

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5176

Chapter 342, Laws of 1993

53rd Legislature
1993 Regular Session

STUDY OF METHODS OF PAYING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

EFFECTIVE DATE: 7/25/93

Passed by the Senate April 20, 1993
YEAS 32 NAYS 14

JOEL PRITCHARD

President of the Senate

Passed by the House April 8, 1993
YEAS 97 NAYS 0

BRIAN EBERSOLE

**Speaker of the
House of Representatives**

Approved May 15, 1993

MIKE LOWRY

Governor of the State of Washington

CERTIFICATE

I, Marty Brown, Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5176** as passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth.

MARTY BROWN

Secretary

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**Secretary of State
State of Washington**

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AS AMENDED BY THE HOUSE

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By Senate Committee on Labor & Commerce (originally sponsored by
Senators Vognild, Pelz, Moore, Wojahn and Fraser)

Read first time 03/02/93.

1 AN ACT Relating to the cashing of government issued checks or
2 warrants; and creating a new section.

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

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** The supervisor of banking and the supervisor
5 of savings and loan in conjunction with the state treasurer's office
6 and the department of social and health services shall study methods by
7 which the state of Washington can facilitate the movement of funds to
8 individuals who receive public assistance including but not limited to:
9 Methods to limit the fees charged by financial institutions and other
10 entities for the cashing of government checks and warrants; methods to
11 ensure that presenters of government checks and warrants are properly
12 identified; methods to encourage the offering by financial institutions
13 of low cost checking accounts; and methods to encourage the development
14 and use of debit cards and similar automated systems for the transfer
15 of government funds to persons receiving public assistance. The
16 supervisor of banking and supervisor of savings and loan shall report
17 their findings and recommendations to the legislature by January 1,
18 1994.

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