

5065-S

Sponsor(s): Senate Committee on Law & Justice (originally sponsored by Senators Nelson, Metcalf, McCaslin, Bailey, Erwin, Stratton, Thorsness and Conner)

Brief Description: Allowing a child's statement concerning attempted acts of sexual contact to be admitted in court.

SB 5065-S - DIGEST

(DIGEST OF PROPOSED 1ST SUBSTITUTE)

Provides that the statement by a child under the age of ten is admissible in evidence in dependency proceedings under Title 13 RCW and in criminal proceedings, including juvenile offense adjudications.