

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

ENGROSSED SENATE BILL 5036

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56th Legislature
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SUPERIOR COURT JUDGES--ADDITIONAL POSITIONS

EFFECTIVE DATE: 7/25/99

Passed by the Senate April 20, 1999
YEAS 47 NAYS 0

BRAD OWEN
President of the Senate

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YEAS 95 NAYS 0

CLYDE BALLARD
**Speaker of the
House of Representatives**

FRANK CHOPP
**Speaker of the
House of Representatives**

Approved May 10, 1999

GARY LOCKE
Governor of the State of Washington

CERTIFICATE

I, Tony M. Cook, Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **ENGROSSED SENATE BILL 5036** as passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth.

TONY M. COOK
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 Senators McCaslin and Heavey; by request of Board for Judicial Administration

Read first time 01/11/1999. Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

1 AN ACT Relating to superior court judges; amending RCW 2.08.065;
2 and creating a new section.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 2.08.065 and 1996 c 208 s 5 are each amended to read
5 as follows:

6 There shall be in the county of Grant, (~~two~~) three judges of the
7 superior court; in the county of Okanogan, (~~one~~) two judges of the
8 superior court; in the county of Mason, two judges of the superior
9 court; in the county of Thurston, eight judges of the superior court;
10 in the counties of Pacific and Wahkiakum jointly, one judge of the
11 superior court; in the counties of Ferry, Pend Oreille, and Stevens
12 jointly, two judges of the superior court; and in the counties of San
13 Juan and Island jointly, two judges of the superior court.

14 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** (1) The additional judicial position for
15 Grant county created by section 1 of this act is effective only if
16 Grant county through its duly constituted legislative authority
17 documents its approval of the additional position and its agreement
18 that it will pay out of county funds, without reimbursement from the

1 state, the expenses of the additional judicial position as provided by
2 state law or the state Constitution.

3 (2) The additional judicial position for Okanogan county created by
4 section 1 of this act is effective only if Okanogan county through its
5 duly constituted legislative authority documents its approval of the
6 additional position and its agreement that it will pay out of county
7 funds, without reimbursement from the state, the expenses of the
8 existing and additional judicial positions as provided by state law or
9 the state Constitution.

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