



PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY

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Agency: Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW)

Subject of possible rule making: The department is considering creating new and amending existing hunting and fishing rules that apply to individuals with disabilities.

Statutes authorizing the agency to adopt rules on this subject: RCWs 77.04.012, 77.04.013, 77.04.055, 77.12.047, 77.32.237, 77.32.238, and 77.32.400.

Reasons why rules on this subject may be needed and what they might accomplish: The department seeks to better define hunting and fishing privileges that apply to the disabled and designated licensed hunters.

Identify other federal and state agencies that regulate this subject and the process coordinating the rule with these agencies: WDFW works with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, the Department of Interior (Civil Rights Division), and the Department of Justice on ADA compliance

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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