

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

**HOUSE BILL 1572**

58th Legislature  
2004 Regular Session

Passed by the House February 6, 2004  
Yeas 97 Nays 0

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**Speaker of the House of Representatives**

Passed by the Senate March 4, 2004  
Yeas 47 Nays 0

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**President of the Senate**

Approved

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**Governor of the State of Washington**

CERTIFICATE

I, Richard Nafziger, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **HOUSE BILL 1572** 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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By Representatives Kirby, Newhouse, Moeller, Campbell, Fromhold,  
Hinkle and Condotta

Read first time 01/30/2003. Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

1            AN ACT Relating to failure to pay small claims judgments; and  
2 amending RCW 12.40.105.

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

4            **Sec. 1.** RCW 12.40.105 and 1998 c 52 s 5 are each amended to read  
5 as follows:

6            If the losing party fails to pay the judgment within thirty days or  
7 within the period otherwise ordered by the court, the judgment shall be  
8 increased by: (1) An amount sufficient to cover costs of certification  
9 of the judgment under RCW 12.40.110; ~~((and))~~ (2) the amount specified  
10 in RCW 36.18.012(2); and (3) any other costs incurred by the prevailing  
11 party to enforce the judgment, including but not limited to reasonable  
12 attorneys' fees, without regard to the jurisdictional limits on the  
13 small claims department.

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