CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5151

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Speaker of the House of Representatives

Approved

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Secretary

Secretary of State State of Washington

CERTIFICATE

I, Thomas Hoemann, Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5151** as passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth.

Governor of the State of Washington

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By Senate Committee on Government Operations & Elections (originally sponsored by Senators Franklin, Oke, Regala, Benton, Rasmussen, Roach, Eide, Haugen, Berkey, Kline and Fairley)

READ FIRST TIME 01/25/05.

1 AN ACT Relating to disposition of surplus property by a 2 metropolitan park district; amending RCW 35.61.132; providing an 3 expiration date; and declaring an emergency.

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

5 Sec. 1. RCW 35.61.132 and 1989 c 319 s 4 are each amended to read as follows: 6 7 For any real estate transaction proposed to result in a project that provides programming and activities for disadvantaged youth, the 8 9 funding endowment for which equals or exceeds twenty million dollars, 10 and that requires the transfer of title of surplus district property to a charitable organization as so recognized by its 501(c)(3) federal 11 income taxation status, every metropolitan park district may, by simple 12 13 majority vote of its board of park commissioners, sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of any real or personal property acquired for park or 14 15 recreational purposes when such property is declared surplus for park 16 or other recreational purposes: PROVIDED, That where the property is 17 acquired by donation or dedication for park or recreational purposes, the consent of the donor or dedicator, his or her heirs, successors, or 18 assigns is first obtained if the consent of the donor is required in 19

the instrument conveying the property to the metropolitan park district. In the event the donor or dedicator, his or her heirs, successors, or assigns cannot be located after a reasonable search, the metropolitan park district may petition the superior court in the county where the property is located for approval of the sale. If sold, all sales shall be by public bids and sale made only to the highest or best bidder.

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23 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 2. Section 1 of this act expires December 31,
24 2006.

25 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 3. This act is necessary for the immediate 26 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the 27 state government and its existing public institutions, and takes effect 28 immediately.

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