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CERTIFICATE

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- 1 (4) RCW 44.55.020 (Committee membership) and 2003 c 404 s 2;
2 (5) RCW 44.55.030 (Chair—Officers—Rules) and 2003 c 404 s 3;
3 (6) RCW 44.55.040 (Powers, duties) and 2003 c 404 s 4;
4 (7) RCW 44.55.050 (Staff support) and 2003 c 404 s 5;
5 (8) RCW 44.55.060 (Compensation) and 2003 c 404 s 6;
6 (9) RCW 44.68.020 (Committee created—Members, terms, vacancies,
7 officers, rules) and 1993 c 332 s 1 & 1986 c 61 s 2; and
8 (10) RCW 44.68.035 (Administration) and 2001 c 259 s 16.

9 **PART II**
10 **RELATED AMENDMENTS**

11 **Sec. 2.** RCW 28A.175.075 and 2018 c 58 s 31 are each amended to
12 read as follows:

13 (1) The office of the superintendent of public instruction shall
14 establish a state-level (~~(building bridges work group that includes)~~)
15 advisory committee to be known as the graduation: a team effort
16 partnership advisory committee. The advisory committee shall include
17 K-12 and state agencies that work with youth who have dropped out or
18 are at risk of dropping out of school. The following agencies shall
19 appoint representatives to the (~~(work group)~~) advisory committee: The
20 office of the superintendent of public instruction, the workforce
21 training and education coordinating board, the department of
22 children, youth, and families, the employment security department,
23 the state board for community and technical colleges, the department
24 of health, the community mobilization office, and the children's
25 services and behavioral health and recovery divisions of the
26 department of social and health services. The (~~(work group should)~~)
27 advisory committee shall also consist of one representative from each
28 of the following agencies and organizations: A statewide organization
29 representing career and technical education programs including skill
30 centers; the juvenile courts or the office of juvenile justice, or
31 both; the Washington association of prosecuting attorneys; the
32 Washington state office of public defense; accredited institutions of
33 higher education; the educational service districts; the area
34 workforce development councils; parent and educator associations;
35 educational opportunity gap oversight and accountability committee;
36 office of the education ombuds; local school districts; agencies or
37 organizations that provide services to special education students;
38 community organizations serving youth; federally recognized tribes

1 and urban tribal centers; each of the major political caucuses of the
2 senate and house of representatives; and the minority commissions.

3 (2) To assist and enhance the work of the ~~((building bridges))~~
4 programs established in RCW 28A.175.025, the ~~((state-level work~~
5 ~~group))~~ advisory committee shall:

6 (a) Identify and make recommendations to the legislature for the
7 reduction of fiscal, legal, and regulatory barriers that prevent
8 coordination of program resources across agencies at the state and
9 local level;

10 (b) Develop and track performance measures and benchmarks for
11 each partner agency or organization across the state including
12 performance measures and benchmarks based on student characteristics
13 and outcomes specified in RCW 28A.175.035(1)(e); and

14 (c) Identify research-based and emerging best practices regarding
15 prevention, intervention, and retrieval programs.

16 (3) ~~((a))~~ The ~~((work group))~~ advisory committee shall report to
17 the appropriate committees of the legislature and the governor on an
18 annual basis beginning December 1, 2007, with proposed strategies for
19 building K-12 dropout prevention, intervention, and reengagement
20 systems in local communities throughout the state including, but not
21 limited to, recommendations for implementing emerging best practices,
22 needed additional resources, and eliminating barriers.

23 ~~((b) By September 15, 2010, the work group shall report on:~~

24 ~~(i) A recommended state goal and annual state targets for the~~
25 ~~percentage of students graduating from high school;~~

26 ~~(ii) A recommended state goal and annual state targets for the~~
27 ~~percentage of youth who have dropped out of school who should be~~
28 ~~reengaged in education and be college and work ready;~~

29 ~~(iii) Recommended funding for supporting career guidance and the~~
30 ~~planning and implementation of K-12 dropout prevention, intervention,~~
31 ~~and reengagement systems in school districts and a plan for phasing~~
32 ~~the funding into the program of basic education, beginning in the~~
33 ~~2011-2013 biennium; and~~

34 ~~(iv) A plan for phasing in the expansion of the current school~~
35 ~~improvement planning program to include state-funded, dropout-focused~~
36 ~~school improvement technical assistance for school districts in~~
37 ~~significant need of improvement regarding high school graduation~~
38 ~~rates.))~~

39 (4) State agencies in the ~~((building bridges work group))~~
40 advisory committee shall work together, wherever feasible, on the

1 following activities to support school/family/community partnerships
2 engaged in building K-12 dropout prevention, intervention, and
3 reengagement systems:

4 (a) Providing opportunities for coordination and flexibility of
5 program eligibility and funding criteria;

6 (b) Providing joint funding;

7 (c) Developing protocols and templates for model agreements on
8 sharing records and data;

9 (d) Providing joint professional development opportunities that
10 provide knowledge and training on:

11 (i) Research-based and promising practices;

12 (ii) The availability of programs and services for vulnerable
13 youth; and

14 (iii) Cultural competence.

15 ~~((5) The building bridges work group shall make recommendations~~
16 ~~to the governor and the legislature by December 1, 2010, on a state-~~
17 ~~level and regional infrastructure for coordinating services for~~
18 ~~vulnerable youth. Recommendations must address the following issues:~~

19 ~~(a) Whether to adopt an official conceptual approach or framework~~
20 ~~for all entities working with vulnerable youth that can support~~
21 ~~coordinated planning and evaluation;~~

22 ~~(b) The creation of a performance-based management system,~~
23 ~~including outcomes, indicators, and performance measures relating to~~
24 ~~vulnerable youth and programs serving them, including accountability~~
25 ~~for the dropout issue;~~

26 ~~(c) The development of regional and/or county-level multipartner~~
27 ~~youth consortia with a specific charge to assist school districts and~~
28 ~~local communities in building K-12 comprehensive dropout prevention,~~
29 ~~intervention, and reengagement systems;~~

30 ~~(d) The development of integrated or school-based one-stop~~
31 ~~shopping for services that would:~~

32 ~~(i) Provide individualized attention to the neediest youth and~~
33 ~~prioritized access to services for students identified by a dropout~~
34 ~~early warning and intervention data system;~~

35 ~~(ii) Establish protocols for coordinating data and services,~~
36 ~~including getting data release at time of intake and common~~
37 ~~assessment and referral processes; and~~

38 ~~(iii) Build a system of single case managers across agencies;~~

39 ~~(e) Launching a statewide media campaign on increasing the high~~
40 ~~school graduation rate; and~~

1 ~~(f) Developing a statewide database of available services for~~
2 ~~vulnerable youth.)~~)

3 **Sec. 3.** RCW 28A.657.100 and 2013 c 159 s 10 are each amended to
4 read as follows:

5 (1) The superintendent of public instruction must provide a
6 report twice per year to the state board of education regarding the
7 progress made by all school districts designated as required action
8 districts.

9 (2) The superintendent of public instruction must recommend to
10 the state board of education that a school district be released from
11 the designation as a required action district after the district
12 implements a required action plan for a period of three years; has
13 made progress, as defined by the superintendent of public instruction
14 using the criteria adopted under RCW 28A.657.020 including progress
15 in closing the educational opportunity gap; and no longer has a
16 school within the district identified as persistently lowest-
17 achieving. The state board shall release a school district from the
18 designation as a required action district upon confirmation that the
19 district has met the requirements for a release.

20 (3) If the state board of education determines that the required
21 action district has not met the requirements for release after at
22 least three years of implementing a required action plan, the board
23 may recommend that the district remain in required action and submit
24 a new or revised plan under the process in RCW 28A.657.050, or the
25 board may direct that the school district be assigned to level two of
26 the required action process as provided in RCW 28A.657.105. If the
27 required action district received a federal school improvement grant
28 for the same persistently lowest-achieving school in 2010 or 2011,
29 the board may direct that the school district be assigned to level
30 two of the required action process after one year of implementing a
31 required action plan under this chapter if the district is not making
32 progress. ~~((Before making a determination of whether to recommend~~
33 ~~that a school district that is not making progress remain in required~~
34 ~~action or be assigned to level two of the required action process,~~
35 ~~the state board of education must submit its findings to the~~
36 ~~education accountability system oversight committee under RCW~~
37 ~~28A.657.130 and provide an opportunity for the oversight committee to~~
38 ~~review and comment.))~~

1 **Sec. 4.** RCW 28B.15.067 and 2015 3rd sp.s. c 36 s 3 are each
2 amended to read as follows:

3 (1) Tuition fees shall be established under the provisions of
4 this chapter.

5 (2) ~~((Beginning in the 2011-12 academic year and through the~~
6 ~~2014-15 academic year, reductions or increases in full-time tuition~~
7 ~~fees shall be as provided in the omnibus appropriations act for~~
8 ~~resident undergraduate students at community and technical colleges.~~

9 ~~(3)(a) In the 2015-16 and 2016-17 academic years, tuition~~
10 ~~operating fees for resident undergraduates at community and technical~~
11 ~~colleges excluding applied baccalaureate degrees as defined in RCW~~
12 ~~28B.50.030, shall be five percent less than the 2014-15 academic year~~
13 ~~tuition operating fee.~~

14 ~~(b) Beginning in the 2017-18 academic year, tuition))~~ Tuition
15 operating fees for resident undergraduates at ~~((community and~~
16 ~~technical colleges))~~ institutions of higher education as defined in
17 RCW 28B.10.016, excluding applied baccalaureate degrees as defined in
18 RCW 28B.50.030, may increase by no more than the average annual
19 percentage growth rate in the median hourly wage for Washington for
20 the previous fourteen years as the wage is determined by the federal
21 bureau of labor statistics.

22 ~~((4))~~ (3) The governing boards of the state universities,
23 regional universities, and The Evergreen State College; and the state
24 board for community and technical colleges may reduce or increase
25 full-time tuition fees for all students other than resident
26 undergraduates, including nonresident students, summer school
27 students, and students in other self-supporting degree programs.
28 Percentage increases in full-time tuition may exceed the fiscal
29 growth factor. Except during the 2013-2015 fiscal biennium, the state
30 board for community and technical colleges may pilot or institute
31 differential tuition models. The board may define scale, scope, and
32 rationale for the models.

33 ~~((5)(a) Beginning with the 2011-12 academic year and through the~~
34 ~~end of the 2014-15 academic year, the governing boards of the state~~
35 ~~universities, the regional universities, and The Evergreen State~~
36 ~~College may reduce or increase full-time tuition fees for all~~
37 ~~students, including summer school students and students in other~~
38 ~~self-supporting degree programs. Percentage increases in full-time~~
39 ~~tuition fees may exceed the fiscal growth factor. Reductions or~~
40 ~~increases may be made for all or portions of an institution's~~

1 ~~programs, campuses, courses, or students; however, during the~~
2 ~~2013-2015 fiscal biennium, reductions or increases in tuition must be~~
3 ~~uniform among resident undergraduate students.~~

4 ~~(b) Prior to reducing or increasing tuition for each academic~~
5 ~~year, the governing boards of the state universities, the regional~~
6 ~~universities, and The Evergreen State College shall consult with~~
7 ~~existing student associations or organizations with student~~
8 ~~undergraduate and graduate representatives regarding the impacts of~~
9 ~~potential tuition increases. Each governing board shall make public~~
10 ~~its proposal for tuition and fee increases twenty-one days before the~~
11 ~~governing board of the institution considers adoption and allow~~
12 ~~opportunity for public comment. However, the requirement to make~~
13 ~~public a proposal for tuition and fee increases twenty-one days~~
14 ~~before the governing board considers adoption shall not apply if the~~
15 ~~omnibus appropriations act has not passed the legislature by May~~
16 ~~15th. Governing boards shall be required to provide data regarding~~
17 ~~the percentage of students receiving financial aid, the sources of~~
18 ~~aid, and the percentage of total costs of attendance paid for by aid.~~

19 ~~(c) Prior to reducing or increasing tuition for each academic~~
20 ~~year, the state board for community and technical college system~~
21 ~~shall consult with existing student associations or organizations~~
22 ~~with undergraduate student representation regarding the impacts of~~
23 ~~potential tuition increases. The state board for community and~~
24 ~~technical colleges shall provide data regarding the percentage of~~
25 ~~students receiving financial aid, the sources of aid, and the~~
26 ~~percentage of total costs of attendance paid for by aid.~~

27 ~~(6)(a) In the 2015-16 academic year, full-time tuition operating~~
28 ~~fees for resident undergraduates for state universities, regional~~
29 ~~universities, The Evergreen State College, and applied baccalaureate~~
30 ~~degrees as defined in RCW 28B.50.030 shall be five percent less than~~
31 ~~the 2014-15 academic year tuition operating fee.~~

32 ~~(b) Beginning with the 2016-17 academic year, full-time tuition~~
33 ~~operating fees for resident undergraduates for:~~

34 ~~(i) State universities shall be fifteen percent less than the~~
35 ~~2014-15 academic year tuition operating fee; and~~

36 ~~(ii) Regional universities, The Evergreen State College, and~~
37 ~~applied baccalaureate degrees as defined in RCW 28B.50.030 shall be~~
38 ~~twenty percent less than the 2014-15 academic year tuition operating~~
39 ~~fee.~~

1 ~~(c) Beginning with the 2017-18 academic year, full-time tuition~~
2 ~~operating fees for resident undergraduates in (b) of this subsection~~
3 ~~may increase by no more than the average annual percentage growth~~
4 ~~rate in the median hourly wage for Washington for the previous~~
5 ~~fourteen years as the wage is determined by the federal bureau of~~
6 ~~labor statistics.~~

7 ~~(7))~~ (4) The tuition fees established under this chapter shall
8 not apply to high school students enrolling in participating
9 institutions of higher education under RCW 28A.600.300 through
10 28A.600.400.

11 ~~((8))~~ (5) The tuition fees established under this chapter shall
12 not apply to eligible students enrolling in a dropout reengagement
13 program through an interlocal agreement between a school district and
14 a community or technical college under RCW 28A.175.100 through
15 28A.175.110.

16 ~~((9) The legislative advisory committee to the committee on~~
17 ~~advanced tuition payment established in RCW 28B.95.170 shall:~~

18 ~~(a) Review the impact of differential tuition rates on the funded~~
19 ~~status and future unit price of the Washington advanced college~~
20 ~~tuition payment program; and~~

21 ~~(b) No later than January 14, 2013, make a recommendation to the~~
22 ~~appropriate policy and fiscal committees of the legislature regarding~~
23 ~~how differential tuition should be addressed in order to maintain the~~
24 ~~ongoing solvency of the Washington advanced college tuition payment~~
25 ~~program.~~

26 ~~(10))~~ (6) As a result of any changes in tuition under section 3,
27 chapter 36, Laws of 2015 3rd sp. sess., the governing boards of the
28 state universities, the regional universities, and The Evergreen
29 State College shall not reduce resident undergraduate enrollment
30 below the 2014-15 academic year levels.

31 **Sec. 5.** RCW 43.15.020 and 2017 3rd sp.s. c 6 s 814 are each
32 amended to read as follows:

33 The lieutenant governor serves as president of the senate and is
34 responsible for making appointments to, and serving on, the
35 committees and boards as set forth in this section.

36 (1) The lieutenant governor serves on the following boards and
37 committees:

38 (a) Capitol furnishings preservation committee, RCW 27.48.040;

1 (b) Washington higher education facilities authority, RCW
2 28B.07.030;

3 (c) Productivity board, also known as the employee involvement
4 and recognition board, RCW 41.60.015;

5 (d) State finance committee, RCW 43.33.010;

6 (e) State capitol committee, RCW 43.34.010;

7 (f) Washington health care facilities authority, RCW 70.37.030;

8 (g) State medal of merit nominating committee, RCW 1.40.020;

9 (h) Medal of valor committee, RCW 1.60.020; and

10 (i) (~~Association of Washington generals~~) Washington state
11 leadership board, RCW 43.15.030.

12 (2) The lieutenant governor, and when serving as president of the
13 senate, appoints members to the following boards and committees:

14 (a) Civil legal aid oversight committee, RCW 2.53.010;

15 (b) Office of public defense advisory committee, RCW 2.70.030;

16 (c) Washington state gambling commission, RCW 9.46.040;

17 (d) Sentencing guidelines commission, RCW 9.94A.860;

18 (e) State building code council, RCW 19.27.070;

19 (f) Financial education public-private partnership, RCW
20 28A.300.450;

21 (g) Joint administrative rules review committee, RCW 34.05.610;

22 (h) Capital projects advisory review board, RCW 39.10.220;

23 (i) Select committee on pension policy, RCW 41.04.276;

24 (j) Legislative ethics board, RCW 42.52.310;

25 (k) Washington citizens' commission on salaries, RCW 43.03.305;

26 (l) Legislative oral history committee, RCW 44.04.325;

27 (m) State council on aging, RCW 43.20A.685;

28 (n) State investment board, RCW 43.33A.020;

29 (o) Capitol campus design advisory committee, RCW 43.34.080;

30 (p) Washington state arts commission, RCW 43.46.015;

31 (q) PNWER-Net working subgroup under chapter 43.147 RCW;

32 (r) Community economic revitalization board, RCW 43.160.030;

33 (s) Washington economic development finance authority, RCW
34 43.163.020;

35 (t) (~~Life sciences discovery fund authority, RCW 43.350.020;~~
36 ~~(u)~~) Joint legislative audit and review committee, RCW
37 44.28.010;

38 (~~(v)~~) (u) Joint committee on energy supply and energy
39 conservation, RCW 44.39.015;

1 ~~((w))~~ (v) Legislative evaluation and accountability program
2 committee, RCW 44.48.010;
3 ~~((x) Agency council on coordinated transportation, RCW~~
4 ~~47.06B.020;~~
5 ~~(y))~~ (w) Washington horse racing commission, RCW 67.16.014;
6 ~~((z))~~ (x) Correctional industries board of directors, RCW
7 72.09.080;
8 ~~((aa))~~ (y) Joint committee on veterans' and military affairs,
9 RCW 73.04.150;
10 ~~((bb))~~ (z) Joint legislative committee on water supply during
11 drought, RCW 90.86.020; and
12 ~~((cc))~~ (aa) Statute law committee, RCW 1.08.001(~~;~~
13 ~~(dd) Joint legislative oversight committee on trade policy, RCW~~
14 ~~44.55.020)~~).

15 **Sec. 6.** RCW 43.216.572 and 2016 c 57 s 1 are each amended to
16 read as follows:

17 For the purposes of implementing this chapter, the governor shall
18 appoint a state ~~((birth-to-three))~~ interagency coordinating council
19 for infants and toddlers with disabilities and their families and
20 ensure that state agencies involved in the provision of, or payment
21 for, early intervention services to infants and toddlers with
22 disabilities and their families shall coordinate and collaborate in
23 the planning and delivery of such services.

24 No state or local agency currently providing early intervention
25 services to infants and toddlers with disabilities may use funds
26 appropriated for early intervention services for infants and toddlers
27 with disabilities to supplant funds from other sources.

28 All state and local agencies shall ensure that the implementation
29 of this chapter will not cause any interruption in existing early
30 intervention services for infants and toddlers with disabilities.

31 Nothing in this chapter shall be construed to permit the
32 restriction or reduction of eligibility under Title V of the Social
33 Security Act, P.L. 90-248, relating to maternal and child health or
34 Title XIX of the Social Security Act, P.L. 89-97, relating to
35 medicaid for infants and toddlers with disabilities.

36 **Sec. 7.** RCW 43.216.574 and 2016 c 57 s 2 are each amended to
37 read as follows:

1 The state (~~(birth-to-three)~~) interagency coordinating council for
2 infants and toddlers with disabilities and their families shall
3 identify and work with county early childhood interagency
4 coordinating councils to coordinate and enhance existing early
5 intervention services and assist each community to meet the needs of
6 infants and toddlers with disabilities and their families.

7 **Sec. 8.** RCW 44.04.325 and 2008 c 222 s 4 are each amended to
8 read as follows:

9 (1) A legislative oral history committee is created, which shall
10 consist of the following individuals:

11 (a) Four members of the house of representatives, two from each
12 of the two largest caucuses of the house, appointed by the speaker of
13 the house of representatives;

14 (b) Four members of the senate, two from each of the two largest
15 caucuses of the senate, appointed by the president of the senate;

16 (c) The chief clerk of the house of representatives; and

17 (d) The secretary of the senate.

18 (2) Ex officio members may be appointed by a majority vote of the
19 committee's members appointed under subsection (1) of this section.

20 (3) The chair of the committee shall be elected by a majority
21 vote of the committee members appointed under subsection (1) of this
22 section.

23 (4) Staff support for the committee must be provided by the
24 office of the secretary of the senate and the office of the chief
25 clerk of the house of representatives.

26 **Sec. 9.** RCW 44.68.010 and 2007 c 18 s 1 are each amended to read
27 as follows:

28 Unless the context clearly requires otherwise, the definitions in
29 this section apply throughout this chapter.

30 (1) "Administrative committee" means the joint legislative
31 systems administrative committee created under RCW 44.68.030.

32 (2) "Center" means the legislative service center established
33 under RCW 44.68.060.

34 (3) "Coordinator" means the legislative systems coordinator
35 employed under RCW 44.68.040.

36 (~~(4) "Systems committee" means the joint legislative systems~~
37 ~~committee created under RCW 44.68.020.)~~)

1 **Sec. 10.** RCW 44.68.040 and 2007 c 18 s 3 are each amended to
2 read as follows:

3 Subject to RCW 44.04.260:

4 (1) The (~~systems committee, after consultation with the~~)
5 administrative committee(~~(r)~~) shall employ a legislative systems
6 coordinator. The coordinator shall serve at the pleasure of the
7 (~~systems~~) administrative committee, which shall fix the
8 coordinator's salary.

9 (2) (a) The coordinator shall serve as the executive and
10 administrative head of the center, and shall assist the
11 administrative committee in managing the information processing and
12 communications systems of the legislature as directed by the
13 administrative committee;

14 (b) In accordance with an adopted personnel plan, the coordinator
15 shall employ or engage and fix the compensation for personnel
16 required to carry out the purposes of this chapter;

17 (c) The coordinator shall enter into contracts for: (i) The sale,
18 exchange, or acquisition of equipment, supplies, services, and
19 facilities required to carry out the purposes of this chapter; and
20 (ii) the distribution of legislative information.

21 **Sec. 11.** RCW 44.68.050 and 2007 c 18 s 4 are each amended to
22 read as follows:

23 The administrative committee shall, (~~subject to the approval of~~
24 ~~the systems committee and~~) subject to RCW 44.04.260:

25 (1) Adopt policies, procedures, and standards regarding the
26 information processing and communications systems of the legislature;

27 (2) Establish appropriate charges for services, equipment, and
28 publications provided by the legislative information processing and
29 communications systems, applicable to legislative and nonlegislative
30 users as determined by the administrative committee;

31 (3) Adopt a compensation plan for personnel required to carry out
32 the purposes of this chapter; and

33 (4) Approve strategic and tactical information technology plans
34 and provide guidance in operational matters required to carry out (a)
35 the purposes of this chapter; and (b) the distribution of legislative
36 information(~~(r~~

37 ~~(5) Generally assist the systems committee in carrying out its~~
38 ~~responsibilities under this chapter, as directed by the systems~~
39 ~~committee)).~~

1 **Sec. 12.** RCW 44.68.060 and 2007 c 18 s 5 are each amended to
2 read as follows:

3 (1) The administrative committee(~~(, subject to the approval of~~
4 ~~the systems committee,)~~) shall establish a legislative service
5 center. The center shall provide automatic data processing services,
6 equipment, training, and support to the legislature and legislative
7 agencies. The center may also, by agreement, provide services to
8 agencies of the judicial and executive branches of state government
9 and other governmental entities, and provide public access to
10 legislative information. All operations of the center shall be
11 subject to the general supervision of the administrative committee in
12 accordance with the policies, procedures, and standards established
13 under RCW 44.68.050.

14 (2) Except as provided otherwise in subsection (3) of this
15 section, determinations regarding the security, disclosure, and
16 disposition of information placed or maintained in the center shall
17 rest solely with the originator and shall be made in accordance with
18 any law regulating the disclosure of such information. The originator
19 is the person who directly places information in the center.

20 (3) When utilizing the center to carry out the bill drafting
21 functions required under RCW 1.08.027, the code reviser shall be
22 considered the originator as defined in (~~RCW 44.68.060~~) this
23 section. However, determinations regarding the security, disclosure,
24 and disposition of drafts placed or maintained in the center shall be
25 made by the person requesting the code reviser's services and the
26 code reviser, acting as the originator, shall comply with and carry
27 out such determinations as directed by that person. A measure once
28 introduced shall not be considered a draft under this subsection.

29 **Sec. 13.** RCW 44.68.065 and 2015 3rd sp.s. c 1 s 411 are each
30 amended to read as follows:

31 The legislative service center, under the direction of (~~the~~
32 ~~joint legislative systems committee and~~) the joint legislative
33 systems administrative committee, shall:

34 (1) Develop a legislative information technology portfolio
35 consistent with the provisions of RCW 43.105.341;

36 (2) Participate in the development of an enterprise-based
37 statewide information technology strategy;

1 (3) Ensure the legislative information technology portfolio is
2 organized and structured to clearly indicate participation in and use
3 of enterprise-wide information technology strategies;

4 (4) As part of the biennial budget process, submit the
5 legislative information technology portfolio to the chair and ranking
6 member of the ways and means committees of the house of
7 representatives and the senate, the office of financial management,
8 and the consolidated technology services agency.

9 **Sec. 14.** RCW 44.68.085 and 2007 c 18 s 6 are each amended to
10 read as follows:

11 Subject to RCW 44.04.260, all expenses incurred, including
12 salaries and expenses of employees, shall be paid upon voucher forms
13 as provided and signed by the coordinator. Vouchers may be drawn on
14 funds appropriated by law for the (~~systems committee~~)
15 administrative committee(~~(~~) and center: PROVIDED, That the senate,
16 house of representatives, and code reviser may authorize the
17 (~~systems committee~~) administrative committee(~~(~~) and center to
18 draw on funds appropriated by the legislature for related information
19 technology expenses. The senate and house of representatives may
20 transfer moneys appropriated for legislative expenses to the
21 (~~systems committee~~) administrative committee(~~(~~) and center, in
22 addition to charges made under RCW 44.68.050(2).

23 **Sec. 15.** RCW 44.68.090 and 1986 c 61 s 9 are each amended to
24 read as follows:

25 Members (~~of the systems committee and~~) of the administrative
26 committee shall be reimbursed for travel expenses under RCW 44.04.120
27 or 43.03.050 and 43.03.060, as appropriate, while attending meetings
28 of their respective committees or on other official business
29 authorized by their respective committees.

30 **Sec. 16.** RCW 44.68.100 and 1996 c 171 s 4 are each amended to
31 read as follows:

32 The legislature and legislative agencies through the (~~joint~~
33 ~~legislative systems~~) administrative committee, shall:

34 (1) Continue to plan for and implement processes for making
35 legislative information available electronically;

36 (2) Promote and facilitate electronic access to the public of
37 legislative information and services;

- 1 (3) Establish technical standards for such services;
- 2 (4) Consider electronic public access needs when planning new
3 information systems or major upgrades of information systems;
- 4 (5) Develop processes to determine which legislative information
5 the public most wants and needs;
- 6 (6) Increase capabilities to receive information electronically
7 from the public and transmit forms, applications and other
8 communications and transactions electronically;
- 9 (7) Use technologies that allow continuous access twenty-four
10 hours a day, seven days per week, involve little or no cost to
11 access, and are capable of being used by persons without extensive
12 technology ability; and
- 13 (8) Consider and incorporate wherever possible ease of access to
14 electronic technologies by persons with disabilities.

15 **Sec. 17.** RCW 44.68.105 and 2007 c 18 s 7 are each amended to
16 read as follows:

17 The (~~systems committee,~~) administrative committee(~~(,)~~) and
18 center are hereby expressly exempted from the provisions of chapter
19 43.105 RCW.

20 **Sec. 18.** RCW 43.15.030 and 2018 c 67 s 1 are each amended to
21 read as follows:

22 (1) The (~~association of Washington generals~~) Washington state
23 leadership board is organized as a private, nonprofit, nonpartisan
24 corporation in accordance with chapter 24.03 RCW and this section.

25 (2) The purpose of the (~~association of Washington generals~~)
26 Washington state leadership board is to:

27 (a) Provide the state a means of extending formal recognition for
28 an individual's outstanding services to the state;

29 (b) Bring together those individuals to serve the state as
30 ambassadors of trade, tourism, and international goodwill; and

31 (c) Expand educational, sports, leadership, and/or employment
32 opportunities for youth, veterans, and people with disabilities in
33 Washington state.

34 (3) The (~~association of Washington generals~~) Washington state
35 leadership board may conduct activities in support of their
36 mission(~~(, including but not limited to:~~

37 ~~(a) Establishing selection criteria for selecting Washington~~
38 ~~generals;~~

1 ~~(b) Training Washington generals as ambassadors of the state of~~
2 ~~Washington, nationally and internationally; and~~

3 ~~(c) Promoting Washington generals as ambassadors of the state of~~
4 ~~Washington)).~~

5 (4) The ~~((association of Washington generals))~~ Washington state
6 leadership board is governed by a board of directors. The board of
7 directors is composed of the governor, the lieutenant governor, and
8 the secretary of state, who serve as ex officio, nonvoting members,
9 and other officers and members as the ~~((association of Washington~~
10 ~~generals))~~ Washington state leadership board designates. In addition,
11 four legislators may be appointed to the board of directors as ex
12 officio members in the following manner: One legislator from each of
13 the two largest caucuses of the senate, appointed by the president of
14 the senate, and one legislator from each of the two largest caucuses
15 of the house of representatives, appointed by the speaker of the
16 house of representatives.

17 (5) The board of directors shall ~~((÷~~

18 ~~(a) Review nominations for and be responsible for the selection~~
19 ~~of Washington generals;~~

20 ~~(b) Establish the title of honorary Washington general to honor~~
21 ~~worthy individuals from outside the state of Washington; and~~

22 ~~(c) Adopt))~~ adopt bylaws and establish governance and
23 transparency policies.

24 (6) The lieutenant governor's office may provide technical and
25 financial assistance for the ~~((association of Washington generals))~~
26 Washington state leadership board, where the work of the
27 ~~((association))~~ board aligns with the mission of the office.
28 Assistance from the lieutenant governor's office may include, but is
29 not limited to:

30 (a) Collaboration with the ~~((association of Washington generals))~~
31 Washington state leadership board on the Washington world fellows
32 program, a college readiness and study abroad fellowship administered
33 by the office of the lieutenant governor;

34 (b) Beginning January 1, 2019, collaboration with the
35 ~~((association of Washington generals))~~ Washington state leadership
36 board to administer the sports mentoring program as established under
37 RCW 43.15.100, a mentoring program to encourage underserved youth to
38 join sports or otherwise participate in the area of sports. If
39 approved by the board, boundless Washington, an outdoor leadership

1 program for young people with disabilities, shall satisfy the terms
2 of the sports mentoring program; and

3 (c) The compilation of a yearly financial report, which shall be
4 made available to the legislature no later than January 15th of each
5 year, detailing all revenues and expenditures associated with the
6 Washington world fellows program and the sports mentoring program.
7 Any expenditures made by the (~~association of Washington generals~~)
8 Washington state leadership board in support of the Washington world
9 fellows program and the sports mentoring program shall be made
10 available to the office of the lieutenant governor for the purpose of
11 inclusion in the annual financial report.

12 (7) The legislature may make appropriations in support of the
13 (~~Washington generals~~) Washington state leadership board subject to
14 the availability of funds.

15 (8) The office of the lieutenant governor must post on its web
16 site detailed information on all funds received by the (~~association~~
17 ~~of Washington generals~~) Washington state leadership board and all
18 expenditures by the (~~association of Washington generals~~) Washington
19 state leadership board.

20 **Sec. 19.** RCW 43.15.040 and 2005 c 69 s 2 are each amended to
21 read as follows:

22 The (~~association of Washington generals~~) Washington state
23 leadership board may use the image of the Washington state flag to
24 promote the mission of the organization as set forth under RCW
25 (~~43.342.010~~) 43.15.030. The (~~association~~) board retains any
26 revenue generated by the use of the image, when the usage is
27 consistent with the purposes under RCW (~~43.342.010~~) 43.15.030.

28 **Sec. 20.** RCW 43.15.060 and 2003 c 347 s 1 are each amended to
29 read as follows:

30 (1) Economic development and in particular international trade,
31 tourism, and investment have become increasingly important to
32 Washington, affecting the state's employment, revenues, and general
33 economic well-being. Additionally, economic trends are rapidly
34 changing and the international marketplace has become increasingly
35 competitive as states and countries seek to improve and safeguard
36 their own economic well-being. The purpose of the legislative
37 committee on economic development and international relations is to
38 provide responsive and consistent involvement by the legislature in

1 economic development to maintain a healthy state economy and to
2 provide employment opportunities to Washington residents.

3 (2) There is created a legislative committee on economic
4 development and international relations which shall consist of six
5 senators and six representatives from the legislature and the
6 lieutenant governor who shall serve as chairperson. The senate
7 members of the committee shall be appointed by the president of the
8 senate and the house members of the committee shall be appointed by
9 the speaker of the house. Not more than three members from each house
10 shall be from the same political party. (~~A list of appointees shall
11 be submitted before the close of each regular legislative session
12 during an odd-numbered year or any successive special session
13 convened by the governor or the legislature prior to the close of
14 such regular session or successive special session(s) for
15 confirmation of senate members, by the senate, and house members, by
16 the house.~~) Vacancies occurring shall be filled by the appointing
17 authority.

18 **Sec. 21.** RCW 43.15.065 and 1985 c 467 s 18 are each amended to
19 read as follows:

20 The committee shall by majority vote establish subcommittees, and
21 prescribe rules of procedure for itself and its subcommittees which
22 are consistent with this chapter. (~~The committee shall at a minimum
23 establish a subcommittee on international trade and a subcommittee on
24 industrial development.~~)

25 **Sec. 22.** RCW 43.15.070 and 1985 c 467 s 19 are each amended to
26 read as follows:

27 The committee or its subcommittees are authorized to study and
28 review economic development issues with special emphasis on
29 international trade, tourism, investment, and industrial development,
30 and to assist the legislature in developing a comprehensive and
31 consistent economic development policy. The issues under review by
32 the committee shall include, but not be limited to:

33 (1) Evaluating existing state policies, laws, and programs which
34 promote or affect economic development with special emphasis on those
35 concerning international trade, tourism, and investment and determine
36 their cost-effectiveness and level of cooperation with other public
37 and private agencies(~~(-)~~);

1 (2) Monitoring economic trends, and developing for review by the
2 legislature such (~~appropriate~~) state responses as may be deemed
3 effective and appropriate(~~(-)~~);

4 (3) Monitoring economic development policies and programs of
5 other states and nations and evaluating their effectiveness(~~(-)~~);

6 (4) Determining the economic impact of international trade,
7 tourism, and investment upon the state's economy(~~(-)~~);

8 (5) Assessing the need for and effect of federal, regional, and
9 state cooperation in economic development policies and programs(~~(-)~~);

10 (6) Evaluating opportunities to collaborate with public and
11 private agencies in achieving Washington state's international
12 relations objectives;

13 (7) Studying and adopting any state tourism slogan or tagline
14 recommended by the Washington tourism marketing authority established
15 in RCW 43.384.020;

16 (8) Designating official legislative trade delegations and
17 nominating legislators for inclusion in official trade delegations
18 organized by the office of international relations and protocol;

19 (9) Proposing potential sister-state relationships to be
20 submitted to the governor for approval; and

21 (10) Developing and evaluating legislative proposals concerning
22 the issues specified in this section.

23 **Sec. 23.** RCW 28A.300.801 and 2009 c 410 s 1 are each amended to
24 read as follows:

25 (1) The legislative youth advisory council is established to
26 examine issues of importance to youth, including but not limited to
27 education, employment, strategies to increase youth participation in
28 state and municipal government, safe environments for youth,
29 substance abuse, emotional and physical health, foster care, poverty,
30 homelessness, and youth access to services on a statewide and
31 municipal basis.

32 (2) The council consists of at least twenty-two members as
33 provided in this subsection who, at the time of appointment, are aged
34 fourteen to eighteen. The council shall select a chair from among its
35 members.

36 (3) (~~Except for initial members, members~~) Members shall serve
37 two-year terms(~~(7)~~) and, if eligible, may be reappointed for
38 subsequent two-year terms. (~~One-half of the initial members shall be~~

1 ~~appointed to one-year terms, and these appointments shall be made in~~
2 ~~such a way as to preserve overall representation on the committee.))~~

3 (4) (a) ~~((By July 2, 2007, and annually thereafter, students))~~
4 Students may apply annually to be considered for participation in the
5 program by completing an online application form and submitting the
6 application to the legislative youth advisory council. The council
7 may develop selection criteria and an application review process. The
8 council shall recommend candidates whose names will be submitted to
9 the office of the lieutenant governor for final selection.
10 ~~((Beginning May 7, 2009, the))~~ The office of the lieutenant governor
11 shall notify all applicants of the final selections ~~((using existing~~
12 ~~staff and resources))~~.

13 (b) ~~((Within existing staff and resources, the))~~ The office of
14 the lieutenant governor shall make the application available on the
15 lieutenant governor's web site.

16 (5) ~~((If the council has sufficient funds from any source, then))~~
17 Subject to the supervision of the office of the lieutenant governor,
18 the council shall have the following duties:

19 (a) Advising the legislature on proposed and pending legislation,
20 including state budget expenditures and policy matters relating to
21 youth;

22 (b) Advising the standing committees of the legislature and study
23 commissions, committees, and task forces regarding issues relating to
24 youth;

25 (c) Conducting periodic seminars for its members regarding
26 leadership, government, and the legislature;

27 (d) Accepting and soliciting for grants and donations from public
28 and private sources to support the activities of the council; and

29 (e) Reporting annually by December 1st to the legislature on its
30 activities, including proposed legislation that implements
31 recommendations of the council.

32 (6) ~~((If the council has sufficient funds from any source, then~~
33 ~~in))~~ In carrying out its duties under this section, the council
34 ~~((may))~~ must meet at least three times ~~((but not more than six~~
35 ~~times))~~ per year. ~~((The council shall consider conducting at least~~
36 ~~some of the meetings via the K-20 telecommunications network.))~~ The
37 council is encouraged to use technology, such as remote
38 videoconferencing technology, to facilitate members' participation in
39 meetings. The council is encouraged to invite local state legislators
40 to participate in the meetings. The council is encouraged to poll

1 other students in order to get a broad perspective on (~~the~~) various
2 policy issues. The council is encouraged to use technology to conduct
3 (~~the~~) polling(~~, including the council's web site, if the council~~
4 ~~has a web site~~)).

5 (~~If the council has sufficient funds from any source, then~~
6 ~~members shall~~) Members may be reimbursed as provided in RCW
7 43.03.050 and 43.03.060.

8 (~~If sufficient funds are available from any source,~~
9 ~~beginning with May 7, 2009, the~~) The office of (~~superintendent of~~
10 ~~public instruction~~) the lieutenant governor shall provide
11 administration, (~~coordination~~) supervision, and facilitation
12 (~~assistance~~) support to the council. In facilitating the program,
13 the office of the lieutenant governor may collaborate with the
14 Washington state leadership board established in RCW 43.15.030. The
15 senate and house of representatives may provide policy and fiscal
16 briefings and assistance with drafting proposed legislation. The
17 senate and the house of representatives shall each develop internal
18 policies relating to staff assistance provided to the council. Such
19 policies may include applicable internal personnel and practices
20 guidelines, resource use and expense reimbursement guidelines, and
21 applicable ethics mandates. Provision of funds, resources, and staff,
22 as well as the assignment and direction of staff, remains at all
23 times within the sole discretion of the chamber making the provision.

24 (9) The office of the lieutenant governor, (~~the office of the~~
25 ~~superintendent of public instruction,~~) the legislature, any agency
26 of the legislature, and any official or employee of such office or
27 agency are immune from liability for any injury that is incurred by
28 or caused by a member of the legislative youth advisory council and
29 that occurs while the member of the council is performing duties of
30 the council or is otherwise engaged in activities or receiving
31 services for which reimbursement is allowed under subsection (7) of
32 this section. The immunity provided by this subsection does not apply
33 to an injury intentionally caused by the act or omission of an
34 employee or official of the (~~superintendent of public instruction~~
35 ~~or~~) office of the lieutenant governor, the legislature, or any
36 agency of the legislature.

37 **PART III**
38 **MISCELLANEOUS**

1 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 24.** RCW 28A.300.801 is recodified as a
2 section in chapter 43.15 RCW.

3 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 25.** This act takes effect July 1, 2020.

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