

**SSB 5219** - S AMD TO S2371.1  
By Senator ....

1 On page 1, on line 3 of the amendment, strike all of section 1 and  
2 insert:

3 **Sec. 1.** RCW 29A.04.310 and 2005 c 2 s 8 (Initiative Measure No.  
4 872, approved November 2, 2004) are each amended to read as follows:

5 Primaries for general elections to be held in November must be held  
6 on(~~(~~  
7 ~~(1) The third Tuesday of the preceding September; or~~  
8 ~~(2) The seventh Tuesday immediately preceding that general~~  
9 ~~election, whichever occurs first))the Tuesday immediately preceding  
10 Labor Day of the same calendar year.~~

11 Renumber the sections consecutively and correct any internal  
12 references accordingly.

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**EFFECT:** Move the primary date back three weeks from current law.