CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SENATE BILL 5369

Chapter 79, Laws of 1995

54th Legislature 1995 Regular Session

Merger of fire protection districts--Majority vote required

EFFECTIVE DATE: 7/23/95

Passed by the Senate March 7, 1995 YEAS 49 NAYS 0

JOEL PRITCHARD

President of the Senate

Passed by the House April 6, 1995 YEAS 88 NAYS 7

CERTIFICATE

I, Marty Brown, Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SENATE BILL 5369** as passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth.

CLYDE BALLARD

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Approved April 18, 1995

MARTY BROWN

Secretary

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MIKE LOWRY

Governor of the State of Washington

Secretary of State State of Washington

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By Senators Haugen and Winsley

Read first time 01/20/95. Referred to Committee on Government Operations.

- 1 AN ACT Relating to merger of fire protection districts; and
- 2 amending RCW 52.06.050.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 52.06.050 and 1947 c 254 s 16 are each amended to read 5 as follows:
- 6 The board of the merging district shall notify the board of the
- 7 merger district of the results of the election. If ((three-fifths)) a
- 8 majority of the votes cast at the election favor the merger, the
- 9 respective district boards shall adopt concurrent resolutions,
- 10 declaring the districts merged, under the name of the merger district.
- 11 Thereupon the districts are merged into one district, under the name of
- 12 the merger district; the merging district is dissolved without further
- 13 proceedings; and the boundaries of the merger district are thereby
- 14 extended to include all the area of the merging district. Thereafter
- 15 the legal existence cannot be questioned by any person by reason of any
- 16 defect in the proceedings had for the merger.

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