

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 7005

68th Legislature
2023 1st Special Session

Passed by the Senate October 20, 2023
Yeas 0 Nays 0

President of the Senate

Passed by the House October 20, 2023
Yeas 0 Nays 0

**Speaker of the House of
Representatives**

Approved

Governor of the State of Washington

CERTIFICATE

I, Sarah Bannister, Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 7005** 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**

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By Senate Agriculture, Water, Natural Resources & Parks (originally sponsored by Senator Bateman; by request of Board For Judicial Administration)

1 AN ACT Relating to ; and amending RCW 36.24.050.

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

3 **Sec. 1.** RCW 36.24.050 and 1987 c 202 s 203 are each amended to
4 read as follows:

5 The coroner may issue subpoenas for witnesses returnable
6 forthwith or at such time and place as the coroner may appoint, which
7 may be served by any competent person. The coroner must summon and
8 examine as witnesses, on oath administered by the coroner, every
9 person, who, in his or her opinion or that of any of the jury, has
10 any knowledge of the facts. A witness (~~served~~) serveded with a
11 subpoena may be compelled to attend and testify, or be punished by
12 the coroner for disobedience, in like manner as upon a subpoena
13 issued by a district judge. Testing engrossing a Bill

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