

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL 1461

69th Legislature
2025 Regular Session

Passed by the House March 4, 2025
Yeas 97 Nays 0

**Speaker of the House of
Representatives**

Passed by the Senate April 5, 2025
Yeas 48 Nays 0

President of the Senate

Approved

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 HOUSE BILL 1461** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

Chief Clerk

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**Secretary of State
State of Washington**

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By Representatives Stearns and Barnard

Read first time 01/21/25. Referred to Committee on Environment & Energy.

1 AN ACT Relating to contracts for materials or work required by
2 joint operating agencies; and amending RCW 43.52.560.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 43.52.560 and 2015 c 73 s 1 are each amended to read
5 as follows:

6 Except as provided otherwise in this chapter, a joint operating
7 agency shall purchase any item or items of materials, equipment, or
8 supplies, the estimated cost of which is more than (~~fifteen thousand~~
9 ~~dollars~~) \$30,000 exclusive of sales tax, or order work for
10 construction of generating projects and associated facilities, the
11 estimated cost of which is more than (~~twenty-five thousand dollars~~)
12 \$150,000 exclusive of sales tax if more than a single craft or trade
13 is involved, or \$75,500 exclusive of sales tax if only a single craft
14 or trade is involved, by contract in accordance with RCW 54.04.070
15 and 54.04.080, which require sealed bids for contracts.

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