CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

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President of the Senate

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Chief Clerk

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Governor of the State of Washington

**Secretary of State
State of Washington**

1   AN ACT Relating to the taxation of manufacturers of fish products;
2 adding a new section to chapter 82.04 RCW; adding a new section to
3 chapter 75.20 RCW; and declaring an emergency.

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

5   NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 82.04 RCW
6 to read as follows:
7   The tax imposed by RCW 82.04.240 does not apply to cleaning fish.
8 "Cleaning fish" means the removal of the head, fins, or viscera from
9 fresh fish without further processing, other than freezing.

10   NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** A new section is added to chapter 75.20 RCW
11 to read as follows:
12   Local governments shall not charge permit fees for fish enhancement
13 projects that are proposed by state agencies, cooperative groups, and
14 regional fisheries enhancement groups.

15   NEW SECTION.   **Sec. 3.** This act is necessary for the immediate
16 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the

1 state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take
2 effect immediately.

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