

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SENATE BILL 5647

64th Legislature
2015 Regular Session

Passed by the Senate April 16, 2015
Yeas 47 Nays 1

President of the Senate

Passed by the House April 13, 2015
Yeas 80 Nays 17

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Approved

Governor of the State of Washington

CERTIFICATE

I, Hunter G. Goodman, Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SENATE BILL 5647** as passed by Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth.

Secretary

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**Secretary of State
State of Washington**

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AS AMENDED BY THE HOUSE

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By Senators Conway, Dandel, and Fraser

Read first time 01/28/15. Referred to Committee on Human Services,
Mental Health & Housing.

1 AN ACT Relating to allowing counties to create guardianship
2 courthouse facilitator programs; and adding a new section to chapter
3 11.88 RCW.

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

5 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 11.88
6 RCW to read as follows:

7 A county may create a guardianship courthouse facilitator program
8 to provide basic services to pro se litigants in guardianship cases.
9 The legislative authority of any county may impose user fees or may
10 impose a surcharge of up to twenty dollars, or both, on superior
11 court cases filed under chapters 11.88, 11.90, 11.92, and 73.36 RCW
12 to pay for the expenses of the guardianship courthouse facilitator
13 program. Fees collected under this section shall be collected and
14 deposited in the same manner as other county funds are collected and
15 deposited, and shall be maintained in a separate guardianship
16 courthouse facilitator account to be used as provided in this
17 section.

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