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Speaker of the House of Representatives

Approved

CERTIFICATE

I, Mike O Connell, Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SENATE BILL 5647** as passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth.

Secretary

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Governor of the State of Washington

Secretary of State State of Washington

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By Senators Wood, Snyder, Swecker, Bauer, Zarelli, Winsley and Kohl; by request of State Board for Community and Technical Colleges

Read first time 02/05/97. Referred to Committee on Higher Education.

1 AN ACT Relating to building fee payments by community and technical 2 colleges; and amending RCW 28B.50.360.

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

4 Sec. 1. RCW 28B.50.360 and 1991 sp.s. c 13 ss 47, 48 are each 5 amended to read as follows:

6 Within thirty-five days from the date of start of each quarter all 7 <u>collected</u> building fees of each such community and technical college 8 shall be paid into the state treasury, and shall be credited as 9 follows:

10 (1) On or before June 30th of each year the college board if issuing bonds payable out of building fees shall certify to the state 11 12 treasurer the amounts required in the ensuing twelve-month period to pay and secure the payment of the principal of and interest on such 13 14 The state treasurer shall thereupon deposit the amounts so bonds. 15 certified in the community and technical college capital projects Such amounts of the funds deposited in the community and 16 account. 17 technical college capital projects account as are necessary to pay and secure the payment of the principal of and interest on the building 18 19 bonds issued by the college board as authorized by this chapter shall

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be exclusively devoted to that purpose. If in any twelve-month period 1 it shall appear that the amount certified by the college board is 2 insufficient to pay and secure the payment of the principal of and 3 4 interest on the outstanding building bonds, the state treasurer shall 5 notify the college board and such board shall adjust its certificate so that all requirements of moneys to pay and secure the payment of the 6 7 principal and interest on all such bonds then outstanding shall be 8 fully met at all times.

9 (2) The community and technical college capital projects account is 10 hereby created in the state treasury. The sums deposited in the capital projects account shall be appropriated and expended exclusively 11 12 to pay and secure the payment of the principal of and interest on bonds 13 payable out of the building fees and for the construction, reconstruction, erection, equipping, maintenance, demolition and major 14 15 alteration of buildings and other capital assets owned by the state 16 board for community and technical colleges in the name of the state of Washington, and the acquisition of sites, rights-of-way, easements, 17 improvements or appurtenances in relation thereto, and for the payment 18 19 of principal of and interest on any bonds issued for such purposes.

20 (3) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections (1) and (2) of this section, at such time as all outstanding building bonds of the 21 college board payable from the community and technical college capital 22 projects account have been paid, redeemed, and retired, or at such time 23 24 as ample provision has been made by the state for full payment, from 25 some source other than the community and technical college capital 26 projects account, of the principal of and the interest on and call 27 premium, if applicable, of such bonds as they mature and/or upon their call prior to their maturity, through refunding or otherwise, that 28 portion of all building fees of the community and technical colleges 29 30 equal to the amount required to pay yearly debt service on any general obligation bonds issued by the state in accordance with Article VIII, 31 section 1, Washington state Constitution, for community and technical 32 33 college purposes, shall be paid into the general fund of the state 34 The state finance committee shall determine whether ample treasury. 35 provision has been made for payment of such bonds payable from the community and technical college capital projects account and shall 36 37 determine the amount required to pay yearly debt service on such general obligation bonds of the state. Nothing in this subsection 38 39 shall be construed as obligating the legislature or the state to

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1 provide for payment of such college building bonds from some source 2 other than the community and technical college capital projects account 3 or as pledging the general credit of the state to the payment of such 4 bonds.

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