

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT  
**ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5728**

Chapter 208, Laws of 1992

52nd Legislature  
1992 Regular Session

STATE ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY ACT--THRESHOLD DETERMINATION TIME  
LIMITS

EFFECTIVE DATE: 6/11/92 - Except Section 1 which takes effect on  
9/1/92.

Passed by the Senate March 8, 1992  
Yeas 45 Nays 1

JOEL PRITCHARD

**President of the Senate**

Passed by the House March 6, 1992  
Yeas 95 Nays 1

JOE KING

**Speaker of the  
House of Representatives**

Approved April 2, 1992

BOOTH GARDNER

**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  
**ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5728**  
as passed by the Senate and the House  
of Representatives on the dates hereon  
set forth.

GORDON A. GOLOB

**Secretary**

FILED

April 2, 1992 - 11:56 a.m.

**Secretary of State  
State of Washington**

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AS AMENDED BY THE HOUSE

Passed Legislature - 1992 Regular Session

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**By** Senate Committee on Environment & Natural Resources (originally sponsored by Senators Amondson, Vognild, Owen, Bauer, Stratton, McCaslin, West and Johnson)

Read first time 02/04/92.

1            AN ACT Relating to the state environmental policy act; adding a new  
2 section to chapter 43.21C RCW; and providing an effective date.

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

4            NEW SECTION.    **Sec. 1.** There is added to chapter 43.21C RCW a new  
5 section to read as follows:

6            (1) Except as provided in subsection (2) of this section, the  
7 responsible official shall make a threshold determination on a  
8 completed application within ninety days after the application and  
9 supporting documentation are complete. The applicant may request an  
10 additional thirty days for the threshold determination. The  
11 governmental entity responsible for making the threshold determination  
12 shall by rule, resolution, or ordinance adopt standards, consistent  
13 with rules adopted by the department to implement this chapter, for

1 determining when an application and supporting documentation are  
2 complete.

3 (2) This section shall not apply to a city, town, or county that by  
4 ordinance adopted prior to April 1, 1992, has adopted procedures to  
5 integrate permit and land use decisions with the requirements of this  
6 chapter.

7 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** Section 1 of this act shall take effect  
8 September 1, 1992.

Passed the Senate March 8, 1992.

Passed the House March 6, 1992.

Approved by the Governor April 2, 1992.

Filed in Office of Secretary of State April 2, 1992.