

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

HOUSE BILL 2485

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SCHOOL DISTRICTS--ELECTRONIC WARRANTS

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Yeas 94 Nays 0

FRANK CHOPP

Speaker of the House of Representatives

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Yeas 48 Nays 0

BRAD OWEN

President of the Senate

Approved March 30, 2012, 11:20 a.m.

CHRISTINE GREGOIRE

Governor of the State of Washington

CERTIFICATE

I, Barbara Baker, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **HOUSE BILL 2485** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

BARBARA BAKER

Chief Clerk

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March 30, 2012

**Secretary of State
State of Washington**

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AS AMENDED BY THE SENATE

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By Representatives Probst, Upthegrove, and Dahlquist

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Appropriations & Oversight.

1 AN ACT Relating to authorizing school districts to use electronic
2 formats for warrants; and amending RCW 28A.330.080 and 28A.330.230.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 28A.330.080 and 1990 c 33 s 346 are each amended to
5 read as follows:

6 Moneys of such school districts shall be paid out only upon orders
7 for warrants signed by the president, or a majority of the board of
8 directors and countersigned by the secretary: PROVIDED, That when, in
9 the judgment of the board of directors, the orders for warrants issued
10 by the district monthly shall have reached such numbers that the
11 signing of each warrant by the president personally imposes too great
12 a task on the president, the board of directors, after auditing all
13 payrolls and bills as provided by RCW 28A.330.090, may authorize the
14 issuing of one general certificate to the county treasurer, to be
15 signed by the president, authorizing said treasurer to pay all the
16 warrants specified by date, number, name and amount, and the funds on
17 which said warrants shall be drawn; thereupon the secretary of said
18 board shall be authorized to draw and sign said orders for warrants.

1 Orders for warrants and warrant registers may be sent in an electronic
2 format and using facsimile signatures as provided under chapter 39.62
3 RCW.

4 **Sec. 2.** RCW 28A.330.230 and 1990 c 33 s 352 are each amended to
5 read as follows:

6 Second-class school districts, subject to the approval of the
7 superintendent of public instruction, may draw and issue warrants for
8 the payment of moneys upon approval of a majority of the board of
9 directors, such warrants to be signed by the chair of the board and
10 countersigned by the secretary: PROVIDED, That when, in the judgment
11 of the board of directors, the orders for warrants issued by the
12 district monthly shall have reached such numbers that the signing of
13 each warrant by the chair of the board personally imposes too great a
14 task on the chair, the board of directors, after auditing all payrolls
15 and bills, may authorize the issuing of one general certificate to the
16 county treasurer, to be signed by the chair of the board, authorizing
17 said treasurer to pay all the warrants specified by date, number, name
18 and amount, and the funds on which said warrants shall be drawn;
19 thereupon the secretary of said board shall be authorized to draw and
20 sign said orders for warrants. Orders for warrants and warrant
21 registers may be sent in an electronic format and using facsimile
22 signatures as provided under chapter 39.62 RCW.

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