## CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

## HOUSE BILL 1486

66th Legislature 2019 Regular Session

Passed by the House February 7, 2019 Yeas 96 Nays 0	CERTIFICATE
Speaker of the House of Representatives	I, Bernard Dean, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is <b>HOUSE</b> BILL 1486 as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.
Passed by the Senate April 17, 2019 Yeas 48 Nays 0	
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Governor of the State of Washington

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By Representatives Mosbrucker, Gregerson, and Chandler; by request of Department of Labor & Industries

Read first time 01/23/19. Referred to Committee on Labor & Workplace Standards.

- 1 AN ACT Relating to delegation of inspection duties for factory
- 2 built housing and commercial structures; and amending RCW 43.22.470
- 3 and 43.22.450.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 5 **Sec. 1.** RCW 43.22.470 and 1970 ex.s. c 44 s 5 are each amended to read as follows:
- The department shall have the authority to delegate all or part
- 8 of its duties of inspection to a local enforcement agency or a
- 9 qualified inspection agency.
- 10 Qualified inspection agencies shall be objective, competent, and
- 11 independent from the companies responsible for the work being
- 12 <u>inspected. The qualified inspection agency will disclose to the</u>
- 13 <u>department any conflict of interest so that objectivity may be</u>
- 14 <u>confirmed</u>. <u>Qualified inspection agencies shall have adequate</u>
- 15 <u>equipment to perform the required inspections and shall employ</u>
- 16 <u>experienced personnel with appropriate certifications and knowledge</u>
- 17 for the inspections being performed. Certification by the
- 18 international code council will be recognized as meeting this last
- 19 requirement.

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1 **Sec. 2.** RCW 43.22.450 and 2001 c 335 s 8 are each amended to 2 read as follows:

Whenever used in RCW 43.22.450 through 43.22.490:

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- (1) "Department" means the Washington state department of labor and industries;
  - (2) "Approved" means approved by the department;
- (3) "Factory built housing" means any structure designed primarily for human occupancy other than a manufactured or mobile home the structure or any room of which is either entirely or substantially prefabricated or assembled at a place other than a building site;
- 12 (4) "Install" means the assembly of factory built housing or 13 factory built commercial structures at a building site;
  - (5) "Building site" means any tract, parcel or subdivision of land upon which factory built housing or a factory built commercial structure is installed or is to be installed;
  - (6) "Local enforcement agency" means any agency of the governing body of any city  $((\Theta r))_L$  county, or state which enforces laws or ordinances governing the construction of buildings;
  - (7) "Commercial structure" means a structure designed or used for human habitation, or human occupancy for industrial, educational, assembly, professional or commercial purposes;
- 23 (8) "Qualified inspection agency" means a nongovernmental entity
  24 approved to perform inspections under contract for the department.

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