CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

HOUSE BILL 1262

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ACCESSIBLE PARKING SPACES--VAN ACCESSIBLE

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Passed by the House February 15, 2017 Yeas 97 Nays 0

FRANK CHOPP

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Passed by the Senate April 11, 2017 Yeas 49 Nays 0

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President of the Senate

Approved April 27, 2017 10:39 AM

CERTIFICATE

I, Bernard Dean, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **HOUSE BILL 1262** as passed by House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

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Chief Clerk

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State of Washington65th Legislature2017 Regular SessionBy Representatives McBride, Dye, Peterson, McCabe, Riccelli,
Gregerson, Fey, Dolan, Muri, and LovickMcCabe, Riccelli,

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1 AN ACT Relating to accessible parking spaces for people with 2 disabilities; adding a new section to chapter 19.27 RCW; and 3 providing an effective date.

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

5 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 1. A new section is added to chapter 19.27 6 RCW to read as follows:

7 (1) In addition to the requirements under RCW 46.61.581, each 8 accessible parking space reserved for a person with a physical 9 disability and designated as "van accessible" under the Americans 10 with disabilities act must have a ninety-six inch or greater adjacent 11 access aisle. The adjacent access aisle space must be in addition to 12 the adjacent van parking space. Two van accessible parking spaces may 13 share a common adjacent access aisle.

(2) A sign must be erected at the head of each access aisle that prohibits parking in any access aisle located adjacent to an accessible parking space reserved for a person with a physical disability. The sign may include additional language such as, but not limited to, an indication of any penalty for parking in an access aisle. 1 (3) By January 1, 2018, the building code council shall adopt 2 rules to implement in the building code the access aisle width and 3 access aisle marking requirements of this section.

4 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 2. This act takes effect January 1, 2018.

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