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Sponsor(s): Senators Costa and Hargrove

Brief Description: Authorizing a travel payment for out-of-state parents of homicide victims.

**SB 6788 - DIGEST**

(DIGEST AS ENACTED)

Declares a dependent mother, father, stepmother, or stepfather, as defined in RCW 51.08.050, who is a survivor of her or his child's homicide, who has been requested by a law enforcement agency or a prosecutor to assist in the judicial proceedings related to the death of the victim, and who is not domiciled in Washington state at the time of the request, may receive a lump-sum payment upon arrival in this state.

Provides that total benefits under this act may not exceed seven thousand five hundred dollars. If more than one dependent parent is eligible for this benefit, the lump-sum payment of seven thousand five hundred dollars shall be divided equally among the dependent parents.