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COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES--CHECK CASHING FOR STUDENTS
AND EMPLOYEES

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Yeas 94  Nays 2

BRIAN EBERSOLE
Speaker of the
House of Representatives

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Yeas 47  Nays 0

JOEL PRITCHARD
President of the Senate

CERTIFICATE

I, Alan Thompson, Chief Clerk of the
House of Representatives of the State
of Washington, do hereby certify that
the attached is HOUSE BILL 2069 as
passed by the House of Representatives
and the Senate on the dates hereon set
forth.

ALAN THOMPSON
Chief Clerk

Approved April 30, 1993

MIKE LOWRY
Governor of the State of Washington

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JOEL PRITCHARD
President of the Senate

ALAN THOMPSON
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MIKE LOWRY
Governor of the State of Washington
AN ACT Relating to check cashing by any institution of higher education; and adding a new section to chapter 28B.10 RCW.

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

NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. A new section is added to chapter 28B.10 RCW to read as follows:

(1) Any institution of higher education may, at its option and after the approval by governing boards, accept in exchange for cash a payroll check, expense check, financial aid check, or personal check from a student or employee of that institution of higher education in accordance with the following conditions:

(a) The check shall be drawn to the order of cash or bearer and be immediately payable by a drawee financial institution;

(b) The person presenting the check to the institution of higher education shall produce identification that he or she is currently enrolled or employed at the institution of higher education; and

(c) The payroll check, expense check, or financial aid check shall have been issued by the institution of higher education.

(2) In the event that any personal check cashed under this section is dishonored by the drawee financial institution when presented for
payment, the institution of higher education, after giving notice of
the dishonor to the student or employee and providing an opportunity
for a brief adjudicative proceeding, may:

(a) In the case of a student, place a hold on the student’s
enrollment and transcript records until payment in full of the value of
the dishonored check and reasonable collection fees and costs;
(b) In the case of an employee, withhold from the next payroll
check or expense check the full amount of the dishonored check plus a
collection fee. In the case that the employee no longer is employed by
the institution of higher education at time of dishonor, then the
institution of higher education may pursue other legal collection
efforts that are to be paid by the drawer or endorser of the dishonored
check along with the full value of the check.

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