

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL 2561

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53rd Legislature
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CONTROLLED ATMOSPHERE STORAGE OF APPLES

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Passed by the House February 4, 1994
Yeas 91 Nays 0

BRIAN EBERSOLE
**Speaker of the
House of Representatives**

Passed by the Senate March 1, 1994
Yeas 48 Nays 0

JOEL PRITCHARD
President of the Senate

Approved March 21, 1994

MIKE LOWRY
Governor of the State of Washington

CERTIFICATE

I, Marilyn Showalter, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL 2561** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

MARILYN SHOWALTER
Chief Clerk

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**Secretary of State
State of Washington**

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By Representatives Rayburn and Roland

Read first time 01/17/94. Referred to Committee on Agriculture & Rural Development.

1 AN ACT Relating to controlled atmosphere storage; and amending RCW
2 15.30.060.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 15.30.060 and 1967 c 215 s 1 are each amended to read
5 as follows:

6 The director shall adopt rules:

7 (1) Prescribing the maximum amount of oxygen that may be retained
8 in a sealed controlled atmosphere storage warehouse: PROVIDED, That
9 such maximum amount of oxygen retained shall not exceed five percent
10 when apples are stored in such controlled atmosphere storage warehouse.

11 (2) Prescribing the period in which the oxygen content shall be
12 reduced to the amount prescribed in subsection (1) of this section:
13 PROVIDED, That such period shall not exceed twenty days when apples are
14 stored in such controlled atmosphere warehouse.

15 (3) The length of time and the degrees of temperature at which any
16 fruits or vegetables shall be retained in controlled atmosphere
17 storage, before they may be classified as having been stored in
18 controlled atmosphere storage: PROVIDED, That such period shall not be

- 1 less than forty-five days for Gala and Jonagold varieties and not less
- 2 than ninety days for other apples.

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