

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

HOUSE BILL 1116

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ORTHOTIC DEVICES--TAX EXEMPTIONS

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Passed by the House March 13, 2001
Yeas 94 Nays 0

FRANK CHOPP

Speaker of the House of Representatives

CLYDE BALLARD

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Passed by the Senate April 5, 2001
Yeas 48 Nays 0

BRAD OWEN

President of the Senate

Approved April 19, 2001.

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 1116** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

CYNTHIA ZEHNDER

Chief Clerk

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Chief Clerk

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By Representatives Campbell, Cody, Carrell, Morris, Roach, Santos, Pennington, Conway, Romero, O'Brien, Hunt, Edmonds, Darneille, Veloria, Schual-Berke, Reardon, Lantz, Simpson, Cairnes, Dunshee, Dickerson, Alexander, Fromhold, D. Schmidt, Haigh and Jackley

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1 AN ACT Relating to clarifying tax exemptions for sale or use of
2 orthotic devices; amending RCW 82.08.0283 and 82.12.0277; and declaring
3 an emergency.

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

5 **Sec. 1.** RCW 82.08.0283 and 1998 c 168 s 2 are each amended to read
6 as follows:

7 The tax levied by RCW 82.08.020 shall not apply to sales of
8 insulin; prosthetic devices and the components thereof; dental
9 appliances, devices, restorations, and substitutes, and the components
10 thereof, including but not limited to full and partial dentures,
11 crowns, inlays, fillings, braces, and retainers; orthotic devices
12 prescribed for an individual by a person licensed under chapters 18.22,
13 18.25, 18.57, or 18.71 RCW; hearing instruments dispensed or fitted by
14 a person licensed or certified under chapter 18.35 RCW, and the
15 components thereof; medicines of mineral, animal, and botanical origin
16 prescribed, administered, dispensed, or used in the treatment of an
17 individual by a person licensed under chapter 18.36A RCW; ostomic
18 items; and medically prescribed oxygen, including, but not limited to,
19 oxygen concentrator systems, oxygen enricher systems, liquid oxygen

1 systems, and gaseous, bottled oxygen systems prescribed for an
2 individual by a person licensed under chapter 18.57 or 18.71 RCW for
3 use in the medical treatment of that individual. In addition, the tax
4 levied by RCW 82.08.020 shall not apply to charges made for labor and
5 services rendered in respect to the repairing, cleaning, altering, or
6 improving of any of the items exempted under this section.

7 **Sec. 2.** RCW 82.12.0277 and 1998 c 168 s 3 are each amended to read
8 as follows:

9 The provisions of this chapter shall not apply in respect to the
10 use of insulin; prosthetic devices and the components thereof; dental
11 appliances, devices, restorations, and substitutes, and the components
12 thereof, including but not limited to full and partial dentures,
13 crowns, inlays, fillings, braces, and retainers; orthotic devices
14 prescribed for an individual by a person licensed under chapters 18.22,
15 18.25, 18.57, or 18.71 RCW; hearing instruments dispensed or fitted by
16 a person licensed or certified under chapter 18.35 RCW, and the
17 components thereof; medicines of mineral, animal, and botanical origin
18 prescribed, administered, dispensed, or used in the treatment of an
19 individual by a person licensed under chapter 18.36A RCW; ostomic
20 items; and medically prescribed oxygen, including, but not limited to,
21 oxygen concentrator systems, oxygen enricher systems, liquid oxygen
22 systems, and gaseous, bottled oxygen systems prescribed for an
23 individual by a person licensed under chapter 18.57 or 18.71 RCW for
24 use in the medical treatment of that individual.

25 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 3.** This act is necessary for the immediate
26 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the
27 state government and its existing public institutions, and takes effect
28 immediately.

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