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Brief Description: Requiring record checks for fire fighters.

**SB 6441 - DIGEST**

(SEE ALSO PROPOSED 1ST SUB)

Provides that, for all paid or volunteer fire fighters that may, in the course of their work or volunteer activity for a city, have access to the home or property of another person, cities shall require a record check through the Washington state patrol criminal identification system under RCW 43.43.830 through 43.43.834, 10.97.030, and 10.97.050 and through the federal bureau of investigation before hiring an employee or accepting a volunteer.

Provides that record checks shall not be required of persons who are paid or volunteer fire fighters of the city prior to the effective date of this act.