

6276-S

Sponsor(s): Senate Committee on Health & Long-Term Care (originally sponsored by Senators Keiser and Eide)

Brief Description: Requiring reporting of felony-level complaints against a physician. Revised for 1st Substitute: Requiring reporting of certain criminal charges against a physician.

**SB 6276-S - DIGEST**

(DIGEST OF PROPOSED 1ST SUBSTITUTE)

Provides that if in the course of an investigation it becomes apparent that the suspect is a physician licensed by this state, the criminal justice agency conducting the investigation shall provide the department of health with criminal history record information of the physician pertaining to an arrest, detention, indictment, information, or other formal criminal charge related to a violation of chapter 9A.32, 9A.44, 9A.60, or 69.50 RCW.

Provides that, notwithstanding RCW 10.97.040, criminal justice agencies shall, within thirty days of the action, provide criminal history record information of physicians pertaining to an arrest, detention, indictment, information, or other formal criminal charge, to the department of health related to violations of chapters 9A.32, 9A.44, 9A.60, and 69.50 RCW.