Subject of Possible Rule Making: The department is considering rule changes to govern the for-profit use of specific wildlife species for dog aversion training.

Statutes Authorizing the Agency to Adopt Rules on this Subject: RCW 77.04.012, 77.04.055, 77.12.020, and 77.12.047.

Reasons Why Rules on this Subject may be Needed and What They Might Accomplish: Amendments to chapter 220-450 WAC are necessary to clarify the rules and regulations associated with for-profit use of wildlife in dog aversion training.

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


Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication by contacting Eric Gardner, 1111 Washington Street S.E., [Olympia], WA 98504, phone 360-902-2515, fax 360-902-2162, email Rules.coordinator@dfw.wa.gov, website wdfw.wa.gov.

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