CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 6428

58th Legislature 2004 Regular Session

Passed by the Senate March 8, 2004 CERTIFICATE YEAS 49 NAYS 0 I, Milton н. Doumit, Jr., Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is President of the Senate SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 6428 as passed by the Senate and the House Passed by the House March 3, 2004 YEAS 96 NAYS 0 of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth. Speaker of the House of Representatives Secretary Approved FILED Secretary of State State of Washington Governor of the State of Washington

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AS AMENDED BY THE HOUSE

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By Senate Committee on Commerce & Trade (originally sponsored by Senator Honeyford)

READ FIRST TIME 02/05/04.

- 1 AN ACT Relating to the role of the department of labor and
- 2 industries in regards to health care providers; and adding a new
- 3 section to chapter 51.52 RCW.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 5 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 51.52 RCW 6 to read as follows:
- When a provider files with the board an appeal from an order
- 8 terminating the provider's authority to provide services related to the
- 9 treatment of industrially injured workers, the department may petition
- 10 the board for an order immediately suspending the provider's
- 11 eligibility to participate as a provider of services to industrially
- 12 injured workers under this title pending the final disposition of the
- 13 appeal by the board. The board shall grant the petition if it
- 14 determines that there is good cause to believe that workers covered
- 15 under this title may suffer serious physical or mental harm if the
- 16 petition is not granted. The board shall expedite the hearing of the
- 17 department's petition under this section.

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