

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SENATE BILL 6259

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INTERNET SERVICE TAX

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YEAS 47 NAYS 1

BRAD OWEN

President of the Senate

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YEAS 96 NAYS 0

FRANK CHOPP

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Approved March 26, 2004.

GARY F. LOCKE

Governor of the State of Washington

CERTIFICATE

I, Milton H. Doumit, Jr., Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SENATE BILL 6259** as passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth.

MILTON H. DOUMIT JR.

Secretary

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**Secretary of State
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By Senators Schmidt, Poulsen, Esser, Prentice and Eide

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1 AN ACT Relating to the taxation of internet services; and amending
2 RCW 35.21.717.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 35.21.717 and 2002 c 181 s 1 are each amended to read
5 as follows:

6 Until July 1, ((2004)) 2006, a city or town may not impose any new
7 taxes or fees specific to internet service providers. A city or town
8 may tax internet service providers under generally applicable business
9 taxes or fees, at a rate not to exceed the rate applied to a general
10 service classification. For the purposes of this section, "internet
11 service" has the same meaning as in RCW 82.04.297.

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