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**PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
HORSE RACING COMMISSION**

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Subject of Possible Rule Making: WAC 260-24-500 Racing officials.
Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject:
RCW 67.16.020.

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They
Might Accomplish: The Washington horse racing commission is consider-
ing adopting the Association of Racing Commissioners International
model rule regarding the accreditation requirements for stewards.

Process for Developing New Rule: Negotiated rule making.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the
new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication by
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