CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

**HOUSE BILL 1061**

Chapter 25, Laws of 2015

64th Legislature

2015 3rd Special Session

SKAGIT COUNTY--DISTRICT COURT JUDGES

EFFECTIVE DATE: 10/9/2015

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| Passed by the House June 30, 2015Yeas 94 Nays 4FRANK CHOPP**Speaker of the House of Representatives**Passed by the Senate June 30, 2015Yeas 45 Nays 0PAM ROACH**President of the Senate** | CERTIFICATEI, Barbara Baker, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **HOUSE BILL 1061** as passed by House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.BARBARA BAKER**Chief Clerk** |
| Approved July 6, 2015 4:07 PM | July 7, 2015 |
| JAY INSLEE**Governor of the State of Washington** | **Secretary of State** **State of Washington** |

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**State of Washington 64th Legislature 2015 Regular Session**

**By** Representatives Hayes, Lytton, Smith, Gregerson, Moeller, and Buys; by request of Board For Judicial Administration

AN ACT Relating to increasing the number of district court judges in Skagit county; amending RCW 3.34.010; and creating a new section.

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

**Sec.**  RCW 3.34.010 and 2011 c 43 s 1 are each amended to read as follows:

The number of district judges to be elected in each county shall be: Adams, two; Asotin, one; Benton, five; Chelan, two; Clallam, two; Clark, six; Columbia, one; Cowlitz, three; Douglas, one; Ferry, one; Franklin, one; Garfield, one; Grant, three; Grays Harbor, two; Island, one; Jefferson, one; King, twenty-three in 2009, twenty-five in 2010, and twenty-six in 2011; Kitsap, four; Kittitas, two; Klickitat, two; Lewis, two; Lincoln, one; Mason, one; Okanogan, two; Pacific, two; Pend Oreille, one; Pierce, eleven; San Juan, one; Skagit, ((~~two~~))three; Skamania, one; Snohomish, eight; Spokane, eight; Stevens, one; Thurston, three; Wahkiakum, one; Walla Walla, two; Whatcom, two; Whitman, one; Yakima, four. This number may be increased only as provided in RCW 3.34.020.

NEW SECTION. **Sec.**  The additional judicial position created by section 1 of this act in Skagit county becomes effective only if the county, through its duly constituted legislative authority, documents its approval of the additional position and its agreement that it will pay out of county funds, without reimbursement from the state, the expenses of the additional judicial position as provided by statute.

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