WSR 23-04-068 PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY BOARD OF ACCOUNTANCY [Filed January 30, 2023, 11:43 a.m.]

Subject of Possible Rule Making: WAC 4-30-022 What is the board's meeting schedule and how are officers elected?

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 18.04.055.

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: The intent of this rule change is to provide guidance for resignations, vacancies, and removal of board officers. Other Federal and State Agencies that Regulate this Subject and

Other Federal and State Agencies that Regulate this Subject and the Process Coordinating the Rule with These Agencies: None.

Process for Developing New Rule: Agency study.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication by contacting Kirsten Donovan, Rules Coordinator, Washington State Board of Accountancy, P.O. Box 9131, Olympia, WA 98507-9131, phone 360-664-9191, fax 360-664-9190, TTY 1-800-833-6388, email Kirsten.donovan@acb.wa.gov, website https://acb.wa.gov/.

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