

## HB 1101 -- CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES

SPONSOR: Roorda

This bill establishes Leslie's Law which specifies that a person commits the crime of involuntary manslaughter in the first degree if he or she unlawfully distributes or delivers any controlled substance to another person and that person's injection, inhalation, or ingestion of the controlled substance causes that person's death. The act of distributing or delivering a controlled substance is the cause of death when the injection, inhalation, or ingestion of the substance is an antecedent but for which the death would have occurred and the death was not too remote in its occurrence as to have a just bearing on the defendant's liability or too dependent upon conduct of another person which was unrelated to the injection, inhalation, or ingestion of the substance or its effect as to have a just bearing on the defendant's liability.