

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

HOUSE BILL 1341

60th Legislature
2007 Regular Session

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Yeas 90 Nays 0

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Passed by the Senate April 10, 2007
Yeas 48 Nays 0

President of the Senate

Approved

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 1341** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

Chief Clerk

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**Secretary of State
State of Washington**

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By Representatives Simpson, Curtis, Ericks and Alexander

Read first time 01/17/2007. Referred to Committee on Local Government.

1 AN ACT Relating to limiting the regulation of the practice of
2 massage by political subdivisions; amending RCW 18.108.210; creating a
3 new section; and repealing RCW 18.108.100.

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

5 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** The legislature finds that licensed massage
6 practitioners should be treated the same as other health professionals
7 under Title 18 RCW and that additional registrations or licenses
8 regulating massage or massage practitioners are not authorized.

9 **Sec. 2.** RCW 18.108.210 and 1975 1st ex.s. c 280 s 22 are each
10 amended to read as follows:

11 (~~The provisions of this chapter relating to the registration and~~
12 ~~licensing of any massage business shall not be exclusive and any~~
13 ~~political subdivision of the state of Washington within whose~~
14 ~~jurisdiction the massage business is located may require any~~
15 ~~registrations or licenses, or charge any fee for the same or similar~~
16 ~~purpose; and nothing herein shall)) Nothing in this chapter limits or
17 abridges the authority of any political subdivision to levy and collect~~

1 a general and nondiscriminatory license fee levied upon all businesses,
2 or to levy a tax based upon gross business conducted by any firm within
3 said political subdivision.

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 3.** RCW 18.108.100 (Provisions relating to
5 licensing of persons nonexclusive) and 1975 1st ex.s. c 280 s 11 are
6 each repealed.

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