



**RULE-MAKING ORDER
EMERGENCY RULE ONLY**

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

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DATE: January 11, 2018

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WSR 18-03-069

Agency: Department of Fish and Wildlife (Order 18-05)

Effective date of rule:

Emergency Rules

- Immediately upon filing.
- Later (specify) January 13, 2018

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

- Yes No If Yes, explain:

Purpose: Amend Puget Sound recreational salmon rules.

Citation of rules affected by this order:

New:
 Repealed: WAC 220-313-06000J; WAC 220-313-06000K
 Amended: WAC 220-313-060
 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: Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife and tribal co-managers agreed to a limited number of chinook encounters fish that anglers are allowed in Marine Areas 8-1 through 10. Harvestable surplus hatchery Chinook are available in Area 10, while areas 8-1 through 9 still have high numbers of sublegal fish. This emergency rule is needed to modify these fisheries to stay within the agreed to number of encounters and increasing the possibility of providing season-long fisheries which will provide additional angling opportunity. 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Federal statute:	New	___	Amended	___	Repealed	___
Federal rules or standards:	New	___	Amended	___	Repealed	___
Recently enacted state statutes:	New	___	Amended	___	Repealed	___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 2

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: January 11, 2018	Signature: 
Name: J W Unsworth	
Title: Director	

NEW SECTION

WAC 220-313-06000K Puget Sound salmon—saltwater seasons and daily limits.

Notwithstanding the provisions of WAC 220-313-060, effective January 13, 2018, it is unlawful to violate the provisions below. Unless otherwise amended, all permanent rules remain in effect.

- (1) **Marine Catch Record Card Area 10; excluding Elliott Bay Fishing Pier at Terminal 86, Seacrest Pier, Waterman Pier, Bremerton Boardwalk, and Illahee State Park Pier:** Daily limit 2 salmon; release wild coho and wild Chinook.

REPEALERS

The following section of the Washington Administrative Code is repealed effective February 16, 2018:

WAC 220-313-06000J Puget Sound salmon—saltwater seasons and daily limits.

The following section of the Washington Administrative Code is repealed effective March 01, 2018:

WAC 220-313-06000K Puget Sound salmon—saltwater seasons and daily limits.

