substantial probability that the defendant will regain  
40 competency within a reasonable period of time. In the event that the

1 court or jury makes such a finding, the court may extend the period  
2 of commitment for up to an additional six months. The six-month  
3 period includes only the time the defendant is actually at the  
4 facility and is in addition to reasonable time for transport to or  
5 from the facility.

6 **Sec. 4.** RCW 10.77.088 and 2007 c 375 s 5 are each amended to  
7 read as follows:

8 (1)(a) If the defendant is charged with a nonfelony crime which  
9 is a serious offense as identified in RCW 10.77.092 and found by the  
10 court to be not competent, then the court (~~shall order the secretary~~  
11 ~~to place the defendant~~):

12 (i) (~~At a secure mental health facility in the custody of the~~  
13 ~~department or an agency designated by the department for mental~~  
14 ~~health treatment and restoration of competency.)) Shall commit the  
15 defendant to the custody of the secretary who shall place such  
16 defendant in an appropriate facility of the department for evaluation  
17 and treatment;~~

18 (ii) May alternatively order the defendant to undergo evaluation  
19 and treatment at some other facility as determined by the department,  
20 or under the guidance and control of a professional person. The  
21 facilities may include community mental health providers or other  
22 local facilities that contract with the department and are willing  
23 and able to provide treatment under this section. During the  
24 2015-2017 fiscal biennium, the department may contract with one or  
25 more cities or counties to provide competency restoration services in  
26 a city or county jail if the city or county jail is willing and able  
27 to serve as a location for competency restoration services and if the  
28 secretary determines that there is an emergent need for beds and  
29 documents the justification, including a plan to address the  
30 emergency. Patients receiving competency restoration services in a  
31 city or county jail must be physically separated from other  
32 populations at the jail, must interact only with treatment staff and  
33 not jail staff, except for incidental interaction with jail staff for  
34 custodial service, food service, or similar services, and must be  
35 provided as much as possible with a therapeutic environment.  
36 Competency restoration services provided in a city or county jail  
37 must be performed by staff and professionals who have the skills and  
38 qualifications necessary to provide competency restoration services  
39 comparable to those provided at a state hospital.

1       The placement under (a)(i) and (ii) of this subsection shall not  
2 exceed fourteen days in addition to any unused time of the evaluation  
3 under RCW 10.77.060. The court shall compute this total period and  
4 include its computation in the order. The fourteen-day period plus  
5 any unused time of the evaluation under RCW 10.77.060 shall be  
6 considered to include only the time the defendant is actually at the  
7 facility and shall be in addition to reasonable time for transport to  
8 or from the facility;

9       ~~((iii))~~ (iii) May alternatively order that the defendant be  
10 placed on conditional release for up to ninety days for mental health  
11 treatment and restoration of competency; or

12       ~~((iii))~~ (iv) May order any combination of this subsection.

13       (b) If the court has determined that the defendant is unlikely to  
14 regain competency, the court may dismiss the charges without  
15 prejudice without ordering the defendant to undergo restoration  
16 treatment, in which case the court shall order that the defendant be  
17 referred for evaluation for civil commitment in the manner provided  
18 in (c) of this subsection.

19       (c)(i) If the proceedings are dismissed under RCW 10.77.084 and  
20 the defendant was on conditional release at the time of dismissal,  
21 the court shall order the designated mental health professional  
22 within that county to evaluate the defendant pursuant to chapter  
23 71.05 RCW. The evaluation may be conducted in any location chosen by  
24 the professional.

25       (ii) If the defendant was in custody and not on conditional  
26 release at the time of dismissal, the defendant shall be detained and  
27 sent to an evaluation and treatment facility for up to seventy-two  
28 hours, excluding Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays, for evaluation for  
29 purposes of filing a petition under chapter 71.05 RCW. The seventy-  
30 two-hour period shall commence upon the next nonholiday weekday  
31 following the court order and shall run to the end of the last  
32 nonholiday weekday within the seventy-two-hour period.

33       (2) If the defendant is charged with a nonfelony crime that is  
34 not a serious offense as defined in RCW 10.77.092:

35       The court may stay or dismiss proceedings and detain the  
36 defendant for sufficient time to allow the designated mental health  
37 professional to evaluate the defendant and consider initial detention  
38 proceedings under chapter 71.05 RCW. The court must give notice to  
39 all parties at least twenty-four hours before the dismissal of any

1 proceeding under this subsection, and provide an opportunity for a  
2 hearing on whether to dismiss the proceedings.

3 **Sec. 5.** RCW 10.77.220 and 1982 c 112 s 3 are each amended to  
4 read as follows:

5 No person who is criminally insane confined pursuant to this  
6 chapter shall be incarcerated in a state correctional institution or  
7 facility: PROVIDED, That nothing herein shall prohibit confinement in  
8 a mental health facility located wholly within a correctional  
9 institution. Confinement of a person who is criminally insane in a  
10 county jail or other local facility while awaiting either placement  
11 in a treatment program or a court hearing pursuant to this chapter is  
12 permitted for no more than seven days.

13 **Sec. 6.** RCW 71.05.235 and 2008 c 213 s 5 are each amended to  
14 read as follows:

15 (1) If an individual is referred to a designated mental health  
16 professional under RCW 10.77.088(1)((~~b~~)) (c)(i), the designated  
17 mental health professional shall examine the individual within forty-  
18 eight hours. If the designated mental health professional determines  
19 it is not appropriate to detain the individual or petition for a  
20 ninety-day less restrictive alternative under RCW 71.05.230(4), that  
21 decision shall be immediately presented to the superior court for  
22 hearing. The court shall hold a hearing to consider the decision of  
23 the designated mental health professional not later than the next  
24 judicial day. At the hearing the superior court shall review the  
25 determination of the designated mental health professional and  
26 determine whether an order should be entered requiring the person to  
27 be evaluated at an evaluation and treatment facility. No person  
28 referred to an evaluation and treatment facility may be held at the  
29 facility longer than seventy-two hours.

30 (2) If an individual is placed in an evaluation and treatment  
31 facility under RCW 10.77.088(1)((~~b~~)) (c)(ii), a professional person  
32 shall evaluate the individual for purposes of determining whether to  
33 file a ninety-day inpatient or outpatient petition under chapter  
34 71.05 RCW. Before expiration of the seventy-two hour evaluation  
35 period authorized under RCW 10.77.088(1)((~~b~~)) (c)(ii), the  
36 professional person shall file a petition or, if the recommendation  
37 of the professional person is to release the individual, present his  
38 or her recommendation to the superior court of the county in which

1 the criminal charge was dismissed. The superior court shall review  
2 the recommendation not later than forty-eight hours, excluding  
3 Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays, after the recommendation is  
4 presented. If the court rejects the recommendation to unconditionally  
5 release the individual, the court may order the individual detained  
6 at a designated evaluation and treatment facility for not more than a  
7 seventy-two hour evaluation and treatment period and direct the  
8 individual to appear at a surety hearing before that court within  
9 seventy-two hours, or the court may release the individual but direct  
10 the individual to appear at a surety hearing set before that court  
11 within eleven days, at which time the prosecutor may file a petition  
12 under this chapter for ninety-day inpatient or outpatient treatment.  
13 If a petition is filed by the prosecutor, the court may order that  
14 the person named in the petition be detained at the evaluation and  
15 treatment facility that performed the evaluation under this  
16 subsection or order the respondent to be in outpatient treatment. If  
17 a petition is filed but the individual fails to appear in court for  
18 the surety hearing, the court shall order that a mental health  
19 professional or peace officer shall take such person or cause such  
20 person to be taken into custody and placed in an evaluation and  
21 treatment facility to be brought before the court the next judicial  
22 day after detention. Upon the individual's first appearance in court  
23 after a petition has been filed, proceedings under RCW 71.05.310 and  
24 71.05.320 shall commence. For an individual subject to this  
25 subsection, the prosecutor or professional person may directly file a  
26 petition for ninety-day inpatient or outpatient treatment and no  
27 petition for initial detention or fourteen-day detention is required  
28 before such a petition may be filed.

29 The court shall conduct the hearing on the petition filed under  
30 this subsection within five judicial days of the date the petition is  
31 filed. The court may continue the hearing upon the written request of  
32 the person named in the petition or the person's attorney, for good  
33 cause shown, which continuance shall not exceed five additional  
34 judicial days. If the person named in the petition requests a jury  
35 trial, the trial shall commence within ten judicial days of the date  
36 of the filing of the petition. The burden of proof shall be by clear,  
37 cogent, and convincing evidence and shall be upon the petitioner. The  
38 person shall be present at such proceeding, which shall in all  
39 respects accord with the constitutional guarantees of due process of  
40 law and the rules of evidence pursuant to RCW 71.05.360 (8) and (9).

1 During the proceeding the person named in the petition shall  
2 continue to be detained and treated until released by order of the  
3 court. If no order has been made within thirty days after the filing  
4 of the petition, not including any extensions of time requested by  
5 the detained person or his or her attorney, the detained person shall  
6 be released.

7 (3) If a designated mental health professional or the  
8 professional person and prosecuting attorney for the county in which  
9 the criminal charge was dismissed or attorney general, as  
10 appropriate, stipulate that the individual does not present a  
11 likelihood of serious harm or is not gravely disabled, the hearing  
12 under this section is not required and the individual, if in custody,  
13 shall be released.

14 (4) The individual shall have the rights specified in RCW  
15 71.05.360 (8) and (9).

16 **Sec. 7.** RCW 10.77.065 and 2014 c 10 s 3 are each amended to read  
17 as follows:

18 (1)(a)(i) The expert conducting the evaluation shall provide his  
19 or her report and recommendation to the court in which the criminal  
20 proceeding is pending. For a competency evaluation of a defendant who  
21 is released from custody, if the evaluation cannot be completed  
22 within twenty-one days due to a lack of cooperation by the defendant,  
23 the evaluator shall notify the court that he or she is unable to  
24 complete the evaluation because of such lack of cooperation.

25 (ii) A copy of the report and recommendation shall be provided to  
26 the designated mental health professional, the prosecuting attorney,  
27 the defense attorney, and the professional person at the local  
28 correctional facility where the defendant is being held, or if there  
29 is no professional person, to the person designated under (a)(iv) of  
30 this subsection. Upon request, the evaluator shall also provide  
31 copies of any source documents relevant to the evaluation to the  
32 designated mental health professional.

33 (iii) Any facility providing inpatient services related to  
34 competency shall discharge the defendant as soon as the facility  
35 determines that the defendant is competent to stand trial. Discharge  
36 shall not be postponed during the writing and distribution of the  
37 evaluation report. Distribution of an evaluation report by a facility  
38 providing inpatient services shall ordinarily be accomplished within  
39 two working days or less following the final evaluation of the

1 defendant. If the defendant is discharged to the custody of a local  
2 correctional facility, the local correctional facility must continue  
3 the medication regimen prescribed by the facility, when clinically  
4 appropriate, unless the defendant refuses to cooperate with  
5 medication and an involuntary medication order by the court has not  
6 been entered.

7 (iv) If there is no professional person at the local correctional  
8 facility, the local correctional facility shall designate a  
9 professional person as defined in RCW 71.05.020 or, in cooperation  
10 with the regional support network, a professional person at the  
11 regional support network to receive the report and recommendation.

12 (v) Upon commencement of a defendant's evaluation in the local  
13 correctional facility, the local correctional facility must notify  
14 the evaluator of the name of the professional person, or person  
15 designated under (a)(iv) of this subsection, to receive the report  
16 and recommendation.

17 (b) If the evaluator concludes, under RCW 10.77.060(3)(f), the  
18 person should be evaluated by a designated mental health professional  
19 under chapter 71.05 RCW, the court shall order such evaluation be  
20 conducted prior to release from confinement when the person is  
21 acquitted or convicted and sentenced to confinement for twenty-four  
22 months or less, or when charges are dismissed pursuant to a finding  
23 of incompetent to stand trial.

24 (2) The designated mental health professional shall provide  
25 written notification within twenty-four hours of the results of the  
26 determination whether to commence proceedings under chapter 71.05  
27 RCW. The notification shall be provided to the persons identified in  
28 subsection (1)(a) of this section.

29 (3) The prosecuting attorney shall provide a copy of the results  
30 of any proceedings commenced by the designated mental health  
31 professional under subsection (2) of this section to the secretary.

32 (4) A facility conducting a civil commitment evaluation under RCW  
33 10.77.086(4) or 10.77.088(1)(~~(b)~~) (c)(ii) that makes a  
34 determination to release the person instead of filing a civil  
35 commitment petition must provide written notice to the prosecutor and  
36 defense attorney at least twenty-four hours prior to release. The  
37 notice may be given by electronic mail, facsimile, or other means  
38 reasonably likely to communicate the information immediately.

39 (5) The fact of admission and all information and records  
40 compiled, obtained, or maintained in the course of providing services

1 under this chapter may also be disclosed to the courts solely to  
2 prevent the entry of any evaluation or treatment order that is  
3 inconsistent with any order entered under chapter 71.05 RCW.

4 **Sec. 8.** RCW 10.77.065 and 2014 c 225 s 59 and 2014 c 10 s 3 are  
5 each reenacted and amended to read as follows:

6 (1)(a)(i) The expert conducting the evaluation shall provide his  
7 or her report and recommendation to the court in which the criminal  
8 proceeding is pending. For a competency evaluation of a defendant who  
9 is released from custody, if the evaluation cannot be completed  
10 within twenty-one days due to a lack of cooperation by the defendant,  
11 the evaluator shall notify the court that he or she is unable to  
12 complete the evaluation because of such lack of cooperation.

13 (ii) A copy of the report and recommendation shall be provided to  
14 the designated mental health professional, the prosecuting attorney,  
15 the defense attorney, and the professional person at the local  
16 correctional facility where the defendant is being held, or if there  
17 is no professional person, to the person designated under (a)(iv) of  
18 this subsection. Upon request, the evaluator shall also provide  
19 copies of any source documents relevant to the evaluation to the  
20 designated mental health professional.

21 (iii) Any facility providing inpatient services related to  
22 competency shall discharge the defendant as soon as the facility  
23 determines that the defendant is competent to stand trial. Discharge  
24 shall not be postponed during the writing and distribution of the  
25 evaluation report. Distribution of an evaluation report by a facility  
26 providing inpatient services shall ordinarily be accomplished within  
27 two working days or less following the final evaluation of the  
28 defendant. If the defendant is discharged to the custody of a local  
29 correctional facility, the local correctional facility must continue  
30 the medication regimen prescribed by the facility, when clinically  
31 appropriate, unless the defendant refuses to cooperate with  
32 medication and an involuntary medication order by the court has not  
33 been entered.

34 (iv) If there is no professional person at the local correctional  
35 facility, the local correctional facility shall designate a  
36 professional person as defined in RCW 71.05.020 or, in cooperation  
37 with the behavioral health organization, a professional person at the  
38 behavioral health organization to receive the report and  
39 recommendation.

1 (v) Upon commencement of a defendant's evaluation in the local  
2 correctional facility, the local correctional facility must notify  
3 the evaluator of the name of the professional person, or person  
4 designated under (a)(iv) of this subsection, to receive the report  
5 and recommendation.

6 (b) If the evaluator concludes, under RCW 10.77.060(3)(f), the  
7 person should be evaluated by a designated mental health professional  
8 under chapter 71.05 RCW, the court shall order such evaluation be  
9 conducted prior to release from confinement when the person is  
10 acquitted or convicted and sentenced to confinement for twenty-four  
11 months or less, or when charges are dismissed pursuant to a finding  
12 of incompetent to stand trial.

13 (2) The designated mental health professional shall provide  
14 written notification within twenty-four hours of the results of the  
15 determination whether to commence proceedings under chapter 71.05  
16 RCW. The notification shall be provided to the persons identified in  
17 subsection (1)(a) of this section.

18 (3) The prosecuting attorney shall provide a copy of the results  
19 of any proceedings commenced by the designated mental health  
20 professional under subsection (2) of this section to the secretary.

21 (4) A facility conducting a civil commitment evaluation under RCW  
22 10.77.086(4) or 10.77.088(1)(~~(b)~~) (c)(ii) that makes a  
23 determination to release the person instead of filing a civil  
24 commitment petition must provide written notice to the prosecutor and  
25 defense attorney at least twenty-four hours prior to release. The  
26 notice may be given by electronic mail, facsimile, or other means  
27 reasonably likely to communicate the information immediately.

28 (5) The fact of admission and all information and records  
29 compiled, obtained, or maintained in the course of providing services  
30 under this chapter may also be disclosed to the courts solely to  
31 prevent the entry of any evaluation or treatment order that is  
32 inconsistent with any order entered under chapter 71.05 RCW.

33 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 9.** If any provision of this act or its  
34 application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the  
35 remainder of the act or the application of the provision to other  
36 persons or circumstances is not affected.

37 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 10.** Section 7 of this act expires April 1,  
38 2016.

1        NEW SECTION.    **Sec. 11.**    Section 8 of this act takes effect April  
2    1, 2016.

3        NEW SECTION.    **Sec. 12.**    Section 1 of this act is necessary for  
4    the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or  
5    support of the state government and its existing public institutions,  
6    and takes effect immediately."

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By Committee on Human Services, Mental Health & Housing

7        On page 1, line 2 of the title, after "services;" strike the  
8    remainder of the title and insert "amending RCW 10.77.073, 10.77.086,  
9    10.77.088, 10.77.220, 71.05.235, and 10.77.065; reenacting and  
10    amending RCW 10.77.065; creating a new section; providing an  
11    effective date; providing expiration dates; and declaring an  
12    emergency."

EFFECT: Removes the provisions of SSB 5889, which passed the  
Legislature, from the bill.

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