CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 2286

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BANKS--INTERSTATE BRANCHING

EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/22/07

Passed by the House March 14, 2007 Yeas 96 Nays 0

FRANK CHOPP

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Passed by the Senate April 10, 2007 Yeas 47 Nays 0

CERTIFICATE

I, Richard Nafziger, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 2286** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

RICHARD NAFZIGER

BRAD OWEN

Chief Clerk

President of the Senate

Approved April 21, 2007, 10:39 a.m.

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CHRISTINE GREGOIRE

Secretary of State State of Washington

Governor of the State of Washington

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By House Committee on Insurance, Financial Services & Consumer Protection (originally sponsored by Representatives Simpson, Kirby, Williams, Kelley and Hunt)

READ FIRST TIME 2/28/07.

- AN ACT Relating to interstate branching; amending 1 and RCW
- 2 30.04.285.
- BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON: 3
- **Sec. 1.** RCW 30.04.285 and 1996 c 2 s 6 are each amended to read as 4 5 follows:
- (1) The director's approval of a branch within the United States or 6 any territory of the United States or in any foreign country shall be 7 8 conditioned on a finding by the director that the bank has
- 9 satisfactory record of compliance with applicable laws and has a 10 satisfactory financial condition. A bank chartered under this title
- may exercise any powers and authorities at any branch outside 11
- 12 Washington that are permissible for a bank operating in that state
- where the branch is located, except to the extent those activities are 13
- expressly prohibited by the laws of this state or by any rule or order 14
- 15 of the director applicable to the state bank. However, the director
- 16 may waive any limitation in writing with respect to powers and
- 17 authorities that the director determines do not threaten the safety or
- soundness of the state bank. 18

(2) An out-of-state bank may acquire, establish, or maintain a 1 branch in Washington within one mile of an affiliate commercial 2 location only to the same extent permitted for a Washington bank under 3 applicable state and federal law. For purposes of this subsection, 4 "bank" means any national bank, state bank, and district bank, as 5 defined in 12 U.S.C. Sec. 1813(a); "out-of-state bank" means a bank 6 7 whose home state is a state other than Washington; and "Washington bank" means a bank whose home state is Washington. "Home state" has 8 the same meaning as defined in RCW 30.38.005. 9

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