WSR 24-03-142 PROPOSED RULES DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

[Order 23-16—Filed January 23, 2024, 1:56 p.m.]

Original Notice.

Preproposal statement of inquiry was filed as WSR 23-21-087 on October 17, 2023.

Title of Rule and Other Identifying Information: The department of fish and wildlife (department) is amending several regulations in WAC chapters that affect harvesting clams, mussels, and oysters for personal use and include WAC 220-330-110 Clams other than razor clams, and mussels—Areas and seasons and 220-330-140 Oysters—Areas and seasons.

Hearing Location(s): On February 27, 2024, at 5:30 p.m., via Zoom webinar. Register in advance for this webinar https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN Ak1UJmC4RGqunwoFTGufZA.

Date of Intended Adoption: On or after February 28, 2024.

Submit Written Comments to: Rules Coordinator, P.O. Box 43152 Olympia, WA 98502, email 2024clamandoyster@publicinput.com, comment by phone 855-925-2801, project code 5739, or go to https:// publicinput.com/2024clamandoyster, by February 27, 2024.

Assistance for Persons with Disabilities: Contact title VI/ADA compliance coordinator, phone 360-902-2349, TTY 1-800-833-6388 or 711, email Title6@dfw.wa.gov, by February 21, 2024.

Purpose of the Proposal and Its Anticipated Effects, Including Any Changes in Existing Rules: In accordance with recent clam and oyster survey data, recreational harvest projections, comanagement agreements, and public health considerations, recreational clam and oyster seasons require extension or shortening on some public beaches. This rule proposal reflects these changes.

Reasons Supporting Proposal: The amendments to the rules will perpetuate shellfish resources while maximizing recreational fishing opportunity and protecting public health.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 77.04.012, 77.04.013, 77.04.020, 77.04.055, 77.12.045, and 77.12.047.

Statute Being Implemented: RCW 77.04.012, 77.04.013, 77.04.020, 77.04.055, 77.12.045, and 77.12.047.

Rule is not necessitated by federal law, federal or state court decision.

Name of Proponent: Governmental.

Name of Agency Personnel Responsible for Drafting: Camille Speck, 375 Hudson Street, Port Townsend, WA 98368, 360-302-3030; Implementation: Kelly Cunningham, 1111 Washington Street S.E., Olympia, WA 98501, 360-902-2325; and Enforcement: Chief Steve Bear, 1111 Washington Street S.E., Olympia, WA 98501, 360-902-2373.

A school district fiscal impact statement is not required under RCW 28A.305.135.

A cost-benefit analysis is not required under RCW 34.05.328. This rule proposal does not require a cost-benefit analysis per RCW 34.05.328 (5)(a)(i).

This rule proposal, or portions of the proposal, is exempt from requirements of the Regulatory Fairness Act because the proposal:

Is exempt under RCW 19.85.025(4).

Explanation of exemptions: Relative to the recreational clam and oyster seasons portion of this proposal (WAC 220-330-110 and

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220-330-140), the department is exempt from the requirements of chapter 19.85 RCW because the proposed recreational fishing rules do not regulate small businesses; these rule changes clarify dates for anticipated open and closed periods and areas for harvesting clams and oysters for personal use. There are no anticipated professional services required to comply.

Scope of exemption for rule proposal: Is fully exempt.

> January 23, 2024 Scott Bird Rules Coordinator

OTS-5146.2

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 23-06-065, filed 2/28/23, effective 3/31/23)

WAC 220-330-110 Clams other than razor clams, and mussels—Areas and seasons. It is lawful to take, dig for, and possess clams and mussels for personal use from public tidelands year-round, except the following restrictions apply to the public tidelands at the beaches listed below:

(1) Ala Spit: All public tidelands of Ala Spit are open May 1 through May 31 only.

(2) Alki Park: Closed year-round.

(3) Alki Point: Closed year-round.

(4) Bay Center Oyster Reserve (Willapa Harbor reserves): Palix River channel, extending from the Palix River bridge to beyond Bay Center to the north of Goose Point, is closed year-round.

(5) Bay View State Park: Closed year-round.

(6) Belfair State Park: Open ((August)) July 1 through September 30 only.

(7) Billy Frank Jr. Nisqually National Wildlife Refuge: All state-owned tidelands of the Nisqually River delta south of a line drawn from Luhr Beach boat ramp to Sequalitchew Creek are closed year-round.

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(24) DNR-142: Closed year-round.

(25) DNR-144 (Sleeper): Closed year-round.

(26) Dockton County Park: Closed year-round.

(27) Dosewallips State Park: The area defined by boundary markers and signs posted on the beach is open July 15 through September 30 only.

(28) Dosewallips State Park South: Closed year-round south of the line defined by boundary markers and signs posted on the beach.

(29) Drayton Harbor: All public tidelands of Drayton Harbor are open year-round, except tidelands identified as prohibited by the department of health and defined by boundary markers and signs posted on the beach are closed year-round.

(30) Duckabush: Open November 1 through April 30 only.

(31) Dungeness Spit and Dungeness National Wildlife Refuge Tidelands: Open May 15 through September 30 only.

(32) Eagle Creek: Open ((July)) August 1 through ((August 31)) <u>September 15</u> only.

(33) East San de Fuca: Tidelands east of the Rolling Hills Glencairn Community dock are closed year-round.

(34) Eld Inlet Oyster Reserves (Mud Bay reserves): Closed yearround.

(35) English Camp: Tidelands between the National Park Service dinghy dock to the southern park boundary are closed year-round.

(36) Evergreen Rotary Park (Port Washington Narrows): Closed year-round.

(37) Fay Bainbridge Park: Closed year-round.

(38) Fort Flagler State Park: Open January 1 through April 15 and ((June 15)) July 1 through December 31 only, except that portion of Rat Island and the spit west and south of the park boundary is closed year-round from two white posts on the north end of the island at the vegetation line south to the end of the island.

(39) Freeland County Park: Open October 1 through May 31 only.

(40) Frye Cove County Park: Open May 1 through May 31 only.

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(42) Gertrude Island: All tidelands of Gertrude Island are closed year-round.

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(52) Ingvald J. Gronvold Park: Open April 1 through May 31 only. (((52))) <u>(53)</u> Joemma Beach State Park: Closed year-round.

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(((57))) <u>(58)</u> Liberty Bay: All state-owned tidelands in Liberty Bay north and west of the Keyport Naval Supply Center are closed yearround, except the western shoreline of Liberty Bay from the unincorporated Kitsap County line south to Virginia Point is open October 1 through April 30 only.

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(((62))) (63) Long Island Slough Oyster Reserve (Willapa Harbor reserves): Closed year-round.

(((63))) <u>(64)</u> Long Point West: Closed year-round.

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(((70))) <u>(72)</u> Mukilteo: Closed year-round.

(((71))) (73) Mystery Bay State Park: Open October 1 through April 30 only.

(((72))) <u>(74)</u> Nahcotta Tidelands: State-owned tidelands east of the Willapa Bay Field Station and Nahcotta Tidelands interpretive site are closed year-round.

(((73))) <u>(75)</u> Nemah Oyster Reserve (Willapa Harbor reserves): Oyster reserves between reserve monuments 10 and 11 are closed yearround.

(((74))) <u>(76)</u> North Bay (Case Inlet): All state-owned tidelands north of the power transmission lines and those extending 1,900 feet south of the power transmission lines along the eastern shore are open March 1 through April 30 and September 1 through October 15, from one hour before official sunrise until one hour after official sunset only.

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(((115))) <u>(117)</u> Skagit Bay Estuary Wildlife Areas: All public tidelands of Skagit Bay Estuary Wildlife Area, Fir Island Farms Reserve Wildlife Area, Island Wildlife Area, Camano Island Wildlife Area and Leque Island Wildlife Area are closed year-round. (((116))) (118) South Carkeek Park: Closed year-round. (((117))) (119) South Lilliwaup: Open November 1 through April 30 only. (120) Southworth: Closed year-round. (((118))) (121) Spencer Spit State Park: Open March 1 through July 31 only. (((119))) (122) Squaxin Park (Priest Point County Park): Closed year-round. (((120))) <u>(123)</u> Stuart Island State Park - Reid Harbor (South Beach): Closed year-round. (((121))) (124) Taylor Bay: Closed year-round. (((122))) (125) Totten Inlet Oyster Reserve (Oyster Bay reserves): Closed year-round. (((123))) (126) Triton Cove Tidelands: Open June 1 through August 31 only. (((124))) (127) Twanoh State Park: Open August 1 through ((Sep- tember 30)) August 31 only. (((125))) <u>(128)</u> Walker County Park: Closed year-round. ((((126))) (129) WDFW Hoodsport Hatchery: Tidelands at Hoodsport Salmon Hatchery are closed year-round. (((127))) (130) West Dewatto: DNR Beach 44A open July 1 through September 30 only. (((128))) (131) West Pass Access: Closed year-round. (((129))) <u>(132)</u> West Penn Cove: From the property boundary at the Grasser's Lagoon access on Highway 20 to the dock extending across the tidelands from Captain Whidbey Inn on Madrona Road is open ((July)) June 15 through September 30 only. ((((130))) (133) Willapa River Oyster Reserve (Willapa Harbor reserves): Reserves located in the Willapa River channel extending west and upriver from a point approximately one-quarter mile from the blinker light marking the division of Willapa River channel and the North River channel are closed year-round. (((131))) (134) Wolfe Property State Park: Open January 1 through May 15 only. (((132))) (135) Woodard Bay Natural Resource Conservation Area: Closed year-round. ((((133))) (136) It is lawful to take, dig for, and possess clams and mussels, not including razor clams, for personal use from the Pacific Ocean beaches from November 1 through March 31 only. AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 23-06-065, filed 2/28/23, effective 3/31/23) WAC 220-330-140 Oysters—Areas and seasons. It is lawful to

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(((98))) <u>(100)</u> Quilcene Bay Tidelands: All state-owned tidelands in Quilcene Bay north of a line drawn from the Quilcene Boat Haven to Fisherman's Point are closed year-round except those state-owned tidelands on the west side of the bay north of the Quilcene Boat Haven are open year-round.

(((99))) <u>(101)</u> Quilcene Boat Ramp: Open January 1 through May ((31)) <u>15</u> only.

(((100))) <u>(102)</u> Retsil: Closed year-round. ((((101))) (103) Richmond Beach Saltwater Park: Closed year-round. (((102))) (104) Salt Creek Recreation Area (DNR-419): Closed year-round. (((103))) (105) Saltair Beach (Kingston Ferry Terminal): Closed year-round. (((104))) <u>(106)</u> Saltwater State Park: Closed year-round. (((105))) <u>(107)</u> Samish Bay: Public tidelands of Samish Bay between Scotts Point and a point on the shore (48.5745°, -122.4440°) are closed year-round. (((106))) <u>(108)</u> Scenic Beach State Park: Closed year-round. (((107))) <u>(109)</u> Seahurst County Park: Closed year-round. ((((108))) (110) Semiahmoo County Park: Closed year-round. (((109))) <u>(111)</u> Semiahmoo Marina: Closed year-round. ((((110))) (112) Sequim Bay State Park: Open January 1 through ((April)) May 15 only. ((((111)))) (113) Shine Tidelands State Park: Open January 1 through May 15 only. ((((112))) (114) Silverdale Waterfront Park: Closed year-round. (((113))) (115) Sinclair Inlet: All public tidelands of Sinclair Inlet west of a line drawn from the intersection of Bancroft Road and Beach Drive East northerly to Point Herron are closed year-round. (((114))) <u>(116)</u> Skagit Bay Estuary Wildlife Areas: All public tidelands of the Skagit Bay Estuary Wildlife Area, Fir Island Farms Reserve Wildlife Area, Island Wildlife Area, Camano Island Wildlife Area and Leque Island Wildlife Area are closed year-round. (((115))) (117) South Carkeek Park: Closed year-round. (((116))) (118) South Lilliwaup: Open November 1 through April 30 only. (119) Southworth: Closed year-round. (((117))) (120) Spencer Spit State Park: Open March 1 through July 31 only. (((118))) (121) Squaxin Park (Priest Point County Park): Closed year-round. ((((119))) (122) Stuart Island State Park - Reid Harbor (South Beach): Closed year-round. $((\frac{120}{120}))$ <u>(123)</u> Taylor Bay: Closed year-round. (((121))) (124) Totten Inlet Oyster Reserve (Oyster Bay reserves): Closed year-round. (((122))) <u>(125)</u> Walker County Park: Closed year-round. (((123))) <u>(126)</u> WDFW Hoodsport Hatchery: Open April 1 through ((May 31)) June 30, from one hour before official sunrise until one hour after official sunset only. (((124))) <u>(127)</u> West Pass Access: Closed year-round. (((125))) <u>(128)</u> West Penn Cove: From the property boundary at the Grasser's Lagoon access on Highway 20 to the dock extending across the tidelands from Captain Whidbey Inn on Madrona Road is open ((July)) June 15 through September 30 only. (((126))) (129) Willapa River Oyster Reserve (Willapa Harbor reserves): Reserves located in the Willapa River channel extending west and upriver from a point approximately one-quarter mile from the blinker light marking the division of Willapa River channel and the North River channel are closed year-round. ((((127))) (130) Wolfe Property State Park: Open January 1 through May 15 only. (((128))) <u>(131)</u> Woodard Bay Natural Resource Conservation Area: Closed year-round.

(((129))) (132) It is lawful to take and possess oysters for personal use from the Pacific Ocean beaches from November 1 through March 31 only.