

2195-S

Sponsor(s): House Committee on Corrections (originally sponsored by Representatives Blanton, Quall, Sheldon and Costa; by request of Department of Corrections)

Brief Description: Authorizing the department of corrections to intercept, record, and divulge electronically monitored inmate conversations.

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(DIGEST AS ENACTED)

Authorizes the department of corrections to intercept, record, and divulge electronically monitored inmate conversations in inmate living units, cells, rooms, dormitories, and common space.

Requires the inmates to be notified in writing of the policy no later than May 1, 1996.

Requires visitors to be given notice of the policy by posting a warning in the facility by July 1, 1996.

Recognizes the privileged nature of confessions to a member of the clergy.

Repeals RCW 9.73.145.