RULE-MAKING ORDER
EMERGENCY RULE ONLY

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

Agency: Department of Fish and Wildlife (Order 21-260)

Effective date of rule:
☐ Immediately upon filing.
☒ Later (specify) November 20, 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 close recreational salmon angling in Catch Record Card Area 11, beginning November 20, 2021.

Citation of rules affected by this order:
New:
Repealed: WAC 220-313-06000N
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: The current estimate of Chinook encounters of the planned Marine Area 11 Winter Chinook season is 94% (945 of 1,001) of the total encounters, 107% (683 of 637) of the sublegal encounters, and 110% (263 of 239) of the unmarked encounters agreed to in this year’s List of Agreed Fisheries (LOAF). Closure of recreational salmon angling in Catch Record Card Area 11, beginning Saturday, November 20, 2021, is needed because allowed sublegal and unmarked encounters have been reached, and to avoid exceeding total allowed Chinook encounters.

There is insufficient time to adopt permanent rules.

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A section may be counted in more than one category.

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**Date Adopted:** November 18, 2021

**Name:** Kelly Susewind

**Title:** Director

**Signature:**

\[Signature\]
NEW SECTION

WAC 220-313-06000Q Puget Sound salmon—saltwater seasons and daily limits.
Effective November 20 through December 31, 2021, the following provisions of WAC 220-313-060 regarding salmon seasons in Catch Record Card 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:

Catch Record Card Area 11: Salmon: Closed.

REPEALER

The following section of Washington Administrative Code is repealed, effective November 20, 2021:
WAC 220-313-06000N Puget Sound salmon—saltwater seasons and daily limits. (21-248)