

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

**SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1088**

Chapter 129, Laws of 1998

55th Legislature  
1998 Regular Session

STATE FOSSIL

EFFECTIVE DATE: 6/11/98

Passed by the House January 16, 1998  
Yeas 89 Nays 0

CLYDE BALLARD  
**Speaker of the  
House of Representatives**

Passed by the Senate March 11, 1998  
Yeas 34 Nays 0

BRAD OWEN  
**President of the Senate**

Approved March 25, 1998

GARY LOCKE  
**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 **SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1088** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

TIMOTHY A. MARTIN  
**Chief Clerk**

FILED

March 25, 1998 - 4:15 p.m.

**Secretary of State  
State of Washington**

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**By** House Committee on Government Administration (originally sponsored by Representatives Sheahan and Schoesler)

Read first time 02/04/97.

1            AN ACT Relating to the state fossil; adding a new section to  
2 chapter 1.20 RCW; and creating a new section.

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

4            NEW SECTION.    **Sec. 1.** The legislature recognizes that the large,  
5 hairy prehistoric elephants of the extinct genus Mammuthus roamed the  
6 north American continent, including the Pacific Northwest, during the  
7 Pleistocene epoch (Ice Ages).

8            NEW SECTION.    **Sec. 2.** A new section is added to chapter 1.20 RCW  
9 to read as follows:

10            The Columbian mammoth of North America, Mammuthus COLUMBI, is  
11 hereby designated as the official fossil of the state of Washington.

          Passed the House January 16, 1998.

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          Approved by the Governor March 25, 1998.

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