

FROM: AGRICULTURE
(Name of Agency)

TO: CODE REVISER
LEGISLATIVE BLDG. (Southwest Corner, Ground Floor)
OLYMPIA 98504

The enclosed rules Permanent rules , being Order No. 1498
Emergency rules

relating to (Name of rules or description of subject matter)

general seed certification standards

(ALTERNATIVE A. Use only for adoption of permanent rules)

pursuant to Notice No. 7441 ^① filed with the code reviser
on March 4, 1977 ^② were regularly adopted as permanent rules of
(date)
this agency at Olympia on 3/31/77 and are herewith
(place) (date)
filed in the office of the code reviser pursuant to chapter 34.04
RCW. The effective date of such rules shall be April 30, 1977. ^③

(ALTERNATIVE B. Use only for adoption of emergency rules)

pursuant to its finding in the attached administrative order,
that the immediate adoption of these rules is necessary for the
preservation of the public health, safety, or general welfare and
that observance of the requirements of notice and opportunity to
present views on the proposed action would be contrary to the
public interest, were regularly adopted as emergency rules of this
agency at _____ on _____ and
(place) (date)
are herewith filed in the office of the code reviser pursuant to
chapter 34.04 RCW.

The undersigned hereby certifies that the requirements of chapter
34.04 RCW and of the Open Public Meetings Act of 1971, chapter
42.30 RCW have been fulfilled.

Dated this thirty-first day of March 1977.

STATE OF WASHINGTON

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(AGENCY)

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By Ivan Packard

Deputy Director

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CODE REVISER'S OFFICE
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- ① Notice number as appears on the copy of notice returned to you by reviser's office (if proceedings were continued, use no. of last notice)
② Stamped date as appears on the copy of notice returned to you by reviser's office (if proceedings were continued, use date of last notice)
③ Unless a later date is specified in this order or is prescribed in another statute, rules are effective 30 days after filing:
RCW 34.04.040. Leave this space blank except in such special cases.
[Order 9, filed 9/25/74, eff. 10/25/74] [Form CR-2: Rev. 9/21/74]

STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 1498

(1) I, GARY STROHMAIER, Director, Department of Agriculture of the State of Washington, by virtue of the authority vested in me under chapters 34.04 RCW, and 15.49 RCW after due notice and after carefully and fully considering the oral and written views of the public received in a meeting open to the public held in the Department of Agriculture Conference Room, 2015 South First Street, Yakima, Washington on March 24, 1977

as required by chapters 34.04 and 42.30 RCW, do promulgate and adopt the annexed rules and regulations, to wit:

ADD WAC 16-316-196 and WAC 16-316-197 to chapter 15.49 RCW relating to off-type and fee responsibility for general seed certification standards.

as permanent rules of this agency.

(2) This order after being first recorded in the order register of this agency shall be forwarded to the Code Reviser for filing pursuant to chapter 34.04 RCW and chapter 1-12 WAC.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED March 31 1977

By Gary F. Strohmaier
Gary Strohmaier

DIRECTOR
Title

NEW WAC 16-316-196 OFF-TYPE. The term "off-type" means a plant or seed which deviates in one or more characteristics from that which has been described as being usual for the strain or variety.

NEW WAC 16-316-197 FEE RESPONSIBILITY. The processor shall be responsible for sampling, testing, production and final certification fees, and may request the responsibility for additional fees.