CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SENATE BILL 6491

Chapter 23, Laws of 2016

64th Legislature Veto Override 2016 1st Special Session

APOSTILLE SERVICES--SECRETARY OF STATE

EFFECTIVE DATE: 6/28/2016

Passed by the Senate February 17, 2016 CERTIFICATE Yeas 49 Nays 0 I, Hunter G. Goodman, Secretary of the Senate of the State of BRAD OWEN Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SENATE BILL 6491** as President of the Senate passed by Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth. Passed by the House March 2, 2016 Yeas 95 Nays 2 HUNTER G. GOODMAN Secretary FRANK CHOPP Speaker of the House of Representatives FILED March 30, 2016 Vetoed March 10, 2016 10:26 PM

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Secretary of State State of Washington

Governor of the State of Washington

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By Senators Pedersen and Roach; by request of Secretary of State

Read first time 01/22/16. Referred to Committee on Government Operations & Security.

- 1 AN ACT Relating to apostille or other signature or attestation
- 2 services by the secretary of state; and adding a new section to
- 3 chapter 43.07 RCW.

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- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 5 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 43.07 6 RCW to read as follows:
- 7 (1) The secretary of state may attest to the authenticity of the 8 signature of a public official in the state of Washington.
- 9 (2) The secretary of state may attest to the authenticity, or 10 certify a signature of, a notary public except as noted in subsection 11 (3) of this section.
- 12 (3) The secretary of state may not certify or attest to the 13 signature of a notary public on a document:
 - (a) Regarding allegiance to a government or jurisdiction;
- relinquishment 15 (b) Relating to the renunciation of or 16 citizenship, sovereignty, military world status, or service 17 authority; or
- 18 (c) Setting forth or implying for the bearer a claim of immunity 19 from the laws of the jurisdictions of Washington, immunity from the 20 laws of the state of Washington, or immunity from federal law.

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1 (4) The secretary of state may adopt rules to implement this 2 section.

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