

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

HOUSE BILL 3902

Chapter 1, Laws of 1997

55th Legislature
1997 First Special Session

WARRANT CHECKS

EFFECTIVE DATE: 9/17/97

Passed by the House September 17, 1997

Yeas 93 Nays 1

CLYDE BALLARD

**Speaker of the
House of Representatives**

Passed by the Senate September 17, 1997

Yeas 42 Nays 2

BRAD OWEN

President of the Senate

Approved September 17, 1997

CERTIFICATE

I, Timothy A. Martin, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **HOUSE BILL 3902** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

TIMOTHY A. MARTIN

Chief Clerk

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September 17, 1997 - 5:37 p.m.

GARY LOCKE

Governor of the State of Washington

**Secretary of State
State of Washington**

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By Representatives Lisk, Appelwick, Delvin, Hatfield, Robertson, Chopp, Sheahan, Dickerson, Lambert, O'Brien, Huff, Kastama, Mitchell, Dunn, Kessler, Ogden, Hickel, Grant, McDonald, Morris, Mulliken, Doumit, Ballasiotes, Carrell, H. Sommers, Dunshee, Pennington, Linville, Honeyford, Anderson, Thompson, Lantz, Benson, Blalock, Zellinsky, Conway, Reams, Wood, K. Schmidt, Cooper, Wensman, Regala, Van Luven, Constantine, Hankins, Keiser, L. Thomas, Talcott, Skinner, Parlette, DeBolt, Chandler, D. Sommers, Sterk and Scott;

By Senators McDonald, Snyder, Deccio, Long, Wood, Prince, Horn, Winsley, Sellar, McCaslin, Hale, Newhouse, Anderson, Swecker and Johnson; by request of Governor Locke

Read first time 9/17/97. (Introduced with Senate sponsors.)

1 AN ACT Relating to warrant checks; amending RCW 46.61.021; and
2 declaring an emergency.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 46.61.021 and 1989 c 353 s 7 are each amended to read
5 as follows:

6 (1) Any person requested or signaled to stop by a law enforcement
7 officer for a traffic infraction has a duty to stop.

8 (2) Whenever any person is stopped for a traffic infraction, the
9 officer may detain that person for a reasonable period of time
10 necessary to identify the person, check for outstanding warrants, check
11 the status of the person's license, insurance identification card, and
12 the vehicle's registration, and complete and issue a notice of traffic
13 infraction.

14 (3) Any person requested to identify himself or herself to a law
15 enforcement officer pursuant to an investigation of a traffic
16 infraction has a duty to identify himself or herself, give his or her
17 current address, and sign an acknowledgement of receipt of the notice
18 of infraction.

1 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** This act is necessary for the immediate
2 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the
3 state government and its existing public institutions, and takes effect
4 immediately.

 Passed the House September 17, 1997.

 Passed the Senate September 17, 1997.

 Approved by the Governor September 17, 1997.

 Filed in Office of Secretary of State September 17, 1997.