

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT
SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5995

58th Legislature
2003 Regular Session

Passed by the Senate April 22, 2003
YEAS 47 NAYS 0

President of the Senate

Passed by the House April 16, 2003
YEAS 97 NAYS 0

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Approved

Governor of the State of Washington

CERTIFICATE

I, Milton H. Doumit, Jr.,
Secretary of the Senate of the
State of Washington, do hereby
certify that the attached is
SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5995 as
passed by the Senate and the House
of Representatives on the dates
hereon set forth.

Secretary

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**Secretary of State
State of Washington**

SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5995

AS AMENDED BY THE HOUSE

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By Senate Committee on Commerce & Trade (originally sponsored by
Senators Honeyford and Keiser)

READ FIRST TIME 03/05/03.

1 AN ACT Relating to collective bargaining agreements in the
2 construction trades concerning meal and rest periods; and amending RCW
3 49.12.187.

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

5 **Sec. 1.** RCW 49.12.187 and 1973 2nd ex.s. c 16 s 18 are each
6 amended to read as follows:

7 This chapter shall not be construed to interfere with, impede, or
8 in any way diminish the right of employees to bargain collectively with
9 their employers through representatives of their own choosing
10 concerning wages or standards or conditions of employment. However,
11 rules adopted under this chapter regarding appropriate rest and meal
12 periods as applied to employees in the construction trades may be
13 superseded by a collective bargaining agreement negotiated under the
14 national labor relations act, 29 U.S.C. Sec. 151 et seq., if the terms
15 of the collective bargaining agreement covering such employees
16 specifically require rest and meal periods and prescribe requirements
17 concerning those rest and meal periods.

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