

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SENATE BILL 5004

Chapter 59, Laws of 1991

52nd Legislature
1991 Regular Session

OUT-OF-STATE PUBLIC RECORDS AS EVIDENCE

EFFECTIVE DATE: 7/28/91

Passed by the Senate February 18, 1991
Yeas 47 Nays 0

ELLEN CRASWELL
President of the Senate

Passed by the House April 15, 1991
Yeas 95 Nays 0

JOE KING
**Speaker of the
House of Representatives**

Approved May 3, 1991

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 **SENATE BILL 5004** as passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth.

GORDON A. GOLOB
Secretary

FILED

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**Secretary of State
State of Washington**

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By Senators L. Kreidler and Nelson.

Read first time January 14, 1991. Referred to Committee on Law & Justice.

1 AN ACT Relating to public records as evidence; and amending RCW
2 5.44.040.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 5.44.040 and 1891 c 19 s 16 are each amended to read
5 as follows:

6 Copies of all records and documents on record or on file in the
7 offices of the various departments of the United States and of this
8 state or any other state or territory of the United States, when duly
9 certified by the respective officers having by law the custody thereof,
10 under their respective seals where such officers have official seals,
11 shall be admitted in evidence in the courts of this state.

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