

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5313

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RECORDING OF DOCUMENTS SURCHARGE--REVISED

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R. LORRAINE WOJAHN

President of the Senate

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BRIAN EBERSOLE

**Speaker of the
House of Representatives**

Approved April 19, 1993

MIKE LOWRY

Governor of the State of Washington

CERTIFICATE

I, Marty Brown, Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5313** as passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth.

MARTY BROWN

Secretary

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**Secretary of State
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By Senate Committee on Government Operations (originally sponsored by Senators Loveland, Winsley, Oke, Haugen, Sheldon, Owen, Quigley and Erwin)

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1 AN ACT Relating to surcharges for recording documents; and amending
2 RCW 36.22.170.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 36.22.170 and 1989 c 204 s 3 are each amended to read
5 as follows:

6 A surcharge of two dollars per instrument shall be charged by the
7 county auditor for each document recorded, which will be in addition to
8 any other charge authorized by law. Fifty percent of the revenue
9 generated through this surcharge shall be transmitted monthly to the
10 state treasurer who shall distribute such funds to each county
11 treasurer within the state in July of each year in accordance with the
12 formula described in RCW 36.22.190. The county treasurer shall place
13 the funds received in a special account titled the auditor's centennial
14 document preservation and modernization account to be used solely for
15 ~~((the purpose authorized by this chapter))~~ ongoing preservation of
16 historical documents of all county offices and departments and shall
17 not be added to the county current expense fund. Fifty percent of the
18 revenue generated by this surcharge shall be retained by the county and
19 deposited in the auditor's operation and maintenance fund for ongoing

1 preservation of historical documents of all county offices and
2 departments. ((The portion of the surcharge transmitted to the state
3 treasurer shall expire January 1, 1995, at which time the surcharge
4 authorized in this section shall be reduced to one dollar per
5 instrument.))

6 The centennial document preservation and modernization account is
7 hereby created in the custody of the state treasurer and shall be
8 classified as a treasury trust account. State distributions from the
9 centennial document preservation and modernization account shall be
10 made without appropriation.

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