CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

## SENATE BILL 5913

68th Legislature 2024 Regular Session

Passed by the Senate January 31, 2024 Yeas 47 Nays 1

President of the Senate

Passed by the House February 27, 2024 Yeas 92 Nays 2

## CERTIFICATE

I, Sarah Bannister, Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SENATE BILL 5913** 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 Valdez, MacEwen, Hunt, and Nobles

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1 AN ACT Relating to communication between employees of state 2 institutions of higher education and student athletes regarding name, 3 image, and likeness use; and adding a new section to chapter 42.52 4 RCW.

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 42.52 7 RCW to read as follows:

8 This chapter does not prohibit the use of public resources, 9 including but not limited to the use of personnel, money, and property, by an employee of a state institution of higher education 10 11 to benefit any student athlete in the advising, facilitation, 12 acknowledgment, or education related to a matter involving the name 13 image and likeness of such a student athlete or group of student 14 athletes, or in relation to student athlete name image and likeness matters generally, so long as such resources are under the control or 15 16 direction of such an employee. Any use of public resources must 17 adhere to the rules established by the national, nonprofit member 18 organization responsible for oversight of college sports at state 19 institutions of higher education.

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