

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

**ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL 2968**

58th Legislature  
2004 Regular Session

Passed by the House February 17, 2004  
Yeas 96 Nays 0

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**Speaker of the House of Representatives**

Passed by the Senate March 11, 2004  
Yeas 49 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 **ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL 2968** 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 Linville, Quall and Rockefeller

Read first time 01/26/2004. Referred to Committee on Finance.

1            AN ACT Relating to excise tax deductions for governmental payments  
2 to nonprofit organizations for salmon restoration; adding a new section  
3 to chapter 82.04 RCW; and declaring an emergency.

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

5            NEW SECTION.    **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 82.04 RCW  
6 to read as follows:

7            In computing tax there may be deducted from the measure of tax  
8 amounts received by a nonprofit organization from the United States or  
9 any instrumentality thereof or from the state of Washington or any  
10 municipal corporation or political subdivision thereof as grants to  
11 support salmon restoration purposes. For the purposes of this section,  
12 "nonprofit organization" has the same meaning as in RCW 82.04.3651.

13            NEW SECTION.    **Sec. 2.** This act is necessary for the immediate  
14 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the  
15 state government and its existing public institutions, and takes effect  
16 immediately.

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