

WSR 23-03-105

PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY

WHATCOM COMMUNITY COLLEGE

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Subject of Possible Rule Making: WAC 132U-122-010.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject:
RCW 28B.50.140(13), 28B.10.293; 20 U.S.C. § 1092(f).

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They
Might Accomplish: Whatcom Community College is implementing edits to
WAC 132U-122-010 to be in compliance with SSHB [2SHB] 2513. The update
to this WAC will prohibit the institution from withholding academic
transcripts due to unpaid debt.

Other Federal and State Agencies that Regulate this Subject and
the Process Coordinating the Rule with These Agencies: The Washington
state legislature passed SSHB [2SHB] 2513. The changes to Whatcom Com-
munity College's WAC 132U-122-010 will be in compliance with the
changes passed in SSHB [2SHB] 2513.

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 Lexus Criswell, 237 West Kellogg Road, Laidlaw 208, Bel-
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