

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

HOUSE BILL 2095

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Yeas 93 Nays 0

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Passed by the Senate April 10, 2001
Yeas 47 Nays 0

President of the Senate

Approved

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 2095** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

Chief Clerk

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Secretary of State
State of Washington

HOUSE BILL 2095

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By Representatives Dunshee and Mulliken

Read first time 02/14/2001. Referred to Committee on State Government.

1 AN ACT Relating to procurement of architectural and engineering
2 services; and amending RCW 39.80.040.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 39.80.040 and 1981 c 61 s 4 are each amended to read
5 as follows:

6 In the procurement of architectural and engineering services, the
7 agency shall encourage firms engaged in the lawful practice of their
8 profession to submit ((annually)), no less than biennially, a statement
9 of qualifications and performance data. The agency shall evaluate
10 current statements of qualifications and performance data on file with
11 the agency, together with those that may be submitted by other firms
12 regarding the proposed project, and shall conduct discussions with one
13 or more firms regarding anticipated concepts and the relative utility
14 of alternative methods of approach for furnishing the required services
15 and then shall select therefrom, based upon criteria established by the
16 agency, the firm deemed to be the most highly qualified to provide the
17 services required for the proposed project. Such agency procedures and
18 guidelines shall include a plan to insure that minority and women-owned
19 firms are afforded the maximum practicable opportunity to compete for

1 and obtain public contracts for services. The level of participation
2 by minority and women-owned firms shall be consistent with their
3 general availability within the professional communities involved.

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