CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 6305

53rd Legislature 1994 Regular Session

Passed by the Senate February 14, 1994 CERTIFICATE YEAS 47 NAYS 0 I, Marty Brown, Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 6305** as President of the Senate passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates Passed by the House March 1, 1994 hereon set forth. YEAS 97 NAYS 0 Speaker of the Secretary House of Representatives Approved FILED

Governor of the State of Washington

Secretary of State

State of Washington

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By Senate Committee on Labor & Commerce (originally sponsored by Senators Snyder, Skratek, Roach, Nelson, Loveland, West, Winsley and M. Rasmussen)

Read first time 02/04/94.

- 1 AN ACT Relating to the employment of minors as actors or performers
- 2 in film, video, or theatrical productions; amending RCW 26.28.060; and
- 3 adding a new section to chapter 49.12 RCW.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 5 **Sec. 1.** RCW 26.28.060 and 1973 1st ex.s. c 154 s 39 are each 6 amended to read as follows:
- 7 (1) Every person who shall employ, and every parent, guardian or
- 8 other person having the care, custody or control of such child, who
- 9 shall permit to be employed, by another, any child under the age of
- 10 fourteen years at any labor whatever, in or in connection with any
- 11 store, shop, factory, mine or any inside employment not connected with
- 12 farm or house work, without the written permit thereto of a judge of a
- 13 superior court of the county wherein such child may live, shall be
- 14 guilty of a misdemeanor.
- 15 (2) Subsection (1) of this section does not apply to children
- 16 employed as actors or performers in film, video, audio, or theatrical
- 17 productions.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. A new section is added to chapter 49.12 RCW to read as follows:

For all minors employed as actors or performers in film, video, audio, or theatrical productions, the department shall issue a permit under RCW 49.12.121 and a variance under RCW 49.12.105 upon finding that the terms of the employment sufficiently protect the minor's health, safety, and welfare. The findings shall be based on information provided to the department including, but not limited to, the minor's working conditions and planned work schedule, adult supervision of the minor, and any planned educational programs.

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