

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

**ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL 2920**

55th Legislature  
1998 Regular Session

Passed by the House February 12, 1998  
Yeas 94 Nays 1

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**Speaker of the  
House of Representatives**

Passed by the Senate March 2, 1998  
Yeas 44 Nays 2

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**President of the Senate**

Approved

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**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 **ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL 2920** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

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**Chief Clerk**

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**Secretary of State  
State of Washington**

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By Representatives Skinner, Cody, Dyer and Wood

Read first time 01/22/98. Referred to Committee on Health Care.

1            AN ACT Relating to counselors; and amending RCW 18.19.170.

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

3            **Sec. 1.** RCW 18.19.170 and 1996 c 191 s 6 are each amended to read  
4 as follows:

5            A certificate issued under this chapter shall be renewed as  
6 provided in RCW 43.70.250 and 43.70.280. The secretary (~~may~~) shall  
7 establish continuing competence requirements by rule in consultation  
8 with the mental health quality assurance council. Certified counselors  
9 are responsible for obtaining thirty-six clock hours of continuing  
10 education during the two-year reporting period immediately preceding  
11 renewal of certification, including subjects in professional ethics and  
12 law.

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