

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT
SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5235

Chapter 62, Laws of 2017

65th Legislature
2017 Regular Session

CEMETERY DISTRICTS--WITHDRAWAL OF TERRITORY

EFFECTIVE DATE: 7/23/2017

Passed by the Senate March 3, 2017
Yeas 47 Nays 0

CYRUS HABIB

President of the Senate

Passed by the House April 7, 2017
Yeas 96 Nays 0

FRANK CHOPP

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Approved April 19, 2017 11:27 AM

JAY INSLEE

Governor of the State of Washington

CERTIFICATE

I, Hunter G. Goodman, Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5235** as passed by Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth.

HUNTER G. GOODMAN

Secretary

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April 19, 2017

**Secretary of State
State of Washington**

SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5235

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By Senate Local Government (originally sponsored by Senator Takko)

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1 AN ACT Relating to withdrawing territory from a cemetery
2 district; and adding a new section to chapter 68.54 RCW.

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

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 68.54
5 RCW to read as follows:

6 Territory within a cemetery district may be withdrawn from the
7 district in the same manner provided by law for withdrawal of
8 territory from water-sewer districts, as provided by chapter 57.28
9 RCW, except that no territory within a cemetery district may be
10 withdrawn unless a special election is held and a majority of votes
11 cast by qualified voters residing within the district approve the
12 withdrawal. Agreement between the district board of commissioners and
13 the county legislative authority on the findings of fact under RCW
14 57.28.080 does not preclude an election under this section.

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