CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1793

61st Legislature 2009 Regular Session

Passed by the House April 20, 2009 Yeas 96 Nays 0

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Passed by the Senate April 10, 2009 Yeas 46 Nays 1

President of the Senate

Approved

CERTIFICATE

I, Barbara Baker, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1793** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

Chief Clerk

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Secretary of State State of Washington

Governor of the State of Washington

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## AS AMENDED BY THE SENATE

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**By** House Transportation (originally sponsored by Representatives Williams, Goodman, Nelson, White, Pedersen, Roberts, Upthegrove, and Eddy)

READ FIRST TIME 03/03/09.

1 AN ACT Relating to alternative student transportation; and adding 2 a new section to chapter 47.04 RCW.

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

4 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 1. A new section is added to chapter 47.04 RCW 5 to read as follows:

6 Concurrent with the federal safe, accountable, flexible, efficient 7 transportation equity act of 2005, a safe routes to school program is 8 established within the department. The purpose of the program is to:

9 (1) Enable and encourage children, including those with 10 disabilities, to walk and bicycle to school;

(2) Make bicycling and walking to school a safer and more appealing transportation alternative, encouraging a healthy and active lifestyle from an early age; and

(3) Facilitate the planning, development, and implementation of
projects and activities that will improve safety and reduce traffic,
fuel consumption, and air pollution in the vicinity of schools.

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