## SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5819

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By Senate Ways & Means (originally sponsored by Senators Braun, Brown, Conway, Dozier, Frockt, Keiser, Randall, Rivers, Saldaña, Short, Trudeau, Warnick, and L. Wilson)

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to the developmental disabilities
- 2 administration's no-paid services caseload; and adding a new section
- 3 to chapter 71A.10 RCW.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 5 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 71A.10 6 RCW to read as follows:
- 7 (1) The department shall hire two permanent, full-time employees to regularly review and maintain the no-paid services caseload. This 8 9 includes, but is not limited to, updating the no-paid services 10 caseload to accurately reflect a current headcount of eligible 11 individuals and identifying the number of individuals contacted who 12 currently interested in receiving a paid service from the developmental disabilities administration and if the individual would 13 14 like services now or within the next year. Beginning December 1, 2022, the department shall annually report this information to the 15 16 governor and the appropriate committees of the legislature.
- 17 (2) A client on the no-paid services caseload shall receive case 18 resource management services. The case resource manager's duties 19 include: (a) Contacting and responding to the client to discuss the 20 client's service needs, and (b) explaining to the client the service

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1 options available through the department or other community

2 resources.

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