CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SENATE BILL 5884

68th Legislature 2024 Regular Session

Passed by the Senate February 1, 2024 Yeas 31 Nays 18

President of the Senate

Passed by the House February 27, 2024 Yeas 58 Nays 36

CERTIFICATE

I, Sarah Bannister, Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SENATE BILL 5884** as passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth.

Secretary

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Approved

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Secretary of State State of Washington

Governor of the State of Washington

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By Senators Trudeau, Pedersen, Dhingra, Hasegawa, Lovelett, Nobles, Saldaña, Salomon, Stanford, and Valdez

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AN ACT Relating to court-ordered restitution in environmental criminal cases; adding a new section to chapter 90.48 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 70A.15 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 70A.300 RCW; and prescribing penalties.

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

6 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 1. A new section is added to chapter 90.48 7 RCW to read as follows:

8 In determining restitution following a criminal conviction under 9 this chapter or chapter 90.56 RCW, the court is authorized to order 10 restitution for harm to natural resources or the environment.

11 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 2. A new section is added to chapter 70A.15 12 RCW to read as follows:

13 In determining restitution following a criminal conviction under 14 this chapter, the court is authorized to order restitution for harm 15 to natural resources or the environment.

16 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 3. A new section is added to chapter 70A.300 17 RCW to read as follows:

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1 In determining restitution following a criminal conviction under 2 this chapter, the court is authorized to order restitution for harm 3 to natural resources or the environment.

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