



PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY

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Agency: Department of Licensing

Subject of possible rule making: Fee increases for business and professional licensees funded out of the 06L account.

Statutes authorizing the agency to adopt rules on this subject: RCW 43.24.086 – Fee policy for professions, occupations, and businesses – Determination by rule.

Reasons why rules on this subject may be needed and what they might accomplish: The Department is required to set fees for each professional, occupational, or business licensing program at a sufficient level to defray the costs of administering that program. Current fees are insufficient to sustain these programs and the department is considering fee increases.

Identify other federal and state agencies that regulate this subject and the process coordinating the rule with these agencies: N/A

Process for developing new rule (check all that apply):

- Negotiated rule making
- Pilot rule making
- Agency study
- Other (describe)

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication by contacting:

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