CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 6006

Chapter 8, Laws of 1994

(partial veto)

53rd Legislature 1994 Regular Session

JUDICIAL INFORMATION SYSTEM ACCOUNT--FUNDING PROVISIONS REVISED

EFFECTIVE DATE: 6/9/94

Passed by the Senate February 11, 1994 YEAS 41 NAYS 6

JOEL PRITCHARD

President of the Senate

Passed by the House March 2, 1994 YEAS 94 NAYS 0

CERTIFICATE

I, Marty Brown, Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 6006** as passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth.

BRIAN EBERSOLE

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Approved March 21, 1994, with the exception of section 3 which is vetoed.

MARTY BROWN

Secretary

FILED

March 21, 1994 - 11:10 a.m.

MIKE LOWRY

Governor of the State of Washington

Secretary of State State of Washington

SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 6006

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By Senate Committee on Ways & Means (originally sponsored by Senators A. Smith and Nelson; by request of Administrator for the Courts)

Read first time 02/08/94.

State of Washington

- 1 AN ACT Relating to the judicial information system; amending RCW
- 2 2.68.020; adding a new section to chapter 2.68 RCW; and declaring an
- 3 emergency.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 5 **Sec. 1.** RCW 2.68.020 and 1989 c 364 s 2 are each amended to read 6 as follows:
- 7 There is created an account in the custody of the state treasurer
- 8 to be known as the judicial information system account. The office of
- 9 the administrator for the courts shall maintain and administer the
- 10 account, in which shall be deposited all moneys received from in-state
- 11 noncourt users and any out-of-state users of the judicial information
- 12 system and moneys as specified in section 2 of this act for the
- 13 purposes of providing judicial information system access to noncourt
- 14 users and providing an adequate level of automated services to the
- 15 <u>judiciary</u>. The legislature shall appropriate the funds in the account
- 16 for the purposes of the judicial information system. ((The account
- 17 shall be credited with all receipts from the rental, sale, or
- 18 distribution of supplies, equipment, computer software, products, and
- 19 services rendered to in-state noncourt users and all out-of-state users

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- 1 and licensees of the judicial information system)) The account shall be
- 2 used for the acquisition of equipment, software, supplies, services,
- 3 and other costs incidental to the acquisition, development, operation,
- 4 and administration of information services, telecommunications,
- 5 systems, software, supplies, and equipment, including the payment of
- 6 principal and interest on items paid in installments.
- NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. A new section is added to chapter 2.68 RCW to read as follows:
- 9 (1) To support the judicial information system account provided for
- 10 in RCW 2.68.020, the supreme court may provide by rule for an increase
- 11 in fines, penalties, and assessments, and the increased amount shall be
- 12 forwarded to the state treasurer for deposit in the account:
- 13 (a) Pursuant to the authority of RCW 46.63.110(2), the sum of ten
- 14 dollars to any penalty collected by a court pursuant to supreme court
- 15 infraction rules for courts of limited jurisdiction;
- 16 (b) Pursuant to RCW 3.62.060, a mandatory appearance cost in the
- 17 initial sum of ten dollars to be assessed on all defendants; and
- 18 (c) Pursuant to RCW 46.63.110(5), a ten dollar assessment for each
- 19 account for which a person requests a time payment schedule.
- 20 (2) Notwithstanding a provision of law or rule to the contrary, the
- 21 assessments provided for in this section may not be waived or suspended
- 22 and shall be immediately due and payable upon forfeiture, conviction,
- 23 deferral of prosecution, or request for time payment, as each shall
- 24 occur.
- 25 (3) The supreme court is requested to adjust these assessments for
- 26 inflation.
- 27 *NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. This act is necessary for the immediate
- 28 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the
- 29 state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take
- 30 effect immediately.
- 31 *Sec. 3 was vetoed, see message at end of chapter.

Passed the Senate February 11, 1994.

Passed the House March 2, 1994.

Approved by the Governor March 21, 1994, with the exception of certain items which were vetoed.

Filed in Office of Secretary of State March 21, 1994.

Note: Governor's explanation of partial veto is as follows:

"I am returning herewith, without my approval as to Section 3, Substitute Senate Bill No. 6006 entitled:

"AN ACT Relating to the judicial information system;"

This bill amends current law relating to the judicial information system and allows the Supreme Court to increase by rule fines, penalties and assessments for deposit into the judicial information system account. Funds from these increases will be dedicated to upgrading the computer information network utilized by the courts.

Section 3 of this bill is an emergency clause. Immediate implementation as provided by this section would not provide sufficient time for all jurisdictions to effect changes necessary to fully implement this legislation. For this reason, I have vetoed section 3.

With the exception of section 3, Substitute Senate Bill No. 6006 is approved."