

1 **SSB 5180** - H AMD

2 By Representative Lambert

3 On page 89, after year.- on line 29, insert the following:

4 On page 89, after year.- on line 29, insert the following: (f) \$3,600
5 of the general fund--state fiscal year 2000 appropriation shall be used
6 to make a publication for use by school districts of when it would be
7 appropriate for students, teachers, and administrators in the common
8 schools to exercise their rights of freedom of religion guaranteed by
9 the First Amendment to the United States Constitution and Article I,
10 section 11 of the Washington State Constitution, including prayer and
11 spiritual counseling, on school grounds and at school-related
12 activities in seeking comfort or assistance in response to a disaster,
13 crisis, or emergency involving the student or the student's family, the
14 school, the community, the state, or the nation, or involving another
15 student, school, community, state, or nation.-

16 Renumber the remaining sections consecutively and correct any
17 internal references accordingly.

18 EFFECT: Provides funding for a study of when it is appropriate
19 for students and teachers to pray or give counseling when there has
20 been an accident, injury, illness, death, crime, natural disaster,
21 emergency or other serious event involving the student, school,
22 community, state, or nation.

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