



RULE-MAKING ORDER
(RCW 34.05.360)

Order 5088

CR-103 (7/23/95)

Agency: Department of Agriculture

- Permanent Rule**
- Emergency Rule**
- Expedited Repeal**

(1) Date of adoption: October 31, 1995

(2) Purpose: To allow cattle owners to self-inspect when selling 15 head or less of no brand or seller's branded cattle and to provide a system of collecting the Washington State Beef Commission

(3) Citation of existing rules affected by this order:

Repealed:
Amended: 16.620 WAC
Suspended:

(4) Statutory authority for adoption: Chapter 374, Sect. 51 Laws of 1995

Other authority:

PERMANENT RULE ONLY

Adopted under notice filed as WSR 95-18-103 on September 6, 1995 (date).
 Describe any changes other than editing from proposed to adopted version:
 Added clarifying language to specific how these slips may not be used.

EMERGENCY RULE ONLY

Under RCW 34.05.350 the agency for good cause finds:

- (a) That immediate adoption, amendment, or repeal of a rule is necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety, or general welfare, and that observing the time requirements of notice and opportunity to comment upon adoption of a permanent rule would be contrary to the public interest.
- (b) That state or federal law or federal rule or a federal deadline for state receipt of federal funds requires immediate adoption of a rule.

Reasons for this finding:

EXPEDITED REPEAL ONLY

Under Preproposal Statement of Inquiry filed as WSR _____ on _____ (date).

(5.3) Any other findings required by other provisions of law as precondition to adoption of effectiveness of rule?

- Yes No If Yes, explain:

(6) Effective date of rule:

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| Permanent Rules | Emergency Rules |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 31 days after filing | <input type="checkbox"/> Immediately |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____* | <input type="checkbox"/> Later (specify) _____ |

*(If less than 31 days after filing, specific finding in 5.3 under RCW 34.05.380(3) is required)

NAME (TYPE OR PRINT)

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TITLE Director

DATE 10/31/95

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Count by whole WAC sections only, from the WAC number through the history note.
A section may be counted in more than one category.

The number of sections adopted in order to comply with:

Federal statute:	New	___	Amended	___	Repealed	___
Federal rules or standards:	New	___	Amended	___	Repealed	___
Recently enacted* state statutes:	New	<u>1</u>	Amended	___	Repealed	___

*(current calendar year)

The number of sections adopted at the request of a nongovernmental entity:

New	<u>1</u>	Amended	___	Repealed	___
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The number of sections adopted on the agency's own initiative:

New	___	Amended	___	Repealed	___
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The number of sections adopted in order to clarify, streamline, or reform agency procedures:

New	<u>1</u>	Amended	___	Repealed	___
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The number of sections adopted using:

Negotiated rule making:	New	___	Amended	___	Repealed	___
Pilot rule making:	New	___	Amended	___	Repealed	___
Other alternative rule making:	New	<u>1</u>	Amended	___	Repealed	___

NEW SECTION

WAC 16-620-105 Self-inspection slips. (1) In lieu of brand inspection by the department, individual private sales of cattle, not to exceed fifteen head that are sold by the seller to the same person during a consecutive eight-day period, may be conducted utilizing self-inspection slips prescribed by and obtained from the department.

(2) Self-inspection slips shall be completed to show the brand, breed, color and sex of the cattle and shall be used only for the sale of cattle within the state. Self-inspection slips shall not be used for sales taking place at:

(a) Any public livestock market;

(b) Any slaughter plant where the USDA maintains meat inspection; or

(c) Any certified feed lot.

Self-inspection slips shall not be valid for other than no brand or seller's brand cattle. The transaction is validated when both buyer and seller sign the self-inspection slip. The original shall be provided to the buyer to verify the inspection and accompany the cattle and the seller shall retain a copy. The cost of each slip shall include the current brand inspection fee and the assessment for the National Beef Promotion and Research Act. The WSDA shall remit assessments collected to the Washington state beef commission.