

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT
SECOND SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 2782

55th Legislature
1998 Regular Session

Passed by the House March 7, 1998
Yeas 96 Nays 2

**Speaker of the
House of Representatives**

Passed by the Senate March 4, 1998
Yeas 40 Nays 3

President of the Senate

Approved

Governor of the State of Washington

CERTIFICATE

I, Timothy A. Martin, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SECOND SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 2782** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

Chief Clerk

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**Secretary of State
State of Washington**

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AS AMENDED BY THE SENATE

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By House Committee on Appropriations (originally sponsored by
Representatives McMorris and Wood)

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1 AN ACT Relating to special event endorsements to full service
2 private club licenses; amending RCW 66.24.450; creating a new section;
3 and providing an effective date.

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

5 **Sec. 1.** RCW 66.24.450 and 1997 c 321 s 30 are each amended to read
6 as follows:

7 (1) No club shall be entitled to a full service private club
8 license:

9 (a) Unless such private club has been in continuous operation for
10 at least one year immediately prior to the date of its application for
11 such license;

12 (b) Unless the private club premises be constructed and equipped,
13 conducted, managed, and operated to the satisfaction of the board and
14 in accordance with this title and the regulations made thereunder;

15 (c) Unless the board shall have determined pursuant to any
16 regulations made by it with respect to private clubs, that such private
17 club is a bona fide private club; it being the intent of this section
18 that license shall not be granted to a club which is, or has been,
19 primarily formed or activated to obtain a license to sell liquor, but

1 solely to a bona fide private club, where the sale of liquor is
2 incidental to the main purposes of the private club, as defined in RCW
3 66.04.010(7).

4 (2) The annual fee for a full service private club license, whether
5 inside or outside of an incorporated city or town, is seven hundred
6 twenty dollars per year.

7 (3) The board may issue an endorsement to the full service private
8 club license that allows up to forty nonclub, member-sponsored events
9 using club liquor. Visitors and guests may attend these events only by
10 invitation of the sponsoring member or members. These events may not
11 be open to the general public. The fee for the endorsement shall be an
12 annual fee of nine hundred dollars. Upon the board's request, the
13 holder of the endorsement must provide the board or the board's
14 designee with the following information at least seventy-two hours
15 prior to the event: The date, time, and location of the event; the
16 name of the sponsor of the event; and a brief description of the
17 purpose of the event.

18 NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. The board shall report to the senate and
19 house of representatives by January 1, 2001, on whether it has found in
20 the ordinary course of its business since the effective date of this
21 act that compliance by private clubs with restrictions on service of
22 nonmembers has improved as a result of the changes in RCW 66.24.450 by
23 section 1 of this act, and whether any amendments are needed to enhance
24 compliance.

25 NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. This act takes effect July 1, 1998.

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