

TRANSMITTAL OF RULES ADOPT.

FROM: State Board for Community College Education
(Name of Agency)

TO: CODE REVISER
LEGISLATIVE BLDG. (Southwest Corner, Ground Floor)
OLYMPIA 98504

The enclosed rules Permanent rules , being Order No. 32
Emergency rules

relating to (Name of rules or description of subject matter)
rules concerning State Board staff participation in political activities.

(ALTERNATIVE A. Use only for adoption of permanent rules)

pursuant to Notice No. 4964 ① filed with the code reviser
on 11/20/74 ② were regularly adopted as permanent rules of
(date)
this agency at Sea-Tac Hilton, Seattle on 12/11/74 and are herewith
(place) (date)
filed in the office of the code reviser pursuant to chapter 34.04
RCW. The effective date of such rules shall be _____ ③

(ALTERNATIVE B. Use only for adoption of emergency rules)

pursuant to its finding in the attached administrative order,
that the immediate adoption of these rules 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 the
public interest, were regularly adopted as emergency rules of this
agency at _____ on _____ and
(place) (date)
are herewith filed in the office of the code reviser pursuant to
chapter 34.04 RCW.

The undersigned hereby certifies that the requirements of chapter
34.04 RCW and of the Open Public Meetings Act of 1971, chapter
42.30 RCW have been fulfilled.

Dated this 11th day of December 1974.

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State Board for Community College Education
(AGENCY)
[Signature]
By _____
Assistant Director
Title _____

- ① Notice number as appears on the copy of notice returned to you by reviser's office (if proceedings were continued, use no. of last notice)
- ② Stamped date as appears on the copy of notice returned to you by reviser's office (if proceedings were continued, use date of last notice)
- ③ Unless a later date is specified in this order or is prescribed in another statute, rules are effective 30 days after filing:
RCW 34.04.040. Leave this space blank except in such special cases.

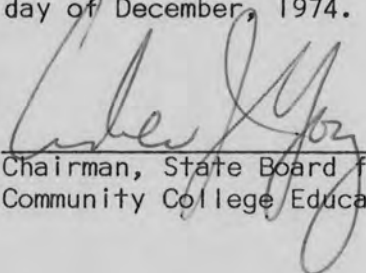
STATE OF WASHINGTON
STATE BOARD FOR COMMUNITY COLLEGE EDUCATION
ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 32
SBCCE ORDER REGISTER

A resolution relating to the rules concerning State Board staff participation in political activities.

BE IT RESOLVED by the State Board for Community College Education that the WAC regulations relating to political activity, attached hereto and made a part hereof, are hereby approved and adopted as permanent rules of the State Board for Community College Education.

This resolution and the annexed regulation, after being first recorded as an administrative order in the order register of the State Board for Community College Education, shall be forwarded to the Code Reviser for filing as a permanent rule pursuant to RCW 34.04 and WAC 1-12-050.

Approved and adopted this 11th day of December, 1974.



Chairman, State Board for
Community College Education

WAC CHAPTER 131-40
EMPLOYEE PARTICIPATION IN POLITICAL ACTIVITIES

WAC 131-40-010 POLITICAL ACTIVITIES OF STATE BOARD STAFF. In the belief that citizen involvement in public affairs is basic to the effective functioning of government at all levels, it shall be the general policy of the State Board for Community College Education to encourage the participation of employees of the office of the State Board in public affairs and the full exercise of their privileges and duties as citizens.

The purpose of the following provisions is to provide guidance to employees of the State Board so that they may engage in political activity in a manner consistent with the policies of other state agencies, the laws of the State of Washington, and the United States Code sections covering political activity of state employees engaged in activities funded in whole or in part by federal funds. Both classified and exempt employees shall be governed by these provisions.

(1) Solicitation for any partisan political purpose or any compulsory assessment or involuntary contribution is prohibited on state property.

(2) Employees shall have the right to vote and to express their opinions on all political subjects and candidates.

(3) Nothing in this section shall prohibit appointment, nomination or election or part-time public office in a political sub-division of the state when the holding of such office is not incompatible with, nor substantially interferes with, the discharge of official duties in state employment.

(4) Nothing in this section shall prohibit appointment, nomination or election to public office at the federal level, provided that upon such appointment or election to a full-time position the employee shall resign his State Board position without claim of reinstatement and provided further that the requirements of the Hatch Act are met.

(5) The rules and regulations of the United States Civil Service Commission that pertain to political activities shall apply to any person employed through or otherwise engaged in the administration or operation of federal grant programs.