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Sponsor(s): Senators Bauer and Benton

Brief Title: Prohibiting slayers from receiving benefits because of the victim's death.

SB 6275 - DIGEST

Declares that no slayer shall in any way acquire any property or receive any benefit as the result of the death of the decedent including, but not limited to, acquiring an immediate possessory interest in the slayer's or decedent's share of community or jointly owned property of the decedent's and slayer's, whether vested or not.

Provides that proceeds payable to a slayer as the beneficiary of any benefits flowing from one of the retirement systems listed in RCW 41.50.030, by virtue of the decedent's membership in the department of retirement systems or by virtue of the death of decedent, shall be paid instead as designated in the act.