

**WAC 434-335-160 Modification of certified equipment, guidelines for administrative approval.** The secretary of state may approve an application for modification of certified equipment administratively if the modification does not:

- (1) Materially affect the lawful conduct, accuracy, efficiency, capacity or security of elections;
- (2) Materially and adversely affect the convenience to the voter of the elections process; or
- (3) Otherwise result in significant modification to existing procedures used in Washington by extending the equipment's functionality.

A modification approved administratively does not require examination or review by the voting systems review board.

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