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SENATE BILL 5615

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By Senators Rivers, Palumbo, Randall, and Wellman

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to designating Sasquatch the official cryptid or
- 2 crypto-animal of Washington; adding a new section to chapter 1.20
- 3 RCW; and creating a new section.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 5 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** The legislature recognizes that Sasquatch
- 6 has made immeasurable contributions to Washington state's cultural
- 7 heritage and ecosystem. The state of Washington further recognizes
- 8 the importance of preserving the legacy of Sasquatch.
- 9 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 2.** A new section is added to chapter 1.20 RCW
- 10 to read as follows:
- 11 The species of cryptid commonly called "Sasquatch" or "Bigfoot"
- 12 or "Forest Yeti" is hereby designated as the official cryptid of the
- 13 state of Washington.

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