

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

**HOUSE BILL 2660**

Chapter 188, Laws of 2000

56th Legislature  
2000 Regular Session

STATE INVESTMENT BOARD--CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECK

EFFECTIVE DATE: 6/8/00

Passed by the House February 8, 2000  
Yeas 97 Nays 0

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

FRANK CHOPP  
**Speaker of the House of Representatives**

Passed by the Senate February 29, 2000  
Yeas 47 Nays 0

BRAD OWEN  
**President of the Senate**

Approved March 27, 2000

GARY LOCKE  
**Governor of the State of Washington**

CERTIFICATE

We, Timothy A. Martin and Cynthia Zehnder, Co-Chief Clerks of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **HOUSE BILL 2660** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

TIMOTHY A. MARTIN  
**Chief Clerk**

CYNTHIA ZEHNDER  
**Chief Clerk**

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**Secretary of State  
State of Washington**

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By Representatives Huff, H. Sommers, Hatfield and Benson; by request of State Investment Board

Read first time 01/18/2000. Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

1 AN ACT Relating to criminal history record checks of finalist  
2 candidates for certain staff positions of the state investment board;  
3 and amending RCW 43.33A.025.

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

5 **Sec. 1.** RCW 43.33A.025 and 1999 c 226 s 1 are each amended to read  
6 as follows:

7 (1) Notwithstanding any provision of RCW 43.43.700 through  
8 43.43.815, the state investment board (~~may~~) shall require a criminal  
9 history record check for conviction records through the Washington  
10 state patrol criminal identification system, and through the federal  
11 bureau of investigation, for the purpose of conducting preemployment  
12 evaluations of (~~prospective new appointees or employees~~) each  
13 finalist candidate for a board staff position exempt from the  
14 provisions of chapter 41.06 RCW, or for any other position in which the  
15 employee will have authority for or access to: (a) Funds under the  
16 jurisdiction or responsibility of the investment board(~~(7)~~); or (~~(c)~~)  
17 (b) data or security systems of the investment board or designs for  
18 such systems. The record check shall include a fingerprint check using  
19 a complete Washington state criminal identification fingerprint card,

1 which shall be forwarded by the state patrol to the federal bureau of  
2 investigation.

3 (2) Information received by the investment board pursuant to this  
4 section shall be made available by the investment board only to board  
5 employees involved in the selection, hiring, background investigation,  
6 or job assignment of the person who is the subject of the record check,  
7 or to that subject person, and it shall be used only for the purposes  
8 of making, supporting, or defending decisions regarding the appointment  
9 or hiring of persons for these positions, or securing any necessary  
10 bonds or other requirements for such employment. Otherwise, the  
11 reports, and information contained therein, shall remain confidential  
12 and shall not be subject to the disclosure requirements of chapter  
13 42.17 RCW.

14 (3) Fees charged by the Washington state patrol, or the federal  
15 bureau of investigation, for conducting these investigations and  
16 providing these reports shall be paid by the investment board.

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