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SENATE BILL 6176

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By Senators L. Smith, Nelson, Oke, Winsley, Hochstatter, Moyer,  
Anderson and Roach

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1 AN ACT Relating to collection agencies; and adding a new section to  
2 chapter 19.16 RCW.

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

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 19.16 RCW  
5 to read as follows:

6 When a creditor cannot collect a debt and assigns a debt to a  
7 collection agency, the creditor has a duty to inform the debtor that  
8 the debt has been assigned, and give the debtor the name of the  
9 collection agency that has been assigned the debt.

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