CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

HOUSE BILL 1675

52nd Legislature 1991 Regular Session

Passed by the House March 8, 1991 Yeas 96 Nays 0

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Passed by the Senate April 10, 1991 Yeas 44 Nays 0

President of the Senate

Approved

CERTIFICATE

I, Alan Thompson, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **HOUSE BILL 1675** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

Chief Clerk

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Governor of the State of Washington

Secretary of State State of Washington

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AS AMENDED BY THE SENATE

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State of Washington52nd Legislature1991 Regular SessionBy Representatives Inslee, Riley, R. Meyers, Roland, Winsley, Ludwig,
Orr, H. Myers and Wineberry.

Read first time February 6, 1991. Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

AN ACT Relating to civil docket priority for parties over seventy years of age or who are terminally ill; and adding a new section to chapter 4.44 RCW.

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

5 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 1. A new section is added to chapter 4.44 RCW 6 to read as follows:

7 When setting civil cases for trial, unless otherwise provided by 8 statute, upon motion of a party, the court may give priority to cases 9 in which a party is frail and over seventy years of age or is afflicted 10 with a terminal illness.