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**SENATE BILL 5866**

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**State of Washington**

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**By** Senator Fortunato

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1 AN ACT Relating to protecting the continuity of teletherapy  
2 services; and adding a new section to chapter 71.24 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 71.24  
5 RCW to read as follows:

6 A software vendor that provides practice management software to  
7 support teletherapy services shall provide six months' notice before  
8 stopping services to a client therapist or therapy practice if a  
9 dispute arises between the vendor and therapist or therapy practice  
10 over a proposed change in the terms of the software user agreement.

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