CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1550

Chapter 103, Laws of 1997

55th Legislature 1997 Regular Session

DISABILITY RETIREMENT BENEFITS--DENIAL TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES INJURED FROM OWN CRIMINAL CONDUCT

EFFECTIVE DATE: 4/21/97

Passed by the House March 12, 1997 Yeas 97 Nays 0

CLYDE BALLARD

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Passed by the Senate April 9, 1997 Yeas 47 Nays 0

CERTIFICATE

I, Timothy A. Martin, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1550** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

BRAD OWEN

TIMOTHY A. MARTIN

President of the Senate

Approved April 21, 1997

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Chief Clerk

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GARY LOCKE

Governor of the State of Washington

Secretary of State State of Washington

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By House Committee on Appropriations (originally sponsored by Representatives Doumit, Ballasiotes, Hatfield, Pennington, Kessler, Tokuda, Carlson, Ogden, Romero and Mielke)

Read first time 03/03/97.

- 1 AN ACT Relating to disability retirement benefits resulting from
- 2 criminal conduct; adding a new section to chapter 41.26 RCW; adding a
- 3 new section to chapter 41.32 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 41.40
- 4 RCW; and declaring an emergency.
- 5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 6 NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. A new section is added to chapter 41.26 RCW
- 7 to read as follows:
- 8 A member shall not receive a disability retirement benefit under
- 9 RCW 41.26.120, 41.26.125, 41.26.130, or 41.26.470 if the disability is
- 10 the result of criminal conduct by the member committed after the
- 11 effective date of this act.
- 12 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 2.** A new section is added to chapter 41.32 RCW
- 13 to read as follows:
- 14 A member shall not receive a disability retirement benefit under
- 15 RCW 41.32.540, 41.32.550, 41.32.790, or 41.32.880 if the disability is
- 16 the result of criminal conduct by the member committed after the
- 17 effective date of this act.

- 1 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 3.** A new section is added to chapter 41.40 RCW
- 2 to read as follows:
- 3 A member shall not receive a disability retirement benefit under
- 4 RCW 41.40.200, 41.40.220, 41.40.230, 41.40.235, 41.40.250, or 41.40.670
- 5 if the disability is the result of criminal conduct by the member
- 6 committed after the effective date of this act.
- 7 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 4.** If any provision of this act or its
- 8 application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the
- 9 remainder of the act or the application of the provision to other
- 10 persons or circumstances is not affected.
- 11 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 5.** This act is necessary for the immediate
- 12 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the
- 13 state government and its existing public institutions, and takes effect
- 14 immediately.

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