

6397-S

Sponsor(s): Senate Committee on Law & Justice (originally sponsored by Senators Fraser, Roach, Fairley, Kohl, Oke and Swecker)

Brief Title: Protecting rape victims with children born as a consequence of the rape from contact with the father.

SB 6397-S - DIGEST

(DIGEST OF PROPOSED 1ST SUBSTITUTE)

Declares that a person convicted of any sex offense under chapter 9A.44 RCW may not bring an action for the purposes of declaring the existence or nonexistence of a father and child relationship with a child that was conceived and born as a result of the offense.

Declares that persons who have been convicted of a sex offense under chapter 9A.44 RCW are precluded from initiating or participating in court action seeking custody or visitation of any child who was conceived and born as a result of the offense.