



# RULE-MAKING ORDER PERMANENT RULE ONLY

## CR-103P (December 2017) (Implements RCW 34.05.360)

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DATE: August 08, 2023

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WSR 23-17-026

**Agency:** Department of Licensing

**Effective date of rule:**

**Permanent Rules**

31 days after filing.

Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_ (If less than 31 days after filing, a specific finding under RCW 34.05.380(3) is required and should be stated below)

**Any other findings required by other provisions of law as precondition to adoption or effectiveness of rule?**

Yes  No If Yes, explain:

**Purpose:** The department is removing the requirement for schools to refer students for examination. This change aligns with HB 1017, passed during the 2023 legislative session, which allows cosmetology applicants to register for or take their exam if they are within 100 hours of completing the required coursework.

**Citation of rules affected by this order:**

New:

Repealed:

Amended: WAC 308-20-090 Student credit for training in a licensed school

Suspended:

**Statutory authority for adoption:** RCW 18.16.030 Director – Powers and duties

**Other authority:** N/A

**PERMANENT RULE (Including Expedited Rule Making)**

Adopted under notice filed as WSR 23-12-118 on June 7, 2023 (date).

Describe any changes other than editing from proposed to adopted version: N/A

If a preliminary cost-benefit analysis was prepared under RCW 34.05.328, a final cost-benefit analysis is available by contacting:

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**Note: If any category is left blank, it will be calculated as zero.  
No descriptive text.**

**Count by whole WAC sections only, from the WAC number through the history note.  
A section may be counted in more than one category.**

**The number of sections adopted in order to comply with:**

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|----------------------------------|-----|-----|---------|----------|----------|-----|
| Federal statute:                 | New | ___ | Amended | ___      | Repealed | ___ |
| Federal rules or standards:      | New | ___ | Amended | ___      | Repealed | ___ |
| Recently enacted state statutes: | New | ___ | Amended | <u>1</u> | Repealed | ___ |

**The number of sections adopted at the request of a nongovernmental entity:**

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| New | ___ | Amended | ___ | Repealed | ___ |
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**The number of sections adopted on the agency's own initiative:**

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| New | ___ | Amended | <u>1</u> | Repealed | ___ |
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**The number of sections adopted in order to clarify, streamline, or reform agency procedures:**

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| New | ___ | Amended | ___ | Repealed | ___ |
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**The number of sections adopted using:**

|                                |     |     |         |          |          |     |
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| Negotiated rule making:        | New | ___ | Amended | ___      | Repealed | ___ |
| Pilot rule making:             | New | ___ | Amended | ___      | Repealed | ___ |
| Other alternative rule making: | New | ___ | Amended | <u>1</u> | Repealed | ___ |

**Date Adopted:** August 8, 2023

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**Name:** Ellis Starrett

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**Title:** Rules and Policy Manager

**Signature:**

