

WSR 14-06-009**PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
SUPERINTENDENT OF
PUBLIC INSTRUCTION**

[Filed February 20, 2014, 2:07 p.m.]

Subject of Possible Rule Making: Chapter 392-700 WAC, Dropout reengagement.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 28A.175.100.

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: Chapter 392-700 WAC requires updating to further clarify student eligibility, program requirements, and reporting processes for dropout reengagement program. Also, additional changes may be required after the legislative session based on any bills passed relating to dropout reengagement programs.

Process for Developing New Rule: Early solicitation of public comments and recommendations respecting new, amended, or repealed rules, and consideration of the comments and recommendations in the course of drafting rules.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication by contacting Becky McLean, OSPI Enrollment Supervisor, Old Capitol Building, P.O. Box 47200, Olympia, WA, (360) 725-6306.

February 20, 2014
Randy Dorn
Superintendent of
Public Instruction

WSR 14-06-028**PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
BUILDING CODE COUNCIL**

[Filed February 25, 2014, 1:22 p.m.]

Subject of Possible Rule Making: Chapter 51-50 WAC, amendment of the 2012 International Building Code.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 19.27.074.

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: The state building code council regularly reviews the Washington State Building Code, as outlined in chapter 51-04 WAC and RCW 19.27.074, to review and consider proposals for statewide code amendments.

Process for Developing New Rule: Stakeholder and subject expert technical advisory group (TAG) review.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication. To receive information on meetings of the TAGs contact Tim Nogler, Managing Director, Washington State Building Code Council, P.O. Box 41449, Olympia, WA 98504-1449, (360) 407-9280, fax (360) 586-5366, e-mail sbcc@ga.wa.gov.

February 24, 2014
C. Ray Allhouse
Council Chair

WSR 14-06-016**WITHDRAWAL OF
PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION
COMMISSION**

[Docket UW-131386—Filed February 21, 2014, 11:50 a.m.]

The Washington utilities and transportation commission (commission) filed a preproposal statement of inquiry (CR-101) to clarify the commission's jurisdiction over entities that provide water service, including water companies, homeowner associations, cooperatives and mutual corporations, or similar entities, under WAC 480-110-245 and 480-110-255. The commission filed the CR-101 on August 21, 2013, at WSR 13-17-116.

After considering comments from interested persons concerning the CR-101, the commission has determined because of other water-related matters pending before the commission, and limited agency resources, it is preferable for the commission to consider its water company jurisdictional rule at a later date. Accordingly, the commission requests that the CR-101 published in WSR 13-17-116 be withdrawn. Thus, the commission is withdrawing its notice of a rule-making proceeding in this docket, and will notify stakeholders of the withdrawal of this proceeding.

Steven V. King
Executive Director
and Secretary

WSR 14-06-029**PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
BUILDING CODE COUNCIL**

[Filed February 25, 2014, 1:23 p.m.]

Subject of Possible Rule Making: Chapter 51-51 WAC, amendment of the 2012 International Residential Code.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 19.27.074.

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: The state building code council regularly reviews the Washington State Building Code, as outlined in chapter 51-04 WAC and RCW 19.27.074, to review and consider proposals for statewide code amendments.

Process for Developing New Rule: Stakeholder and subject expert technical advisory group (TAG) review.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication. To receive information on meetings of the TAGs contact Tim Nogler, Managing Director, Washington State Building Code Council, P.O. Box 41449, Olympia, WA 98504-1449, (360) 407-9280, fax (360) 586-5366, e-mail sbcc@ga.wa.gov.

February 24, 2014
C. Ray Allhouse
Council Chair

WSR 14-06-030**PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
BUILDING CODE COUNCIL**

[Filed February 25, 2014, 1:24 p.m.]

Subject of Possible Rule Making: Chapter 51-54A WAC, amendment of the 2012 International Fire Code.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 19.27.074.

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: The state building code council regularly reviews the Washington State Building Code, as outlined in chapter 51-04 WAC and RCW 19.27.074, to review and consider proposals for statewide code amendments.

Process for Developing New Rule: Stakeholder and subject expert technical advisory group (TAG) review.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication. To receive information on meetings of the TAGs contact Tim Nogler, Managing Director, Washington State Building Code Council, P.O. Box 41449, Olympia, WA 98504-1449, (360) 407-9280, fax (360) 586-5366, e-mail sbcc@ga.wa.gov.

February 24, 2014
C. Ray Allshouse
Council Chair

WSR 14-06-032**PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
BUILDING CODE COUNCIL**

[Filed February 25, 2014, 1:25 p.m.]

Subject of Possible Rule Making: Chapter 51-56 WAC, amendment of the 2012 Uniform Plumbing Code.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 19.27.074.

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: The state building code council regularly reviews the Washington State Building Code, as outlined in chapter 51-04 WAC and RCW 19.27.074, to review and consider proposals for statewide code amendments.

Process for Developing New Rule: Stakeholder and subject expert technical advisory group (TAG) review.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication. To receive information on meetings of the TAGs contact Tim Nogler, Managing Director, Washington State Building Code Council, P.O. Box 41449, Olympia, WA 98504-1449, (360) 407-9280, fax (360) 586-5366, e-mail sbcc@ga.wa.gov.

February 24, 2014
C. Ray Allshouse
Council Chair

WSR 14-06-031**PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
BUILDING CODE COUNCIL**

[Filed February 25, 2014, 1:24 p.m.]

Subject of Possible Rule Making: Chapter 51-52 WAC, amendment of the 2012 International Mechanical Code.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 19.27.074.

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: The state building code council regularly reviews the Washington State Building Code, as outlined in chapter 51-04 WAC and RCW 19.27.074, to review and consider proposals for statewide code amendments.

Process for Developing New Rule: Stakeholder and subject expert technical advisory group (TAG) review.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication. To receive information on meetings of the TAGs contact Tim Nogler, Managing Director, Washington State Building Code Council, P.O. Box 41449, Olympia, WA 98504-1449, (360) 407-9280, fax (360) 586-5366, e-mail sbcc@ga.wa.gov.

February 24, 2014
C. Ray Allshouse
Council Chair

WSR 14-06-033**PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
BUILDING CODE COUNCIL**

[Filed February 25, 2014, 1:25 p.m.]

Subject of Possible Rule Making: Chapters 51-11C and 51-11R WAC, amendment of the 2012 Washington State Energy Code.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 19.27A.020, 19.27A.025, and 19.27A.045.

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: The state building code council regularly reviews the Washington State Building Code, as outlined in chapter 51-04 WAC, RCW 19.27A.025 and 19.27A.045, to review and consider proposals for statewide code amendments.

Process for Developing New Rule: Stakeholder and subject expert technical advisory groups (TAG) review.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication. To receive information on meetings of the TAGs contact Krista Braaksma, Washington State Building Code Council, P.O. Box 41449, Olympia, WA 98504-1449, (360) 407-9278, fax (360) 586-5366, e-mail sbcc@ga.wa.gov.

February 24, 2014
C. Ray Allshouse
Council Chair

WSR 14-06-036**PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY****STATE BOARD OF HEALTH**

[Filed February 25, 2014, 1:54 p.m.]

Subject of Possible Rule Making: Chapter 246-290 WAC, Group A public water supplies, federal revised total coliform rule, water system planning, emergency sources, disinfection, and technical changes to improve overall clarity and consistency with state and federal rules.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 43.20.050.

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: In order to maintain the primacy agreement between the department of health (department) and United States Environmental Protection Agency, the federal revised total coliform rule must be adopted into state rules. As a result of a rule review conducted by the department in 2013, the state board of health (board) will also consider revising requirements for water system planning, emergency sources, and disinfection. This combined rule making is intended to improve public health protection, streamline regulations, provide clarity, improve consistency between state and federal regulations, and reduce costs for stakeholders.

Other Federal and State Agencies that Regulate this Subject and the Process Coordinating the Rule with These Agencies: The United States Environmental Protection Agency establishes requirements for public water systems and will review the proposed rules prior to adoption to ensure they are consistent with the federal revised total coliform rule requirements.

Process for Developing New Rule: The board will use a collaborative rule-making process to develop proposed rules and will hold a public hearing at a board meeting to allow testimony and written comment on the proposed rules.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication. The board will provide information and seek input on the draft and proposed rules from interested parties through the drinking water advisory group, the Washington water utility council, presentations at public meetings, rule making listserv, the office of drinking water's web site at <http://www.doh.wa.gov/CommunityandEnvironment/DrinkingWater>, quarterly newsletter Water Tap, department rules comment web site, and the public hearing. To participate in the rule-making process, contact Brad Burnham, Office of Drinking Water, P.O. Box 47822, Olympia, WA 98504-7822, (360) 236-3158 or brad.burnham@doh.wa.gov.

February 24, 2014
Michelle A. Davis
Executive Director

WSR 14-06-043**PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
SECRETARY OF STATE**

(Corporations and Charities Division)

[Filed February 26, 2014, 10:17 a.m.]

Subject of Possible Rule Making: Charitable Solicitation Act and charitable trusts.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: Chapters 11.110, 19.09, and 43.07 RCW.

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: Minor changes in the law, and streamlining.

Other Federal and State Agencies that Regulate this Subject and the Process Coordinating the Rule with These Agencies: The attorney general's office is participating in the formulation of these rules.

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 contacting Rebecca Sherrell, Charities Program Manager, Office of the Secretary of State, P.O. Box 40234, Olympia, WA 98504-0234, (360) 725-0380, rebecca.sherrell@sos.wa.gov.

February 26, 2014
Ken Raske
Assistant Secretary of State

WSR 14-06-047**PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING**

[Filed February 26, 2014, 2:16 p.m.]

Subject of Possible Rule Making: The need for a transition course, increasing efficiency for in course approval process for licensees and the department and correct misspelling of two words, chapters 308-124A, 308-124C, and 308-124H WAC.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 18.85.041.

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: Eliminate reference to transition course which is no longer required by statute. Implement LEAN improvements to course approval process, including changing course approval from two to four years and correct misspelling of two words.

Other Federal and State Agencies that Regulate this Subject and the Process Coordinating the Rule with These Agencies: None.

Process for Developing New Rule: The director must have the advice and approval of the governor appointed real estate commission to create or modify rules.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication by contacting Jerry McDonald, P.O. Box 2445, Olympia, WA 98507, (360) 664-6525, e-mail: jmcdonald@dol.wa.gov.

February 26, 2014
Damon Monroe
Rules Coordinator

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February 26, 2014
Katherine I. Vasquez
Rules Manager

WSR 14-06-052

PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
DEPARTMENT OF
SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES
(Economic Services Administration)
(Community Services Division)
[Filed February 27, 2014, 9:51 a.m.]

Subject of Possible Rule Making: The department may propose rules related to the Washington combined application project (WASHCAP) under chapter 388-492 WAC, in order to ensure that the project remains cost neutral with supplemental nutrition assistance benefits provided under the Washington Basic Food program or Basic Food. Proposed revisions may include WAC 388-492-0040 Can I choose whether I get WASHCAP food benefits or Basic Food benefits?, 388-492-0070 How are my WASHCAP food benefits calculated?, and any related rules.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 74.04.050, 74.04.055, 74.04.057, 74.04.500, 74.04.510, 74.04.090.

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: As required by the demonstration project waiver with the United States Department of Agriculture, Food and Nutrition Service (FNS), the department will review the cost neutrality between WASHCAP and the supplemental nutrition assistance program (SNAP) administered as the Washington Basic Food program or Basic Food. Based on the findings of this evaluation, the department may amend WAC 388-492-0040, 388-492-0070, and other related rules to ensure that WASHCAP benefits are cost neutral to SNAP.

Other Federal and State Agencies that Regulate this Subject and the Process Coordinating the Rule with These Agencies: The United States Department of Agriculture, FNS enforces the provisions of the federal SNAP as enacted in the 2008 Food and Nutrition Act and codified in the Code of Federal Regulations. The department will develop amendments to WASHCAP rules that are consistent with the act, federal regulations, and our approved WASHCAP demonstration project waiver while ensuring cost neutrality of the program.

Process for Developing New Rule: DSHS welcomes the public to take part in developing the rules. Anyone interested should contact the staff person identified below. At a later date, DSHS will file a proposal with the office of the code reviser with a notice of proposed rule making. A copy of the proposal will be sent to everyone on the mailing list and to anyone who requests a copy.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication by contacting Holly St. John, Program Manager, Economic Services Administration, Community Services Division, P.O. Box 45470, Olympia, WA 98504-5470, phone

WSR 14-06-058

PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
PUBLIC DISCLOSURE COMMISSION

[Filed February 27, 2014, 3:40 p.m.]

Subject of Possible Rule Making: The commission is charged with ensuring that certain candidates and elected officials disclose personal financial information at regular intervals. The commission may modify or suspend the disclosure requirement if it finds that "literal application" of the chapter "works a manifestly unreasonable hardship" and that the suspension or modification of the reporting requirement will not frustrate the purposes of chapter 42.17A RCW. The commission has established protocols it follows when considering requests from motor vehicle dealers and attorneys, since a large percentage of the modification requests the commission receives are filed by these professionals. Other protocols established by the commission address when the spouse/registered domestic partner of the candidate/elected official creates a reporting obligation and under what circumstances a judge or judicial candidate will be relieved of disclosing a residential address and the reportable business and government customers of a judge's former law firm or a candidate's law firm. These protocols were adopted as interpretive statements which the commission will now convert to rules: Interpretation 02-03 Requests for Modification—Lawyers & Law Firms; Interpretation 02-04 Requests for Modification—Judges & Judicial Candidates; Interpretation 02-05 Requests for Modification—Motor Vehicle Dealers; and Interpretation 02-06 Requests for Modification—Spouse.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 42.17A.110 and 42.17A.120.

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: Converting these long-standing interpretations (adopted in 2002) will contribute to the commission rendering consistent decisions when considering like requests for personal financial affairs reporting modifications and better inform applicants of the standards that are likely to be followed.

Other Federal and State Agencies that Regulate this Subject and the Process Coordinating the Rule with These Agencies: None.

Process for Developing New Rule: The commission will likely consider proposed draft language at its March 27, 2014, meeting. Once language is approved, a public hearing will be scheduled. This hearing will likely occur June 26, 2014, or later.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication by contacting Lori Anderson, 711 Capitol Way, Room 206, P.O. Box 40908, Olympia, WA 98504-0908, e-

mail lori.anderson@pdc.wa.gov, phone (360) 664-2737, toll-free 1-877-601-2828, fax (360) 753-1112.

February 27, 2014
Lori Anderson
Communications and
Training Officer

WSR 14-06-075
PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
HEALTH CARE AUTHORITY

(Washington Apple Health)
[Filed March 3, 2014, 11:01 a.m.]

Subject of Possible Rule Making: WAC 182-550-7000 Outpatient prospective payment system (OPPS)—General, 182-550-7100 OPPS—Exempt hospitals, 182-550-7200 OPPS—Billing requirements and payment method, 182-550-7300 OPPS—Payment limitations, 182-550-7400 OPPS APC relative weights, 182-550-7450 OPPS budget target adjustor, 182-550-7500 OPPS rate, 182-550-7600 OPPS payment calculation, and other rules as appropriate.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 41.05.021.

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: The health care authority (HCA) is rebasing OPPS. HCA will move from the ambulatory patient classification (APC) to the enhanced ambulatory payment group (EAPG) system, and update the pricing methods and rates associated with outpatient services.

During the course of this review, HCA may identify additional changes that are required in order to improve clarity or update policy.

Process for Developing New Rule: HCA welcomes the public to take part in developing this rule. If interested, contact the person identified below to receive an early rule draft to review. After the early review, HCA will send a notice of proposed rule making (CR-102) to everyone receiving this notice and anyone who requests a copy.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication by contacting Jason Crabbe, P.O. Box 42716, Olympia, WA 98504-2716, phone (360) 725-1346, fax (360) 586-9727, TTY 1-800-848-5429, e-mail jason.crabbe@hca.wa.gov.

March 3, 2014
Kevin M. Sullivan
Rules Coordinator

WSR 14-06-077
PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
HEALTH CARE AUTHORITY

(Washington Apple Health)
[Filed March 3, 2014, 12:39 p.m.]

Subject of Possible Rule Making: Chapter 182-557 WAC, Health homes.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 41.05.021.

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: Revision to chapter 182-557 WAC is necessary to develop grievance and appeal process for the health homes program.

Process for Developing New Rule: The health care authority (HCA) welcomes the public to take part in developing this rule. If interested, contact the person identified below to receive an early rule draft to review. After the early review, HCA will send a notice of proposed rule making (CR-102) to everyone receiving this notice and anyone who requests a copy.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication by contacting Wendy Barcus, Rules Program Manager, P.O. Box 42716, Olympia, WA 98504-2716, phone (360) 725-1306, fax (360) 586-9727, TTY 1-800-848-5429, e-mail wendy.barcus@hca.wa.gov.

March 3, 2014
Kevin M. Sullivan
Rules Coordinator

WSR 14-06-078
PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
DEPARTMENT OF
SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES
(Aging and Long-Term Support Administration)

[Filed March 3, 2014, 1:10 p.m.]

Subject of Possible Rule Making: The department is revising and updating chapter 388-112 WAC, Residential long-term care services.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 74.39A.009, 74.39A.070, 74.39A.074, 74.39A.351, 74.39A.341, 18.20.270, 18.88B.021, 18.88B.-035, 70.128.230, 71.A.12.030 [71A.12.030].

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: The department is proposing to amend chapter 388-112 WAC, Residential long-term care services.

The amendments and revisions to the rules throughout the chapter will be related to training and/or certification requirements for long-term care workers in:

- Certified community residential services and supports businesses.
- Adult family homes.
- Assisted living facilities.

The proposed rules are needed to:

- Implement SHB 1629, which changed certain (1) home care aide certification requirements, and (2) long-term care worker continuing education requirements.
- Implement changes in specialty training requirement under SSB 5630.

- Update language and make other necessary house-keeping changes.
- As appropriate, incorporate any other related requirements that may become applicable during this rule making.

Process for Developing New Rule: DSHS welcomes the public to take part in developing the rules. Anyone interested should contact the staff person identified below. At a later date, DSHS will file a proposal with the office of the code reviser with a notice of proposed rule making. A copy of the proposal will be sent to everyone on the mailing list and to anyone who requests a copy.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication by contacting Marriane Backous, Aging and Long-Term Support Administration, P.O. Box 45600, Olympia, WA 98504-5310, phone (360) 725-2534, fax (360) 725-2646, TTY 1-800-833-6388, e-mail marriane.backous@dshs.wa.gov.

March 3, 2014
Katherine I. Vasquez
Rules Manager

WSR 14-06-080

**PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
DEPARTMENT OF
SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES**
(Economic Services Administration)

[Filed March 3, 2014, 1:44 p.m.]

Subject of Possible Rule Making: WAC 388-310-1600 WorkFirst—Sanctions, and other related rules as appropriate.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 74.04.050, 74.04.055, 74.04.057, 74.08.090 and chapters 74.08A and 74.12 RCW.

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: The department is proposing to reduce the time period before closure of TANF/SFA due to nonparticipation in WorkFirst activities without good cause.

Process for Developing New Rule: DSHS welcomes the public to take part in developing the rules. Anyone interested should contact the staff person identified below. At a later date, DSHS will file a proposal with the office of the code reviser with a notice of proposed rule making. A copy of the proposal will be sent to everyone on the mailing list and to anyone who requests a copy.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication by contacting Leslie Kozak, Policy Manager, 712 Pear Street S.E., Olympia, WA 98504, phone (360) 725-4589, fax (360) 725-4904, e-mail kozakla@dshs.wa.gov.

March 3, 2014
Katherine I. Vasquez
Rules Coordinator

WSR 14-06-081

**PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
DEPARTMENT OF
SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES**
(Aging and Long-Term Support Administration)

[Filed March 3, 2014, 3:13 p.m.]

Subject of Possible Rule Making: WAC 388-96-786 and other related sections as needed.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 74.46.431(9).

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: To update language regarding the adjustment of the pay for performance add-on.

Other Federal and State Agencies that Regulate this Subject and the Process Coordinating the Rule with These Agencies: None.

Process for Developing New Rule: DSHS welcomes the public to take part in developing the rules. Anyone interested should contact the staff person identified below. At a later date, DSHS will file a proposal with the office of the code reviser with a notice of proposed rule making. A copy of the proposal will be sent to everyone on the mailing list and to anyone who requests a copy.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication by contacting Elizabeth Pashley, phone (360) 725-2447, fax (360) 725-2641, TTY 1-800-624-6186, e-mail Elizabeth.Pashley@dshs.wa.gov.

March 3, 2014
Katherine I. Vasquez
Rules Manager

WSR 14-06-082

**PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
DEPARTMENT OF
SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES**
(Aging and Long-Term Support Administration)

[Filed March 3, 2014, 3:15 p.m.]

Subject of Possible Rule Making: WAC 388-96-718 and other related sections as needed.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 74.46.431(9).

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: To add the option of contact by e-mail in addition to letter.

Other Federal and State Agencies that Regulate this Subject and the Process Coordinating the Rule with These Agencies: None.

Process for Developing New Rule: DSHS welcomes the public to take part in developing the rules. Anyone interested should contact the staff person identified below. At a later date, DSHS will file a proposal with the office of the code reviser with a notice of proposed rule making. A copy of the proposal will be sent to everyone on the mailing list and to anyone who requests a copy.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication by contacting Elizabeth Pashley, phone (360) 725-2447, fax (360) 725-2641, TTY 1-800-624-6186, e-mail Elizabeth.Pashley@dshs.wa.gov.

March 3, 2014
Katherine I. Vasquez
Rules Manager

WSR 14-06-083
PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
DEPARTMENT OF
SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES
(Aging and Long-Term Support Administration)
[Filed March 3, 2014, 3:16 p.m.]

Subject of Possible Rule Making: WAC 388-96-381 and other related sections as needed.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 74.46.431(9).

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: To provide consistency in the administrative code concerning resident funds.

Other Federal and State Agencies that Regulate this Subject and the Process Coordinating the Rule with These Agencies: None.

Process for Developing New Rule: DSHS welcomes the public to take part in developing the rules. Anyone interested should contact the staff person identified below. At a later date, DSHS will file a proposal with the office of the code reviser with a notice of proposed rule making. A copy of the proposal will be sent to everyone on the mailing list and to anyone who requests a copy.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication by contacting Elizabeth Pashley, phone (360) 725-2447, fax (360) 725-2641, TTY 1-800-624-6186, e-mail Elizabeth.Pashley@dshs.wa.gov.

March 3, 2014
Katherine I. Vasquez
Rules Manager

WSR 14-06-084
PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
LAKE WASHINGTON
INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY
[Filed March 3, 2014, 3:24 p.m.]

Subject of Possible Rule Making: Chapters 495D-280 and 495D-121 WAC; WAC 495D-131-010 and 495D-132-010.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 28B.50.1401.

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: These sections have significant changes due to new laws like the Violence Against

Women Act (VAWA), new guidance related to United States Department of Education Title IX, other policy updates, and plain language edits.

Process for Developing New Rule: Agency study; and changes to Federal Title IX, and the new VAWA necessitated changes to the student code of conduct. The community and technical colleged [college] worked together with the attorney general's office to update these sections.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication by contacting Dennis Long, Vice-President of Student Services, phone (425) 739-8313, fax (425) 739-8299, dennis.long@lwtech.edu, Lake Washington Institute of Technology, 11605 132nd Avenue N.E., Kirkland, WA 98034. Public meetings will be held. Dates have not been set at this time.

March 3, 2014
Terry Byington
Executive Director
Government and
External Relations

WSR 14-06-085
WITHDRAWAL OF
PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
HEALTH CARE AUTHORITY
[Filed March 3, 2014, 4:04 p.m.]

The health care authority requests the withdrawal of the preproposal statement of inquiry filed as WSR 12-11-102, chapter 182-550 WAC, Hospital safety net assessments.

Kevin M. Sullivan
Rules Coordinator

WSR 14-06-086
PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
DEPARTMENT OF
SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES
(Aging and Long-Term Support Administration)
[Filed March 3, 2014, 4:36 p.m.]

Subject of Possible Rule Making: Repealing chapter 388-106 WAC, Long-term care services, Washington medic-aid integration partnership (WMIP), WAC 388-106-0745 through 388-106-0765.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 74.08.090, 74.09.520.

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: The department is repealing WAC 388-106-0745 through 388-106-0765, specifically the WMIP section, as this Snohomish County program will be ending June 30, 2014.

Other Federal and State Agencies that Regulate this Subject and the Process Coordinating the Rule with These Agencies: The health care authority holds the contract with the managed care organization (MCO) that implements WMIP

services in Snohomish County. The contract, and therefore the program, will expire on June 30, 2014. ALTSA is coordinating with the HCA regarding the termination of this program.

Process for Developing New Rule: DSHS welcomes the public to take part in developing the rules. Anyone interested should contact the staff person identified below. At a later date, DSHS will file a proposal with the office of the code reviser with a notice of proposed rule making. A copy of the proposal will be sent to everyone on the mailing list and to anyone who requests a copy.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication by contacting Angel Sullivan, P.O. Box 45600, Olympia, WA 98504-5600, phone (360) 725-2495, fax (360) 407-7582, TTY (360) 493-2637, e-mail angel.sullivan@dshs.wa.gov.

March 3, 2014
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Rules Manager

WSR 14-06-087

PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

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Subject of Possible Rule Making: WAC 458-40-660 Timber excise tax—Stumpage value tables.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 84.33.096, 82.32.300, and 82.01.060(2).

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: RCW 84.33.091 requires the department of revenue to revise the stumpage value tables every six months. The department establishes stumpage value tables to apprise timber harvesters of the timber values used to calculate the timber excise tax. The department anticipates amending WAC 458-40-660 to provide valuations for the second half of 2014.

Other Federal and State Agencies that Regulate this Subject and the Process Coordinating the Rule with These Agencies: Although the United States Forest Service and Washington state department of natural resources both regulate forest practices, neither is involved in valuation for taxation purposes. The nontax processes and definitions are coordinated with these agencies to avoid conflict, but there should be no need to involve them in the valuation revisions provided in this rule.

Process for Developing New Rule: Parties interested in this rule making may contact the individual listed below. The public may also participate by providing written comments throughout this rule making or giving oral testimony at the public meeting or public hearing.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication. Written comments may be submitted by mail, fax, or at the public meeting. Oral comments will be accepted at the public meeting. A preliminary draft of anticipated changes will be available upon request shortly before the public meet-

ing. Written comments on and/or requests for copies of the rule may be directed to Mark E. Bohe, Interpretations and Technical Advice Division, P.O. Box 47453, Olympia, WA 98504-7453, e-mail markbohe@dor.wa.gov, phone (360) 534-1574.

Public Meeting Location: Capital Plaza Building, 4th Floor, Executive Conference Room, 1025 Union Avenue S.E., Olympia, WA, on April 16, 2014, at 10:00 a.m. Call-in option can be provided upon request no later than three days before the meeting date.

Assistance for Persons with Disabilities: Contact Mary Carol LaPalm, (360) 725-7499, or Renee Cosare, (360) 725-7514, no later than ten days before the meeting date. For hearing impaired please contact us via the Washington relay operator at (800) 833-6384.

March 3, 2014
Dylan Waits
Rules Coordinator

WSR 14-06-092

PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY GAMBLING COMMISSION

[Filed March 4, 2014, 2:39 p.m.]

Subject of Possible Rule Making: Manufacturers and distributors of bingo and pull-tab products and equipment.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 9.46.070.

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: We have received a petition for rule change from a licensed distributor requesting rule making regarding the availability of bingo and pull-tab products and equipment between manufacturers and distributors.

Process for Developing New Rule: Interested parties can participate in the discussion of this proposed change by attending a commission meeting, or contacting the agency rules coordinator at the contact information below.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication by contacting Susan Newer, Rules Coordinator, P.O. Box 42400, Olympia, WA 98504-2400, (360) 486-3466, e-mail Susan.Newer@wsgc.wa.gov, fax (360) 486-3625.

[Meetings on] April 10 or 11, 2014, at the Vancouver Heathman Lodge, 7801 N.W. Greenwood Drive, Vancouver, WA 98662, visit www.wsgc.wa.gov on April 1 to confirm meeting location and start time; on May 8 or 9, 2014, at the Comfort Inn, 1620 74th Avenue S.E., Tumwater, WA 98501, visit www.wsgc.wa.gov on May 1 to confirm meeting location and start time; and on July 11, 2014, at the Grand Mound Great Wolf Lodge, 20500 Old Highway 99 S.W., Grand Mound, WA 98531, visit www.wsgc.wa.gov on July 1 to confirm meeting location and start time.

March 4, 2014
Susan Newer
Rules Coordinator

WSR 14-06-100
PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
 (Board of Optometry)

[Filed March 5, 2014, 8:39 a.m.]

Subject of Possible Rule Making: Chapter 246-851 WAC, the board of optometry (board) is considering establishing a retired active status for licensed optometrists.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 18.54.070(2), 18.130.250.

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: The board received a petition requesting a retired active status for licensed optometrists. The board determined that it would initiate rule making to consider establishing a retired active status. The retired active status will allow optometrists to maintain their credential and practice in a limited way at a reduced cost. Under RCW 18.130.250 and chapter 246-12 WAC, when authorized, a health care provider may apply for a retired active credential when he or she holds an active Washington state credential; is in good standing; and either will practice no more than ninety days each year or will practice only in emergency circumstances.

Other Federal and State Agencies that Regulate this Subject and the Process Coordinating the Rule with These Agencies: None.

Process for Developing New Rule: Collaborative rule making.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication by contacting Judy Haenke, Program Manager, Department of Health, Board of Optometry, P.O. Box 47852, Olympia, WA 98504-7852, judy.haenke@doh.wa.gov, phone (360) 236-4947, fax (360) 236-2901. Stakeholders will be notified and invited to participate in an open public rules workshop and may submit written comments for consideration. Stakeholders will be notified through listserv and posting to the web site.

March 5, 2014
 Kirby Putscher
 Acting Executive Director

WSR 14-06-103
PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

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Subject of Possible Rule Making: WAC 246-824-075 Continuing education requirements for dispensing opticians, the department will consider amending this rule to require completion of ten hours of continuing education each year of the three year reporting cycle with five of the ten hours relating to contact lens education.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 18.34.120.

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: The department received a petition for rule making from the Opticians Association of

Washington requesting that opticians complete ten hours of continuing education each year of the three year reporting cycle, with five of the ten hours related to contact lens education. Currently, licensed opticians must report thirty hours of continuing education every three years with fifteen of the hours on contact lenses. The association's proposal would not increase the number of hours that a licensed dispensing optician would be required to report in a three year period. The association's intent is to better keep licensed dispensing opticians abreast of current and forecasted developments in a rapidly changing field.

Other Federal and State Agencies that Regulate this Subject and the Process Coordinating the Rule with These Agencies: None.

Process for Developing New Rule: Collaborative rule making.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication by contacting Judy Haenke, Program Manager, Department of Health, Dispensing Optician Program, P.O. Box 47852, Olympia, WA 98504-7852, judy.haenke@doh.wa.gov, phone (360) 236-4947, fax (360) 236-2901. Stakeholders will be notified and invited to participate in an open public rules workshop and may submit written comments for consideration. Stakeholders will be notified through listserv and posting to the web site.

March 5, 2014
 Jessica Todorovich
 Deputy Secretary
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 Secretary

WSR 14-06-105
PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR
STANDARDS BOARD

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Subject of Possible Rule Making: Chapter 181-78A WAC, Teacher preparation programs, higher education programs standards, criteria, infrastructure and timelines for approval.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 28A.210.410, 28A.305.130, 28A.410.010, and 28A.150.220.

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: The professional educator standards board (PESB) is responsible for teacher certification and preparation programs. The legislature continually directs the activities of teacher preparation and qualifications. Rule-making authority is granted to the PESB for Title 181 WAC.

Other Federal and State Agencies that Regulate this Subject and the Process Coordinating the Rule with These Agencies: None.

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. PESB meeting[s] are open to the public and regularly scheduled. The calendar of meetings is announced on the web site www.PESB.wa.gov.

March 5, 2014
David Brenna
Senior Policy Analyst

WSR 14-06-106
PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR
STANDARDS BOARD

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Subject of Possible Rule Making: Chapter 181-79A WAC, Standards for teacher, administrator, and educational staff associate certification, certification requirements related to professional certification.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 28A.210.410, 28A.410.010, and 28A.150.220

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: Amending rules for teacher, administrator, education staff associates certification. Addresses requirements for teachers, administrators and education staff associates for obtaining, retaining and renewing their certificate.

Other Federal and State Agencies that Regulate this Subject and the Process Coordinating the Rule with These Agencies: None.

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. Professional educator standards board meeting[s] are open to the public and regularly scheduled. The calendar of meetings is announced on the web site www.PESB.wa.gov.

March 5, 2014
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