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SENATE BILL 5416

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By Senators L. Kreidler and Sutherland.

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Governmental Operations.

1 AN ACT Relating to state employees; amending RCW 43.01.040; and  
2 repealing RCW 43.01.044.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 43.01.040 and 1984 c 184 s 19 are each amended to read  
5 as follows:

6 Each subordinate officer and employee of the several offices,  
7 departments, and institutions of the state government shall be entitled  
8 under their contract of employment with the state government to not  
9 less than one working day of vacation leave with full pay for each  
10 month of employment if said employment is continuous for six months.

11 Each such subordinate officer and employee shall be entitled under  
12 such contract of employment to not less than one additional working day  
13 of vacation with full pay each year for satisfactorily completing the  
14 first two, three and five continuous years of employment respectively.

1       Such part time officers or employees of the state government who  
2 are employed on a regular schedule of duration of not less than one  
3 year shall be entitled under their contract of employment to that  
4 fractional part of the vacation leave that the total number of hours of  
5 such employment bears to the total number of hours of full time  
6 employment.

7       Each subordinate officer and employee of the several offices,  
8 departments and institutions of the state government shall be entitled  
9 under his contract of employment with the state government to accrue  
10 unused vacation leave (~~((not to exceed thirty working days))~~). Officers  
11 and employees transferring within the several offices, departments and  
12 institutions of the state government shall be entitled to transfer such  
13 accrued vacation leave to each succeeding state office, department or  
14 institution. All vacation leave shall be taken at the time convenient  
15 to the employing office, department or institution: PROVIDED, That if  
16 a subordinate officer's or employee's request for vacation leave is  
17 deferred by reason of the convenience of the employing office,  
18 department or institution, and a statement of the necessity therefor is  
19 filed by such employing office, department or institution with the  
20 appropriate personnel board or other state agency or officer, then the  
21 (~~((aforesaid maximum thirty working days of accrued))~~) unused vacation  
22 leave shall be extended for each month said leave is so deferred.

23       NEW SECTION.   **Sec. 2.**       RCW 43.01.044 and 1983 c 283 s 1 are  
24 each repealed.