

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

**HOUSE BILL 2874**

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59th Legislature  
2006 Regular Session

TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS--DESIGN-BUILD CONSTRUCTION

EFFECTIVE DATE: 6/7/06

Passed by the House February 10, 2006  
Yeas 98 Nays 0

FRANK CHOPP

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**Speaker of the House of Representatives**

Passed by the Senate March 1, 2006  
Yeas 47 Nays 0

BRAD OWEN

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**President of the Senate**

Approved March 14, 2006.

CHRISTINE GREGOIRE

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**Governor of the State of Washington**

CERTIFICATE

I, Richard Nafziger, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **HOUSE BILL 2874** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

RICHARD NAFZIGER

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**Chief Clerk**

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**Secretary of State  
State of Washington**

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By Representatives Murray, Ericksen, Jarrett, Wallace and Woods; by request of Department of Transportation

Read first time 01/16/2006. Referred to Committee on Transportation.

1            AN ACT Relating to design-build construction for transportation  
2 projects; and amending RCW 47.20.785.

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

4            **Sec. 1.** RCW 47.20.785 and 2001 c 226 s 3 are each amended to read  
5 as follows:

6            (1) The department of transportation may use the design-build  
7 procedure for public works projects over ten million dollars where:

8            ~~((1))~~ (a) The construction activities are highly specialized and  
9 a design-build approach is critical in developing the construction  
10 methodology; or

11            ~~((2))~~ (b) The projects selected provide opportunity for greater  
12 innovation and efficiencies between the designer and the builder; or

13            ~~((3))~~ (c) Significant savings in project delivery time would be  
14 realized.

15            ~~((This section expires April 30, 2008.))~~

16            (2) To test the applicability of the design-build procedure on  
17 smaller projects and specialty projects, the department may conduct up  
18 to five pilot projects on projects that cost between two and ten  
19 million dollars. The department shall evaluate these pilot projects

1 with respect to cost, time to complete, efficiencies gained, if any,  
2 and other pertinent information to facilitate analysis regarding the  
3 further use of the design-build process on projects of this size.

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