



PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY

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(Implements RCW 34.05.310)

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Agency: Department of Labor & Industries (L&I)

Subject of possible rule making: L&I is considering a possible fee increase for conveyances under WAC 296-96-00922, 296-96-01005, 296-96-01010, 296-96-01025, 296-96-01027, 296-96-01030, 296-96-01035, 296-96-01040, 296-96-01045, 296-96-01055, 296-96-01057, 296-96-01060, and 296-96-01065.

Statutes authorizing the agency to adopt rules on this subject: Chapter 70.87 RCW

Reasons why rules on this subject may be needed and what they might accomplish: This rulemaking considers increasing the elevator fees by 17 percent to fund a new Conveyance Management System (CMS). L&I is in the process of replacing its current CMS database that provides permitting, inspection, and other information. The current system has been in use since 2006. It is aging, failing, and no longer meets the service needs of customers and staff. The new CMS is expected to go online in mid-2023.

Identify other federal and state agencies that regulate this subject and the process coordinating the rule with these agencies: None

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 rules and formulation of the proposed rules before publication by contacting the individual listed below. The public can also participate after amendments are proposed by providing written comments and/or testimony during the public hearing and comment process.

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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