CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1957

54th Legislature 1995 2nd Special Session

Passed by the House May 24, 1995 Yeas 89 Nays 4

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Passed by the Senate May 24, 1995 Yeas 42 Nays 4

CERTIFICATE

I, Timothy A. Martin, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1957** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

President of the Senate

Approved

Chief Clerk

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Secretary of State State of Washington

Governor of the State of Washington

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By House Committee on Finance (originally sponsored by Representatives B. Thomas, Carrell, Mulliken, Campbell, Foreman, Van Luven, Benton, L. Thomas, Crouse, Backlund, Elliot, McMahan, Smith, Stevens and Schoesler)

Read first time 03/06/95.

1 AN ACT Relating to reducing the state property tax levy for 1996 2 and thereafter; and adding a new section to chapter 84.55 RCW.

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

4 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 84.55 RCW 5 to read as follows:

6 (1) As used in this section, "full levy" means the levy amount that 7 would be allowed otherwise under this chapter without regard to this 8 section.

9 (2) The state levy for collection in 1996 shall be reduced by five 10 percent of the full levy for that year. State levies for collection 11 after 1996 shall not exceed the amount that would be allowed otherwise 12 under this chapter if the state levy for collection in 1996 had been 13 set at ninety-five percent of the full levy for that year.

(3) Levies collected before 1996 shall not be used as a base forcalculating limits for state levies for collection after 1996.

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