

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT  
**SECOND SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5083**

52nd Legislature  
1991 Regular Session

Passed by the Senate April 22, 1991  
Yeas 46 Nays 0

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**President of the Senate**

Passed by the House April 17, 1991  
Yeas 94 Nays 0

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**Speaker of the  
House of Representatives**

Approved

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**Governor of the State of Washington**

CERTIFICATE

I, Gordon Golob, Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SECOND SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5083** as passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth.

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**Secretary**

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**Secretary of State  
State of Washington**



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AS AMENDED BY THE HOUSE

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**By** Senate Committee on Ways & Means (originally sponsored by Senators L. Smith, Snyder, Oke and Rasmussen).

Read first time March 1, 1991.

1            AN ACT Relating to the reestablishment of salmon hatcheries; and  
2    creating new sections.

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

4            NEW SECTION.    **Sec. 1.**            The once abundant salmon runs of the  
5    Toutle river were destroyed by the eruption of Mount St. Helens. The  
6    department of fisheries has experimented by releasing salmon into  
7    Toutle river tributaries. They have found that the river conditions  
8    have sufficiently improved since the eruption of Mount St. Helens to  
9    allow for productive salmon hatchery operation. The legislature finds  
10   that it is of prime importance to reestablish the Toutle river fish  
11   runs by reopening the Toutle river hatchery.

12           NEW SECTION.    **Sec. 2.**            The department of fisheries shall  
13   request full funding from the federal government for the reconstruction  
14   and operation of the Green River salmon hatchery, located on the Green

1 River tributary to the Toutle River. The department shall work with  
2 the Washington congressional delegation to achieve full funding for the  
3 Green River hatchery. To the extent that federal funds are available,  
4 the department shall reconstruct and operate that hatchery. The  
5 hatchery system on the Toutle River shall be operated in such a manner  
6 as to ensure that adult salmon are allowed to migrate upstream of the  
7 hatchery for natural spawning purposes.

8 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 3.** If full funding of the Green River hatchery  
9 is not made available to the department by the federal government, the  
10 department shall submit a report to the senate committee on environment  
11 and natural resources and to the house of representatives committee on  
12 fisheries and wildlife. The report shall be submitted by December 1,  
13 1991, and shall describe the priorities used by the department to  
14 allocate salmon hatchery funding.