CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

HOUSE BILL 2069

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COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES--CHECK CASHING FOR STUDENTS AND EMPLOYEES

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Passed by the House March 13, 1993 Yeas 94 Nays 2

BRIAN EBERSOLE

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Passed by the Senate April 8, 1993 Yeas 47 Nays 0

CERTIFICATE

I, Alan Thompson, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **HOUSE BILL 2069** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

JOEL PRITCHARD

President of the Senate

ALAN THOMPSON

Chief Clerk

Approved April 30, 1993

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Governor of the State of Washington

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By Representatives Mielke and Zellinsky

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to check cashing by any institution of higher
- 2 education; and adding a new section to chapter 28B.10 RCW.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 4 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 28B.10 RCW 5 to read as follows:
- 6 (1) Any institution of higher education may, at its option and 7 after the approval by governing boards, accept in exchange for cash a 8 payroll check, expense check, financial aid check, or personal check 9 from a student or employee of that institution of higher education in 10 accordance with the following conditions:
- 11 (a) The check shall be drawn to the order of cash or bearer and be 12 immediately payable by a drawee financial institution;
- 13 (b) The person presenting the check to the institution of higher 14 education shall produce identification that he or she is currently 15 enrolled or employed at the institution of higher education; and
- 16 (c) The payroll check, expense check, or financial aid check shall 17 have been issued by the institution of higher education.
- 18 (2) In the event that any personal check cashed under this section 19 is dishonored by the drawee financial institution when presented for

- 1 payment, the institution of higher education, after giving notice of 2 the dishonor to the student or employee and providing an opportunity 3 for a brief adjudicative proceeding, may:
- 4 (a) In the case of a student, place a hold on the student's 5 enrollment and transcript records until payment in full of the value of 6 the dishonored check and reasonable collection fees and costs;
- 7 (b) In the case of an employee, withhold from the next payroll 8 check or expense check the full amount of the dishonored check plus a 9 collection fee. In the case that the employee no longer is employed by 10 the institution of higher education at time of dishonor, then the 11 institution of higher education may pursue other legal collection 12 efforts that are to be paid by the drawer or endorser of the dishonored 13 check along with the full value of the check.

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