

**WAC 463-50-050 Basis for compensation.** The basis for compensation to be specified in contracts with independent consultants shall generally be as follows:

(1) For applications for site certification, where the total scope and/or volume of work is variable and acts to prevent advance determination of total project cost, the consultant shall be compensated on the basis of actual cost plus a net fee for profit;

(2) For potential site studies, where the total scope and/or volume of work to be performed can be specified in advance, the consultant shall be compensated on the basis of a lump sum payment.

All payments to independent consultants shall be subject to audit.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 80.50.040 (1) and (12). WSR 04-21-013, § 463-50-050, filed 10/11/04, effective 11/11/04; Order 110, § 463-50-050, filed 11/16/76.]