CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

HOUSE BILL 1520

60th Legislature 2007 Regular Session

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Yeas 95 Nays 0

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Passed by the Senate April 5, 2007
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AS AMENDED BY THE SENATE

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By Representatives Williams, Rodne, Simpson, Moeller, O'Brien, Kirby and Kenney

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to polygraph examinations of sexual assault
- 2 victims; and adding a new section to chapter 10.58 RCW.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- MEW SECTION. Sec. 1. A new section is added to chapter 10.58 RCW to read as follows:
- A law enforcement officer, prosecuting attorney, or other government official may not ask or require a victim of an alleged sex
- 8 offense to submit to a polygraph examination or other truth telling
- 9 device as a condition for proceeding with the investigation of the
- offense. The refusal of a victim to submit to a polygraph examination
- or other truth telling device shall not by itself prevent the
- 12 investigation, charging, or prosecution of the offense. For the
- 13 purposes of this section, "sex offense" is any offense under chapter
- 14 9A.44 RCW.

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