

SENATE BILL REPORT

ESSB 5001

As Reported by Senate Committee On:
Labor & Commerce, January 17, 2019

Title: An act relating to human remains.

Brief Description: Concerning human remains.

Sponsors: Senate Committee on Labor & Commerce (originally sponsored by Senators Pedersen, King, Rivers, Keiser, Palumbo, Saldaña, Liás, Carlyle, Conway, Kuderer and Van De Wege).

Brief History:

Committee Activity: Labor & Commerce: 1/15/19, 1/17/19 [DPS].

Brief Summary of First Substitute Bill

SENATE COMMITTEE ON LABOR & COMMERCE

Majority Report: That Substitute Senate Bill No. 5001 be substituted therefor, and the substitute bill do pass.

Signed by Senators Keiser, Chair; Conway, Vice Chair; King, Ranking Member; Braun, Saldaña, Walsh and Wellman.

Staff:

Background:

Summary of Bill (First Substitute):

Appropriation:

Fiscal Note:

Creates Committee/Commission/Task Force that includes Legislative members:

Effective Date:

Staff Summary of Public Testimony on First Substitute:

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Persons Testifying: PRO: Senator Jamie Pedersen, Prime Sponsor; Hanna Floss; Vicki Christophersen, Recompose; Katrina Spade, Recompose; Char Barrett, A Sacred Moment Funeral Services; John Waltner; Nora Menkin, Peoples Memorial Association The Co-Op Funeral Home; Brian Flowers, Moles Farewell Tributes; Joslin Roth, Resting Waters Aquamation; Katrina Morgan.

CON: Scott Sheehan, Washington Cemetery Cremation and Funeral Association; Lisa Devereau, Washington State Funeral Directors Association.

Persons Signed In To Testify But Not Testifying: No one.