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**SENATE BILL 6155**

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**By** Senators Cleveland and Dhingra

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1 AN ACT Relating to the rape of a child; and amending RCW  
2 9A.44.073.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 9A.44.073 and 1988 c 145 s 2 are each amended to  
5 read as follows:

6 (1) A person is guilty of rape of a child in the first degree  
7 when the person has sexual intercourse with another who is less than  
8 twelve years old (~~and not married to the perpetrator~~) and the  
9 perpetrator is at least twenty-four months older than the victim.

10 (2) Rape of a child in the first degree is a class A felony.

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