Washington State Register

WSR 24-18-073 PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY CENTER FOR DEAF AND HARD OF HEARING YOUTH

[Filed August 29, 2024, 12:22 p.m.]

Subject of Possible Rule Making: Student code of conduct and student disciplinary procedures.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 34.05.010(16), 72.42.041(2), 72.40.0191(12), 72.40.0191(17).

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: To bring the Center for Deaf and Hard of Hearing Youth's (Washington school for the deaf) student conduct code, chapter 148-120 WAC, into compliance with a new final rule issued by the United States Department of Education pursuant to its authority under Title IX of the Education Amendment of 1972 and to update other provisions of the student conduct code to reflect current issues and needs of the school and its students. Additionally, rule changes are needed to update the student conduct code for consistency with the office of superintendent of public instruction's (OSPI) rules, chapter 392-400 WAC, regarding student discipline.

Other Federal and State Agencies that Regulate this Subject and the Process Coordinating the Rule with These Agencies: United States Department of Education, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972; OSPI.

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 Erica Rader, 611 Grand Boulevard, Vancouver, WA 98661, phone 360-418-0401, fax 360-696-6291, email erica.rader@cdhy.wa.gov, website www.cdhy.wa.gov.

> August 29, 2024 Shauna Bilyeu Executive Director