

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

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**Speaker of the
House of Representatives**

Approved

CERTIFICATE

I, Marty Brown, Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 6278** as passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth.

Secretary

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Governor of the State of Washington

**Secretary of State
State of Washington**

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AS RECOMMENDED BY CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

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By Senate Committee on Government Operations (originally sponsored by Senators Gaspard, Haugen, Fraser and M. Rasmussen)

Read first time 02/01/94.

1 AN ACT Relating to public facilities; reenacting and amending RCW
2 67.28.210; and creating a new section.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 67.28.210 and 1993 c 197 s 1 and 1993 c 46 s 1 are
5 each reenacted and amended to read as follows:

6 All taxes levied and collected under RCW 67.28.180, 67.28.240, and
7 67.28.260 shall be credited to a special fund in the treasury of the
8 county or city imposing such tax. Such taxes shall be levied only for
9 the purpose of paying all or any part of the cost of acquisition,
10 construction, or operating of stadium facilities, convention center
11 facilities, performing arts center facilities, and/or visual arts
12 center facilities or to pay or secure the payment of all or any portion
13 of general obligation bonds or revenue bonds issued for such purpose or
14 purposes under this chapter, or to pay for advertising, publicizing, or
15 otherwise distributing information for the purpose of attracting
16 visitors and encouraging tourist expansion when a county or city has
17 imposed such tax for such purpose, or as one of the purposes hereunder,
18 and until withdrawn for use, the moneys accumulated in such fund or
19 funds may be invested in interest bearing securities by the county or

1 city treasurer in any manner authorized by law. In addition such taxes
2 may be used to develop strategies to expand tourism: PROVIDED, That
3 any county, and any city within a county, bordering upon Grays Harbor
4 may use the proceeds of such taxes for construction and maintenance of
5 a movable tall ships tourist attraction in cooperation with a tall
6 ships restoration society, except to the extent that such proceeds are
7 used for payment of principal and interest on debt incurred prior to
8 June 11, 1986: PROVIDED FURTHER, That any city or county may use the
9 proceeds of such taxes for the refurbishing and operation of a steam
10 railway for tourism promotion purposes: PROVIDED FURTHER, That any
11 city bordering on the Pacific Ocean or on Baker Bay with a population
12 of not less than (~~one thousand~~) eight hundred and the county in which
13 such a city is located may use the proceeds of such taxes for funding
14 special events or festivals, or promotional infrastructures including
15 but not limited to an ocean beach boardwalk: PROVIDED FURTHER, That
16 any county which imposes a tax under RCW 67.28.182 or any city with a
17 population less than fifty thousand in such county may use the proceeds
18 of the tax levied and collected under RCW 67.28.180 to provide public
19 restroom facilities available to and intended for use by visitors:
20 PROVIDED FURTHER, That any county made up entirely of islands, (~~city~~
21 ~~or town, if the~~) and any city or town that has a population less than
22 five thousand, may use the proceeds of the tax levied and collected
23 under RCW 67.28.180 to provide public restroom facilities available to
24 and intended for use by visitors.

25 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** Any county that commenced use of the
26 proceeds of the tax levied and collected under RCW 67.28.180 to provide
27 public restroom facilities, prior to March 10, 1994, may continue to
28 use such proceeds until the facilities are completed or December 31,
29 1995, whichever date is earlier.

30 This section expires January 1, 1996.

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