

**WAC 200-120-240 Standards for operations—Program changes—Notification to the state risk manager.** (1) All joint self-insurance programs shall operate in the same form and manner stated in the program's original application approved by the state risk manager. Programs shall submit a written request and receive approval from the state risk manager prior to implementing the following proposed program changes:

- (a) Any change in the terms of the ownership agreement;
  - (b) Elimination or reduction of stop-loss insurance;
  - (c) Acceptance of any loans or lines of credit;
  - (d) Provision of services to nonparticipants;
  - (e) Addition of participants of other entity types than those included in original application approved by state risk manager;
  - (f) Any change in the program's investment guidelines.
- (2) The following program changes require written notification to the state risk manager prior to implementing the following changes:
- (a) Increases in retention level;
  - (b) Decrease or increase insurance limits;
  - (c) Initial contract with a third-party administrator, or change in third-party administrator;
  - (d) Any change to ownership agreement.

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