CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

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WORK-STUDY PROGRAM

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BRIAN EBERSOLE
Speaker of the
House of Representatives

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JOEL PRITCHARD
President of the Senate

CERTIFICATE

I, Marilyn Showalter, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 2560 as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

Marilyn Showalter
Chief Clerk

MIKE LOWRY
Governor of the State of Washington

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

Sec. 1. RCW 28B.12.010 and 1974 ex.s. c 177 s 1 are each amended to read as follows:

There is hereby created a program of financial aid to students pursuing a post-secondary education which shall be known as the state work-study program.

Sec. 2. RCW 28B.12.020 and 1974 ex.s. c 177 s 2 are each amended to read as follows:

The purpose of the program created in RCW 28B.12.010 is to provide financial assistance to needy students, including needy students from middle-income families, attending eligible post-secondary institutions in the state of Washington by stimulating and promoting their employment, thereby enabling them to pursue courses of study at such institutions. An additional purpose of this program shall be to
provide such needy students, wherever possible, with employment related
to their academic or vocational pursuits.

Sec. 3. RCW 28B.12.030 and 1974 ex.s. c 177 s 3 are each amended
to read as follows:

As used in this chapter, the following words and terms shall have
the following meanings, unless the context shall clearly indicate
another or different meaning or intent:

(1) The term "needy student" shall mean a student enrolled or
accepted for enrollment at a post-secondary institution who, according
to a system of need analysis approved by the ((commission on)) higher
education coordinating board, demonstrates a financial inability,
either parental, familial, or personal, to bear the total cost of
education for any semester or quarter.

(2) The term "eligible institution" shall mean any post-secondary
institution in this state accredited by the Northwest Association of
((Secondary and Higher)) Schools and Colleges or any public
((vocational-technical school)) technical college in the state.

Sec. 4. RCW 28B.12.040 and 1993 c 385 s 3 are each amended to read
as follows:

With the assistance of an advisory committee, the higher education
coordinating board shall develop and administer the ((college)) state
work-study program ((and)). The board shall be authorized to enter
into agreements with employers and eligible institutions for the
operation of the program. These agreements shall include such
provisions as the higher education coordinating board may deem
necessary or appropriate to carry out the purposes of this chapter.

The members of the work-study advisory committee may include, but
need not be limited to representatives of public and private community
colleges, technical colleges, and four-year institutions of higher
education; vocational schools; students; community service
organizations; public schools; business; and labor. When selecting
members of the advisory committee, the board shall consult with
institutions of higher education, the state board for community and
technical colleges, the work force training and education coordinating
board, and appropriate associations and organizations. With the
exception of off-campus community service placements, the share from
moneys disbursed under the ((college)) state work-study program of the
compensation of students employed under such program in accordance with such agreements shall not exceed eighty percent of the total such compensation paid such students.

By rule, the board shall define community service placements and may determine any salary matching requirements for any community service employers.

Sec. 5. RCW 28B.12.050 and 1987 c 330 s 201 are each amended to read as follows:

The higher education coordinating board shall disburse \((\text{college})\) state work-study funds. In performing its duties under this section, the board shall consult eligible institutions and post-secondary education advisory and governing bodies. The board shall establish criteria designed to achieve such distribution of assistance under this chapter among students attending eligible institutions as will most effectively carry out the purposes of this chapter.

Sec. 6. RCW 28B.12.060 and 1993 sp.s. c 18 s 3 and 1993 c 281 s 14 are each reenacted and amended to read as follows:

The higher education coordinating board shall adopt rules as may be necessary or appropriate for effecting the provisions of this chapter, and not in conflict with this chapter, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 34.05 RCW, the state higher education administrative procedure act. Such rules shall include provisions designed to make employment under \((\text{such})\) the work-study program reasonably available, to the extent of available funds, to all eligible students in eligible post-secondary institutions in need thereof. \((\text{Such})\) The rules shall include:

(1) Providing work under the \((\text{college})\) state work-study program \((\text{which})\) that will not result in the displacement of employed workers or impair existing contracts for services\((\text{)}\).

(2) Furnishing work only to a student who:

(a) Is capable, in the opinion of the eligible institution, of maintaining good standing in such course of study while employed under the program covered by the agreement; and

(b) Has been accepted for enrollment as at least a half-time student at the eligible institution or, in the case of a student already enrolled in and attending the eligible institution, is in good
standing and in at least half-time attendance there either as an undergraduate, graduate or professional student; and

(c) Is not pursuing a degree in theology((.));

(3) Placing priority on ((the securing of)) providing:

(a) Work opportunities for students who are residents of the state of Washington as defined in RCW 28B.15.012 and 28B.15.013 except resident students defined in RCW 28B.15.012(2)(e)((.));

(b) Job placements in fields related to each student’s academic or vocational pursuits, with an emphasis on off-campus job placements whenever appropriate; and

(c) Off-campus community service placements;

(4) Provisions to assure that in the state institutions of higher education, utilization of this ((student)) work-study program:

(a) Shall only supplement and not supplant classified positions under jurisdiction of chapter 41.06 RCW;

(b) That all positions established which are comparable shall be identified to a job classification under the Washington personnel resources board’s classification plan and shall receive equal compensation;

(c) Shall not take place in any manner that would replace classified positions reduced due to lack of funds or work; and

(d) That work study positions shall only be established at entry level positions of the classified service unless the overall scope and responsibilities of the position indicate a higher level; and

(5) Provisions to encourage job placements in occupations that meet Washington’s economic development goals, especially those in international trade and international relations. The board shall permit appropriate job placements in other states and other countries.

Sec. 7. RCW 28B.12.070 and 1985 c 370 s 61 are each amended to read as follows:

Each eligible institution shall submit to the higher education coordinating board an annual report in accordance with such requirements as are ((promulgated)) adopted by the ((commission)) board.

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