



**RULE-MAKING ORDER
EMERGENCY RULE ONLY**

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

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DATE: September 12, 2018

TIME: 5:06 PM

WSR 18-19-029

Agency: Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (18-240)

Effective date of rule:

Emergency Rules

- Immediately upon filing.
- Later (specify) 5:00 a.m. September 16, 2018

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

- Yes No If Yes, explain:

Purpose: Amends Puget Sound commercial salmon fisheries for Puget Sound Salmon Management and Catch Reporting Area 7.

Citation of rules affected by this order:

- New:
- Repealed: WAC 220-354-18000E
- Amended: WAC 220-354-180
- Suspended:

Statutory authority for adoption: RCW 77.04.012, 77.04.020 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: Effective September 16, 2018 the Fraser River Panel under the Pacific Salmon Commission will relinquish regulatory control in Areas 7 and 7A. Per agreement with co-managers, the reef net fishery begins following relinquishment of regulatory control by the Fraser River Panel and surplus hatchery coho salmon are available for harvest. 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:

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| Federal statute: | New | _____ | Amended | _____ | Repealed | _____ |
| Federal rules or standards: | New | _____ | Amended | _____ | Repealed | _____ |

Recently enacted state statutes: New ____ Amended ____ Repealed ____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New ____ Amended ____ Repealed ____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:

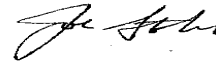
Negotiated rule making: New ____ Amended ____ Repealed ____
Pilot rule making: New ____ Amended ____ Repealed ____
Other alternative rule making: New ____ Amended ____ Repealed ____

Date Adopted: September 12, 2018

Name: Joe Stohr for Kelly Susewind

Title: Director

Signature:



NEW SECTION

WAC 220-354-18000E Reef net open periods.

Notwithstanding the provisions of WAC 220-354-180, effective immediately until further notice, it is unlawful to take, fish for, or possess salmon taken for commercial purposes in Puget Sound Salmon Management and Catch Reporting Areas except as provided in this section, provided that unless otherwise amended, all permanent rules remain in effect:

| Open Areas | Open Periods |
|------------|--|
| 7 | 5 AM – 9 PM daily September 16 through September 22 |

REPEALER

The following section of the Washington Administrative Code is repealed effective 11:59 PM September 22, 2018:

WAC 220-354-18000E Reef net open periods.