

WSR 24-20-115
PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
EDMONDS COLLEGE

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Subject of Possible Rule Making: Chapter 132Y-300 WAC.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject:
RCW 28B.50.140(13); chapter 34.05 RCW.

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They
Might Accomplish: On April 19, 2024, the United States Department of
Education released its final rule under Title IX. This rule requires
institutions of higher education to adopt investigative and discipli-
nary procedures addressing sex discrimination, including sex-based
harassment. The deadline for implementing the new rule was August 1,
2024. Emergency rules were adopted/filed on July 31, 2024, and now
need to be adopted permanently.

Other Federal and State Agencies that Regulate this Subject and
the Process Coordinating the Rule with These Agencies: United States
Department of Education.

Process for Developing New Rule: Proposed changes are being pre-
sented to the campus community for feedback and a public meeting will
be held.

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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