

**SSB 5621 - S AMD 140**  
By Senator Padden

WITHDRAWN 03/04/2019

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the  
2 following:

3 **"Sec. 1.** RCW 12.40.010 and 2008 c 227 s 2 are each amended to  
4 read as follows:

5 In every district court there shall be created and organized by  
6 the court a department to be known as the "small claims department of  
7 the district court." The small claims department shall have  
8 jurisdiction, but not exclusive, in cases for the recovery of money  
9 only if the amount claimed does not exceed (~~five~~) ten thousand  
10 dollars."

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11 On page 1, line 2 of the title, after "courts;" strike the  
12 remainder of the title and insert "and amending RCW 12.40.010"

EFFECT: Restores the original bill provisions increasing the  
small claims court jurisdiction amount to \$10,000 for all cases.

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