CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SECOND SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 3089

Chapter 208, Laws of 1998 (partial veto)

55th Legislature 1998 Regular Session

DRUNK DRIVING--LIMITING DEFERRED PROSECUTION PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY

EFFECTIVE DATE: 1/1/99

Passed by the House March 9, 1998 Yeas 96 Nays 0

CLYDE BALLARD

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Passed by the Senate March 5, 1998 Yeas 46 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 **SECOND SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 3089** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

BRAD OWEN

President of the Senate

TIMOTHY A. MARTIN

Chief Clerk

Approved March 30, 1998, with the exception of section 6, which is vetoed.

FILED

March 30, 1998 - 2:45 p.m.

GARY LOCKE

Governor of the State of Washington

Secretary of State State of Washington

SECOND SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 3089

AS AMENDED BY THE SENATE

Passed Legislature - 1998 Regular Session

State of Washington 55th Legislature 1998 Regular Session

By House Committee on Appropriations (originally sponsored by Representatives McDonald, Sheahan, Kessler, Bush, Robertson and Boldt)
Read first time 02/07/98. Referred to Committee on .

- 1 AN ACT Relating to drunk driving; amending RCW 10.05.010,
- 2 10.05.100, 10.05.120, and 10.05.160; creating new sections; and
- 3 providing an effective date.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 5 **Sec. 1.** RCW 10.05.010 and 1985 c 352 s 4 are each amended to read 6 as follows:
- 7 In a court of limited jurisdiction a person charged with a
- 8 misdemeanor or gross misdemeanor may petition the court to be
- 9 considered for a deferred prosecution program. The petition shall be
- 10 filed with the court at least seven days before the date set for trial
- 11 but, upon a written motion and affidavit establishing good cause for
- 12 the delay and failure to comply with this section, the court may waive
- 13 this requirement subject to the defendant's reimbursement to the court
- 14 of the witness fees and expenses due for subpoenaed witnesses who have
- 15 appeared on the date set for trial.
- A person charged with a traffic infraction, misdemeanor, or gross
- 17 misdemeanor under Title 46 RCW shall not be eligible for a deferred
- 18 prosecution program unless the court makes specific findings pursuant
- 19 to RCW 10.05.020. Such person shall not be eligible for a deferred

- 1 prosecution program more than once ((in any five-year period)).
- 2 Separate offenses committed more than seven days apart may not be
- 3 consolidated in a single program.
- 4 Sec. 2. RCW 10.05.100 and 1985 c 352 s 13 are each amended to read
- 5 as follows:
- If a petitioner is subsequently convicted of a similar offense
- 7 ((while)) that was committed while the petitioner was in a deferred
- 8 prosecution program, upon notice the court shall remove the
- 9 petitioner's docket from the deferred prosecution file and the court
- 10 shall enter judgment pursuant to RCW 10.05.020.
- 11 **Sec. 3.** RCW 10.05.120 and 1994 c 275 s 19 are each amended to read
- 12 as follows:
- 13 ((Upon)) Three years after receiving proof of successful completion
- 14 of the two-year treatment program, but not before five years following
- 15 entry of the order of deferred prosecution, the court shall dismiss the
- 16 charges pending against the petitioner.
- 17 **Sec. 4.** RCW 10.05.160 and 1985 c 352 s 18 are each amended to read
- 18 as follows:
- 19 The prosecutor may appeal an order granting deferred prosecution on
- 20 any or all of the following grounds:
- 21 (1) Prior deferred prosecution has been granted to the defendant
- 22 ((within five years));
- 23 (2) Failure of the court to obtain proof of insurance or a
- 24 treatment plan conforming to the requirements of this chapter;
- 25 (3) Failure of the court to comply with the requirements of RCW
- 26 10.05.100;
- 27 (4) Failure of the evaluation facility to provide the information
- 28 required in RCW 10.05.040 and 10.05.050, if the defendant has been
- 29 referred to the facility for treatment. If an appeal on such basis is
- 30 successful, the trial court may consider the use of another treatment
- 31 facility.
- 32 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 5.** If specific funding for the purposes of this
- 33 act, referencing this act by bill or chapter number, is not provided by
- 34 June 30, 1998, in the omnibus appropriations act, this act is null and
- 35 void.

- 1 *NEW SECTION. Sec. 6. If this act mandates an increased level of
- 2 service by local governments, the local government may, under RCW
- 3 43.135.060 and chapter 4.92 RCW, submit claims for reimbursement by the
- 4 legislature. The claims shall be subject to verification by the office
- 5 of financial management.
- 6 *Sec. 6 was vetoed. See message at end of chapter.
- 7 NEW SECTION. Sec. 7. This act takes effect January 1, 1999.

Passed the House March 9, 1998.

Passed the Senate March 5, 1998.

Approved by the Governor March 30, 1998, with the exception of certain items that were vetoed.

Filed in Office of Secretary of State March 30, 1998.

- 1 Note: Governor's explanation of partial veto is as follows:
- "I am returning herewith, without my approval as to section 6, 3 Second Substitute House Bill No. 3089 entitled:
- 4 "AN ACT Relating to drunk driving;"
- 2SHB 3089 allows a person to dispose of a DUI case by deferred prosecution only once in a lifetime, and reinstates the deferred charge if the person has a second DUI within five years. I strongly agree with this legislation; however, one section is problematic.
- 9 Section 6 of 2SHB 3089 would require that the Office of Financial Management verify claims from local governments for increased levels of 10 11 services mandated by the act. This section would add an unnecessary additional bureaucratic layer to the existing statutory and procedural 12 13 process for handling these claims. I will direct the Office of 14 Financial Management and the Department of General Administration to work collaboratively with the appropriate legislative committees to 15 ensure that timely and accurate information is provided to the 16 17 Legislature.
- For this reason, I have vetoed section 6 of Second Substitute House 19 Bill No. 3089.
- With the exception of section 6, Second Substitute House Bill No. 21 3089 is approved."