

# Public hearing transcript of rulemaking activity for WAC 308-56A-525 - Vehicle seller's report of sale

December 27, 2023

Kelsey Stone (00:02):

Okie doke. I'm going to go ahead and get started and then we'll just admit people as they hop in from the program [inaudible 00:00:08]. Good morning. This is a public hearing before the Washington State Department of Licensing being held to a list of public testimony, both oral and written, with regard to post rule item WAC 308-56A-525. The proposed rule authorizes licensed vehicle dealers to file reports of sale on behalf of customers who sell, trade in or otherwise transfer ownership to the dealer.

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This hearing is being held via Zoom and in-person at 1125 Washington Street East, Olympia Washington. This hearing is taking place at 10 AM on December 27, 2023. Public notice of this hearing was given by notice number WSR23-23-179, filed at the court advisor's office on November 22, 2023. The department posts all of our ruling information on [dol.wa.gov/about/rulemaking-activity](http://dol.wa.gov/about/rulemaking-activity). And this is where you can access all rulemaking notices and proposed language for this rulemaking. The sign-in sheet, your testimony, and any documents you provide are public documents.

(01:13):

This rule is proposed pursuant to the provisions of RCW 46.01.110 and RCW 46.12.650. My name is Kelsey Stone and my title is Legislative Policy Analyst. The director of licensing has designated me to preside over this hearing. Representatives of the Washington State Department of Licensing are present today, if there are questions. The following representatives are here and available to answers questions. I'm just going skip through to people who are actually here. Chanté Vernie, Driver and Vehicle Records Assistant Administrator, Jill Johnson, Legislative and Special Projects Manager, and Brandon Banister, Policy and Legislative Analyst.

(01:51):

The procedure today will be as follows. The department is required to make a record of this hearing by stenographic, mechanical, or electronic means. Therefore, we are audio recording this hearing. For virtual attendees wishing to testify, please provide your name and contact information in the chat or unmute and tell me you would like to testify when I call on your screen name. For those in the room wishing to testify who have not already noted their desire to testify on the sign-in sheet, please wait for me to ask the room if there is anyone else willing to testify and notify me at that time. I will ask you to provide your contact information, which will be added to the sign-in sheet.

(02:24):

The sign-in sheet will be used to call forward individuals for testimony and is later used to ensure hearing participants are notified of ruling results and the agency's response to comments. You'll be

called to testify in the order in which I collect your information. To assist in preparing the record of this public hearing, individuals testifying today should state their name, who they represent if they're testifying on behalf of others, and whether they support to oppose the proposed rules. The department has received written comments on these proposed rules. For those wishing to provide written comments, please hand them to me or email them to [rulescoordinator@dol.wa.gov](mailto:rulescoordinator@dol.wa.gov) and we will include them in the formal record in our response to questions. Copies of these written comments will be added to the rulemaking file.

(03:03):

Now we will hear oral statements from those present. And it does not look like anyone has joined. Are there any other comments on these rules? [inaudible 00:03:14] Thank you for your comments. The department will prepare a concise explanatory statement which will, among other things, summarize all the oral and written comments received regarding the proposed rules and respond to them by category or subject matter. Copies of the concise explanatory statement will be forwarded to all those who have made oral or written comments.

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With that, this hearing is adjourned. Stop recording.