

State of Washington

(name of governing body)

Washington Tree Fruit Research Commssion

(agency name, if applicable)

Resolution No. 7

Administrative Order No. 7

(1) Be it resolved by the Washington Tree Fruit Research Commission acting at Federal - State Agricultural Service Center, 2015 First St., Yakima (place)

that it does adopt the annexed rules relating to:

WAC 16-560-06001

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

This action is taken pursuant to Notice No. 85-02-054 filed with the code reviser on Jan. 2, 1985. These rules shall take effect: [X] thirty days after they are filed with the code reviser pursuant to RCW 34.04.040(2). [ ] at a later date, such date being

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

We, find that an emergency exists and that this 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 the emergency is:

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

(3) Pursuant to the requirements of RCW 34.04.026 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 15.26.155 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 the agency has complied with the provisions of the Open Public Meetings Act (chapter 42.30 RCW), the Administrative Procedure Act (chapter 34.04 RCW), and the State Register Act (chapter 34.08 RCW) in the adoption of these rules.

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

APPROVED AND ADOPTED February 13, 19 85

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By George Ing Chairman

CODE REVISER'S OFFICE WSR 85-10-005

Title

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending Order 6, Resolution 6, filed 5/1/80)

WAC 16-560-06001 ASSESSMENT RATES. There is hereby levied on all commercial tree fruit produced in this state or held out as being produced in this state for fresh or processing use, an assessment of twenty-five cents per ton on all such tree fruit: PROVIDED, That such assessment for cherries shall be two dollars per ton: PROVIDED FURTHER, That such assessment for apples for fresh shipment shall be at the rate of one and one-quarter cents per hundred pounds gross billing weight.

There is hereby established pursuant to RCW 15.26.155 an additional assessment for an industry services fund for programs related to sanitation, planting, production, harvesting, handling, processing and shipping. The assessment shall be set annually by the commission, upon approval of two-thirds of the voting members of the commission, to create and maintain this fund at or near one hundred thousand dollars. If this fund should inadvertently exceed one hundred thousand dollars due to larger crops than estimated or the addition of interest earned, the excess shall be credited to the following year's fund.

In consideration of maintaining this industry services fund, the commission shall annually consult with the affected industry and grower organizations.