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SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1532

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# PHYSICAL THERAPIST INTERIM PERMITS

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BRIAN EBERSOLE

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Passed by the Senate April 15, 1993 Yeas 45 Nays 0

JOEL PRITCHARD

## President of the Senate

Approved April 30, 1993

#### CERTIFICATE

I, Alan Thompson, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1532** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

ALAN THOMPSON

Chief Clerk

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MIKE LOWRY

Governor of the State of Washington

Secretary of State State of Washington

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**By** House Committee on Health Care (originally sponsored by Representatives Veloria, Lisk, R. Johnson, Jacobsen, King, Pruitt, Karahalios, Quall, Van Luven, Long, Eide and Anderson)

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1 AN ACT Relating to interim permits for applicants for physical 2 therapist licenses; amending RCW 18.74.029; and adding a new section to 3 chapter 18.74 RCW.

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

5 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 1. A new section is added to chapter 18.74 RCW 6 to read as follows:

7 (1) The department, upon approval by the board, shall issue an 8 interim permit authorizing an applicant for licensure who meets the 9 minimum qualifications stated in RCW 18.74.030 to practice physical 10 therapy under graduate supervision pending notification of the results 11 of the first licensure examination for which the applicant is eligible, 12 but not to exceed six months.

13 (2) For purposes of this section, "graduate supervision" means 14 supervision of a holder of an interim permit by a licensed physical 15 therapist who is on the premises at all times. Graduate supervision 16 shall include consultation regarding evaluation, treatment plan, 17 treatment program, and progress of each assigned patient at appropriate 18 intervals and be documented by cosignature of notes by the licensed

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1 physical therapist. RCW 18.74.012 is not applicable for holders of 2 interim permits.

3 (3) If the holder of the interim permit fails the examination, the 4 permit expires upon notification and is not renewable.

5 **Sec. 2.** RCW 18.74.029 and 1987 c 150 s 47 are each amended to read 6 as follows:

7 The uniform disciplinary act, chapter 18.130 RCW, governs 8 unlicensed practice, the issuance and denial of licenses <u>and interim</u> 9 <u>permits</u>, and the discipline of licensees <u>and holders of interim permits</u> 10 under this chapter.

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