

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

**SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 2070**

53rd Legislature  
1993 Regular Session

Passed by the House April 25, 1993  
Yeas 95 Nays 2

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**Speaker of the  
House of Representatives**

Passed by the Senate April 24, 1993  
Yeas 31 Nays 14

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**President of the Senate**

Approved

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**Governor of the State of Washington**

CERTIFICATE

I, Alan Thompson, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 2070** 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 Committee on Human Services (originally sponsored by Representatives Patterson, Leonard, Brough, Shin and Karahalios)

Read first time 03/18/93.

1            AN ACT Relating to financial responsibility for juvenile offenders;  
2 and amending RCW 13.40.220.

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

4            **Sec. 1.** RCW 13.40.220 and 1977 ex.s. c 291 s 76 are each amended  
5 to read as follows:

6            (1) Whenever legal custody of a child is vested in someone other  
7 than his or her parents, after due notice to the parents or other  
8 persons legally obligated to care for and support the child, and after  
9 a hearing, the court may order and decree that the parent or other  
10 legally obligated person shall pay in such a manner as the court may  
11 direct a reasonable sum representing in whole or in part the costs of  
12 support, treatment, and confinement of the child after the decree is  
13 entered.

14            (2) Whenever legal custody of a child is vested in the department  
15 of social and health services, after due notice to the parents or other  
16 persons legally obligated to care for and support the child, and after  
17 a hearing, the court shall order and decree that the parent or other  
18 legally obligated person shall pay for support, treatment, and  
19 confinement of the child after the decree is entered, following the

1 department of social and health services reimbursement of cost  
2 schedule. The department of social and health services shall collect  
3 the debt in accordance with chapter 43.20B RCW. The department shall  
4 exempt from payment parents receiving adoption support under RCW  
5 74.13.100 through 74.13.145, and parents eligible to receive adoption  
6 support under RCW 74.13.150.

7 (3) If the parent or other legally obligated person willfully fails  
8 or refuses to pay such sum, the court may proceed against such person  
9 for contempt.

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