

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SENATE BILL 5011

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64th Legislature
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HEALTH CARE INFORMATION--THIRD-PARTY PAYORS

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Yeas 46 Nays 1

BRAD OWEN

President of the Senate

Passed by the House April 13, 2015
Yeas 96 Nays 1

FRANK CHOPP

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Approved May 18, 2015 2:01 PM

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 **SENATE BILL 5011** as passed by Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth.

HUNTER G. GOODMAN

Secretary

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**Secretary of State
State of Washington**

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AS AMENDED BY THE HOUSE

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By Senators Becker, Cleveland, Frockt, and Keiser

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1 AN ACT Relating to third-party payor release of health care
2 information; amending RCW 70.02.045; and declaring an emergency.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 70.02.045 and 2014 c 223 s 18 are each amended to
5 read as follows:

6 Third-party payors shall not release health care information
7 disclosed under this chapter, except as required by chapter 43.371
8 RCW and to the extent that health care providers are authorized to do
9 so under RCW 70.02.050, 70.02.200, and 70.02.210.

10 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** This act is necessary for the immediate
11 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of
12 the state government and its existing public institutions, and takes
13 effect immediately.

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