CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5538

Chapter 56, Laws of 2011

62nd Legislature 2011 Regular Session

CONSERVATION CORPS PROGRAMS--COMPENSATION EXEMPTION--TRAIL MAINTENANCE

EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/22/11

Passed by the Senate February 28, 2011 YEAS 48 NAYS 0

BRAD OWEN

President of the Senate

Passed by the House April 1, 2011 YEAS 91 NAYS 1

FRANK CHOPP

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Approved April 13, 2011, 2:35 p.m.

CERTIFICATE

I, Thomas Hoemann, Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5538** as passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth.

THOMAS HOEMANN

Secretary

FILED

April 13, 2011

CHRISTINE GREGOIRE

Governor of the State of Washington

Secretary of State State of Washington

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By Senate Labor, Commerce & Consumer Protection (originally sponsored by Senator White)

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1 AN ACT Relating to members of certain nonprofit conservation corps 2 programs; and adding a new section to chapter 79A.35 RCW.

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

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 1. A new section is added to chapter 79A.35 RCW
to read as follows:

Participants in conservation corps programs offered by a nonprofit 6 7 affiliated organization with a national service organization 8 established under the authority of the national and community service 9 trust act of 1993, P.L. 103-82, are exempt from provisions related to 10 rates of compensation while performing environmental and trail 11 maintenance work provided:

(1) The nonprofit organization must be registered as a nonprofitcorporation pursuant to chapter 24.03 RCW;

14 (2) The nonprofit organization's management and administrative15 headquarters must be located in Washington;

(3) Participants in the program spend at least fifteen percent oftheir time in the program on education and training activities; and

18 (4) Participants in the program receive a stipend or living19 allowance as authorized by federal or state law.

- 1 Participants are exempt from provisions related to rates of
- 2 compensation only for environmental and trail maintenance work
- 3 conducted pursuant to the conservation corps program.
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