CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5381

Chapter 47, Laws of 1991

52nd Legislature 1991 Regular Session

VETERINARIANS--AUTHORITY TO DISPENSE LEGEND DRUGS PRESCRIBED BY ANOTHER VETERINARIAN

EFFECTIVE DATE: 7/28/91

Passed by the Senate March 13, 1991 Yeas 46 Nays 0

ALAN BLUECHEL President of the Senate

Passed by the House April 10, 1991 Yeas 93 Nays 0

JOE KING

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Approved April 24, 1991

CERTIFICATE

I, Gordon Golob, Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5381** as passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth.

GORDON A. GOLOB

Secretary

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BOOTH GARDNER Governor of the State of Washington Secretary of State State of Washington

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By Senate Committee on Health & Long-Term Care (originally sponsored by Senators West, Gaspard, Bailey, Hansen, Bauer and L. Smith).Read first time February 18, 1991.

1 AN ACT Relating to veterinary medicine; and adding a new section to 2 chapter 18.92 RCW.

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

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 1. A new section is added to chapter 18.92 RCW
to read as follows:

6 A veterinarian licensed under this chapter may dispense veterinary 7 legend drugs prescribed by other veterinarians licensed under this chapter, so long as, during any year, the total drugs so dispensed do 8 not constitute more than five percent of the total dosage units of 9 10 legend drugs the veterinarian dispenses and the veterinarian maintains 11 records of his or her dispensing activities consistent with the requirements of chapters 18.64, 69.04, 69.41, and 69.50 RCW. 12 For purposes of this section, a "veterinary legend drug" is a legend drug, 13 as defined in chapter 69.41 RCW, which is either: (1) Restricted to 14 15 use by licensed veterinarians by any law or regulation of the federal

- 1 government, or (2) designated by rule by the state board of pharmacy as
- 2 being a legend drug that one licensed veterinarian may dispense for
- 3 another licensed veterinarian under this section.

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