
SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 6535

State of Washington 64th Legislature 2016 Regular Session

By Senate Human Services, Mental Health & Housing (originally sponsored by Senators Warnick and Miloscia)

READ FIRST TIME 02/05/16.

1 AN ACT Relating to the distribution of supplemental nutrition
2 assistance program benefits; and adding a new section to chapter
3 74.04 RCW.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

5 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 74.04
6 RCW to read as follows:

7 Beginning February 1, 2017, the department must expand the dates
8 it distributes supplemental nutrition assistance program benefits
9 from the first through the tenth of every month, to the first through
10 the twentieth of every month. The department must assign new
11 supplemental nutrition assistance program benefit recipients
12 distribution dates within the expanded distribution period until
13 recipient distribution is reasonably equal throughout the range of
14 distribution dates.

--- END ---