



**RULE-MAKING ORDER
EMERGENCY RULE ONLY**

**CR-103E (December 2017)
(Implements RCW 34.05.350
and 34.05.360)**

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DATE: August 08, 2019

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WSR 19-17-002

Agency: Department of Fish and Wildlife (Order 19-185)

Effective date of rule:

Emergency Rules

- Immediately upon filing.
- Later (specify) August 10, 2019

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

- Yes No If Yes, explain:

Purpose: Amend recreational salmon fishing rules for Catch Record Card Area 2.

Citation of rules affected by this order:

- New:
- Repealed: WAC 220-312-07000P
- Amended: WAC 220-312-070
- Suspended:

Statutory authority for adoption: RCW 77.04.012, 77.04.020, 77.12.045 and 77.12.047

Other authority:

EMERGENCY RULE

Under RCW 34.05.350 the agency for good cause finds:

- That immediate adoption, amendment, or repeal of a rule is necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety, or general welfare, and that observing the time requirements of notice and opportunity to comment upon adoption of a permanent rule would be contrary to the public interest.
- That state or federal law or federal rule or a federal deadline for state receipt of federal funds requires immediate adoption of a rule.

Reasons for this finding: This rule is needed to increase the Chinook portion of the salmon daily limit in Marine Area 2. Sufficient quota remains available to allow for this fishery and is consistent with co-manager agreed to fisheries. This emergency rule also covers other coastal areas for permanent rules agreed to at the North of Falcon proceedings until those permanent rules take effect (Marine Area 1) and in-season rule changes made to keep fisheries within agreement parameters (Marine Areas 3 and 4.) These rules are also adopted at the recommendation of the Pacific Fisheries Management Council, and have been adopted for federal waters by the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration. There is insufficient time to adopt permanent rules.

**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:

Federal statute:	New	___	Amended	___	Repealed	___
Federal rules or standards:	New	___	Amended	___	Repealed	___
Recently enacted state statutes:	New	___	Amended	___	Repealed	___

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

New ____ Amended ____ Repealed ____

The number of sections adopted on the agency's own initiative:

New 1 Amended ____ Repealed 1

The number of sections adopted in order to clarify, streamline, or reform agency procedures:


New ____ Amended ____ Repealed ____

The number of sections adopted using:

Negotiated rule making:	New	____	Amended	____	Repealed	____
Pilot rule making:	New	____	Amended	____	Repealed	____
Other alternative rule making:	New	____	Amended	____	Repealed	____

Date Adopted: August 7, 2019
Name: Kelly Susewind
Title: Director

Signature:



NEW SECTION

WAC 220-313-07000S Coastal salmon—Saltwater seasons and daily limits.

Notwithstanding the provisions of WAC 220-313-070, effective August 10, 2019 until further notice, it is unlawful to violate the provisions below. Unless otherwise amended, all permanent rules remain in effect:

(1) Catch Record Card Area 1:

- (a) Open immediately until further notice:
 - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon; no more than one may be a Chinook.
 - (ii) Release wild coho.
- (b) Closed in the Columbia River Mouth Control Zone 1 during all open periods.
See WAC 220-313-020.

(2) Catch Record Card Area 2:

- (a) Open immediately until further notice:
 - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
 - (ii) Release wild coho.
 - (iii) Beginning August 12, the Grays Harbor Control Zone is closed. Grays Harbor Control Zone – The area defined by a line drawn from the Westport Lighthouse (46°53.18'N latitude, 124°07.01'W longitude) to Buoy #2 (46°52.42'N latitude, 124°12.42'W longitude) to Buoy #3 (46°55.00'N latitude, 124°14.48'W longitude) to the Grays Harbor north jetty (46°55.36'N latitude, 124°10.51'W longitude).

(3) Grays Harbor (Catch Record Card Area 2-2 west of the Buoy 13 line):

- (a) Immediately through August 11: Open concurrent with Area 2 when Area 2 is open for salmon angling. Area 2 rules apply.
- (b) August 12 until further notice: Closed.

(4) Catch Record Card Area 3:

- (a) Open immediately until further notice:
 - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon; no more than one may be a Chinook.
 - (ii) Release wild coho.

(5) Catch Record Card Area 4:

- (a) Open immediately until further notice:
 - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
 - (ii) Release Chinook, wild coho, and chum salmon.

REPEALER

The following section of the Washington Administrative Code is repealed effective August 10, 2019:

WAC 220-313-07000P Coastal salmon—Saltwater seasons and daily limits. (19-157)

