

State of Washington

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

(agency name)

Administrative Order No. 1720

(1) I. M. Keith Ellis, director of

do promulgate and adopt at Olympia, Washington (place)

the annexed rules relating to Making new sections WAC 16-608-001, 16-608-010, and 16-608-020 for the purpose of providing regulations for special livestock sales for other than public livestock markets.

(2) ALTERNATIVE A. Use only for Adoption of Permanent Rules.

This action is taken pursuant to Notice No. filed with the code reviser on 12-24-80. Such rules shall take effect WSR 81-01-113

- X pursuant to RCW 34.04.040(2).
at a later date, such date being

(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):

(a) This rule is promulgated pursuant to RCW 16.65 and is intended to administratively implement that statute.

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

has authority to implement the provisions of (agency)

(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.

STATE OF WASHINGTON

APPROVED AND ADOPTED February 9 19 81

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By M. Keith Ellis Director

Title

CODE REVISER'S OFFICE WSR 81-05-010

CHAPTER 16-608 WAC
SPECIAL LIVESTOCK SALES

WAC

- 16-608-001 Definitions.
- 16-608-010 Special Permits.
- 16-608-020 Membership.

NEW SECTION

WAC 16-608-001 DEFINITIONS. For the purpose of these regulations:

- (1) "Farmers cooperative association" means any properly incorporated cooperative association whose membership is made up of livestock producers.
- (2) "Association of livestock breeders" means any properly incorporated association whose membership is made up of livestock breeders

In addition, all definitions contained in RCW 16.65.010 shall apply.

NEW SECTION

WAC 16-608-010 SPECIAL PERMITS. Any farmers cooperative association or association of livestock breeders, or farmer selling his own livestock on his own premises by auction or any other method, who is requesting the approval of the director for a special sale, shall make such request in writing at least fifteen days prior to such proposed sale date and such sale date shall be approved subject to the discretion of the director.

NEW SECTION

WAC 16-608-020 MEMBERSHIP. For the purpose of assuring that any sale proposed by a farmers cooperative association or association of livestock breeders is limited to the sale of their own livestock, any such association may be required to verify to the director that any person offering livestock for sale in such special sale was a member of the association at the time of the filing of any consignment application, contract or commitment.