

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT  
**ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1357**

67th Legislature  
2022 Regular Session

Passed by the House March 7, 2022  
Yeas 98 Nays 0

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**Speaker of the House of  
Representatives**

Passed by the Senate March 2, 2022  
Yeas 48 Nays 0

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**President of the Senate**

Approved

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**Governor of the State of Washington**

CERTIFICATE

I, Bernard Dean, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1357** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

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**Chief Clerk**

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**Secretary of State  
State of Washington**

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AS AMENDED BY THE SENATE

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**By** House State Government & Tribal Relations (originally sponsored by Representatives Mosbrucker, Gregerson, Chase, and Berry)

READ FIRST TIME 02/15/21.

1 AN ACT Relating to voters' pamphlets for overseas and service  
2 voters; amending RCW 29A.32.260; and creating new sections.

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

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** The legislature finds that service and  
5 overseas voters have the right to vote for their elected officials.  
6 To effectuate this right, service and overseas voters must have  
7 access to the same ballot materials as voters present in the state  
8 with sufficient time to thoughtfully consider candidates and issues  
9 before casting a ballot. Accordingly, the legislature intends to  
10 ensure that voters' pamphlets are available to service and overseas  
11 voters at the same time as the ballot.

12 **Sec. 2.** RCW 29A.32.260 and 2011 c 10 s 30 are each amended to  
13 read as follows:

14 As soon as practicable before the primary, special election, or  
15 general election, the county auditor, or if applicable, the city  
16 clerk of a first-class or code city, as appropriate, shall mail the  
17 local voters' pamphlet to every residence in each jurisdiction that  
18 has included information in the pamphlet. The county auditor or city  
19 clerk, as appropriate, may choose to mail the pamphlet to each  
20 registered voter in each jurisdiction that has included information

1 in the pamphlet, if in his or her judgment, a more economical and  
2 effective distribution of the pamphlet would result. The county  
3 auditor shall either mail or send a printable electronic version of  
4 the state and local voters' pamphlets to any service or overseas  
5 voter registered in the jurisdiction who has requested them.

6 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 3.** If specific funding for the purposes of  
7 this act, referencing this act by bill or chapter number, is not  
8 provided by June 30, 2022, in the omnibus appropriations act, this  
9 act is null and void.

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