

**WAC 296-200A-050 What requirements must be met if a contractor changes its business structure, name or address?** (1) If a contractor changes its business structure (for example, from a partnership to a corporation or if the partners in a partnership change), the contractor must:

- (a) Apply for a new registration as required in WAC 296-200A-025; and
  - (b) Pay the registration fee shown in WAC 296-200A-900.
- (2) Failure to reregister after a change in business structure may invalidate the contractor's registration. See RCW 18.27.040.
- (3) If a registered contractor changes its name, it must:
- (a) Notify the department, in writing, of the change; and
  - (b) Pay the registration fee shown in WAC 296-200A-900; and
  - (c) Submit to the department a name change rider **or** a new bond in the new name and a certificate of insurance in the new name.
- (4) If a registered contractor changes its address, it must notify the department in writing.

[Statutory Authority: Chapter 18.27 RCW. WSR 97-24-071, § 296-200A-050, filed 12/2/97, effective 1/5/98.]