

State of Washington

Department of Agriculture

(agency name)

Administrative Order No. 1567

(1) I, Bob J. Mickelson, director of the Department of Agriculture

do promulgate and adopt at Olympia, Washington (place) the annexed rules relating to:

WAC 16-316-740 of Chapter 16-316, Title 16 relating to procedure for interagency seed certification.

(2) ALTERNATIVE A. Use only for Adoption of Permanent Rules. & 2/21/78

This action is taken pursuant to Notice No. 7967 and 78-03-041 filed with the code reviser on 12/30/77. Such rules shall take effect:

X pursuant to RCW 34.04.040(2) at a later date, such date being April 1, 1978

(2) ALTERNATIVE B. Use only for Adoption of Emergency Rules.

I, find that an emergency exists and that the foregoing order 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 public interest. A statement of the facts constituting such emergency is:

Such rules are therefore adopted as emergency rules to take effect upon filing with the code reviser.

(3) Pursuant to the requirements of RCW 34.04. (1977 c 19 § 2) that "every agency shall incorporate the most specific, but in no case omit all, of the following language alternatives when adopting or amending rules" (fill in statement (a), (b), or (c) as appropriate):

X (a) This rule is promulgated pursuant to RCW 15.49 and is intended to administratively implement that statute.

(b) This rule is promulgated pursuant to RCW which directs that the

(agency)

has authority to implement the provisions of

(name of act or RCW citation)

(c) This rule is promulgated under the general rule-making authority of the

(agency)

as authorized in RCW

(4) The undersigned hereby declares that he has complied with the provisions of the Open Public Meetings Act (chapter 42.30 RCW), the Administrative Procedure Act (chapter 34.04 RCW) or the Higher Education Administrative Procedure Act (chapter 28B.19 RCW), as appropriate, and the State Register Act (chapter 34.08 RCW).

(5) This order after being first recorded in the order register of this agency is herewith transmitted to the Code Reviser for filing pursuant to chapter 34.04 RCW and chapter 1-12 WAC.

APPROVED AND DATED this March 1, 1978.

STATE OF WASHINGTON FILED

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By Bob J. Mickelson Director of Agriculture

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AMENDATORY SECTION (Order 1465, filed 5/13/76)

WAC 16-316-740 PROCEDURE FOR ALL OTHER KINDS. (1) Seed produced in Washington, being shipped out-of-state for processing, must comply with the following procedures:

(a) Obtain approval of all certifying agencies involved prior to shipment.

(i) Complete section (A) of "Interagency Certified Seed" report (forms available from Seed Branch, 2015 S. 1st Street, Yakima, Washington 98903) showing name, address of shipper, destination, shipping weight, lot number, grower, field number, date of shipment and other information concerning shipment that may be deemed necessary; and prior to shipment submit one copy to the Seed Branch, Yakima and one copy to the certifying agency where seed is being processed.

(ii) Each container must be clearly marked with lot number and Washington field number.

(2) Upon completion of processing, complete sections (B) and (C) of "Interagency Certified Seed" report showing date shipment was received, receiving weight and lot number, clean weight, bag count, new lot number (if different than receiving lot number) and screenings weight and submit completed report to Seed Branch, Yakima.

(a) If Washington is to finalize certification, have official sample drawn by a representative of the certifying agency in that state and submit sample to Seed Branch, 2015 S. 1st Street, Yakima, Washington 98903.

(i) If Washington certification tags are to be used, the lot must be tagged and sealed (~~((by-a-Washington-inspector))~~) under supervision of the certifying agency. The applicant must pay established mileage fee and hourly rate for all additional mileage and travel time required.

(ii) If Washington interagency tags are used, interagency tags will be mailed to the nearest representative of the certifying agency having jurisdiction for tagging.

(b) If receiving state is to finalize certification, Washington certifying agency must advise receiving state's certifying agency of certification eligibility. Sampling, testing, and tagging will be in accordance with that agency's instructions.

(c) Applicant is responsible for all fees authorized under Washington's certification program and any additional fees that may be assessed by both agencies involved.

