



RULE-MAKING ORDER EMERGENCY RULE ONLY

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

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DATE: October 28, 2021

TIME: 11:36 AM

WSR 21-22-056

Agency: Department of Fish and Wildlife (Order 21-241)

Effective date of rule:

Emergency Rules

- Immediately upon filing.
- Later (specify) November 1, 2021

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

- Yes No If Yes, explain:

Purpose: The purpose of this emergency rule is to change the daily salmon limit in Marine Area 11

Citation of rules affected by this order:

New:
 Repealed: WAC220-313-06000N
 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: Winter fishery opportunity in Marine Area 11 in 2021-22 is managed so as not to exceed a quota of 1,001 Chinook encounters as agreed in the 2021 List of Agreed Fisheries (LOAF). WDFW, in conjunction with recreational fishing advisors for Puget Sound, decided to reduce the daily limit to 1 Chinook salmon in order to maximize fishing opportunity, given the limited available harvest and encounters for the fishery scheduled to occur between November 1 and December 31, 2021. 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Federal statute:	New	___	Amended	___	Repealed	___
Federal rules or standards:	New	___	Amended	___	Repealed	___
Recently enacted state statutes:	New	___	Amended	___	Repealed	___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New ____ Amended ____ Repealed ____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: October 28, 2021

Name: Kelly Susewind

Title: Director

Signature:



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

Effective November 1, through December 31, 2021, the following provisions of WAC 220-313-060 regarding Chinook salmon retention in Marine Area 11, shall be as described below. All other provisions of WAC 220-313-060 not addressed herein, or unless otherwise amended by emergency rule, remain in effect:

Salmon daily limit is one (1). Chinook minimum size is 22". Release wild chinook, coho, and chum.

R E P E A L E R

The following section of the Washington Administrative Code is repealed effective January 1, 2022:

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