



PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY

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Agency: Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW)

Subject of possible rule making: Amend regulations pertaining to aquatic invasive species in WAC chapter 220-640.

Statutes authorizing the agency to adopt rules on this subject: RCWs 77.04.090, 77.04.130 and 77.32.430

Reasons why rules on this subject may be needed and what they might accomplish: The department needs to clarify regulations for the public concerning the possession of aquatic invasive species and inspection of vessels and boating equipment to check for harmful aquatic invasive species under WAC chapter 220-640.

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 rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication by contacting:

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