



**RULE-MAKING ORDER
EMERGENCY RULE ONLY**

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

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STATE OF WASHINGTON
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DATE: August 03, 2022

TIME: 3:34 PM

WSR 22-17-007

Agency: Department of Fish and Wildlife (Order 22-157)

Effective date of rule:

Emergency Rules

- Immediately upon filing.
- Later (specify) August 5, 2022

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

- Yes No If Yes, explain:

Purpose: Amends recreational salmon rules in Puget Sound Marine Area 9.

Citation of rules affected by this order:

- New:
- Repealed: WAC 220-313-06000E
- 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 harvest for the summer fishery is 4,101 of the harvest quota of 4,700 (87%) agreed to in this year's List of Agreed Fisheries (LOAF). Chinook retention is being suspended in Marine Area 9 beginning 12:01am Friday August 5th, when it is anticipated harvest quota will be reached. 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Federal statute:	New	___	Amended	___	Repealed	___
Federal rules or standards:	New	___	Amended	___	Repealed	___
Recently enacted state statutes:	New	___	Amended	___	Repealed	___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New ____ Amended ____ Repealed ____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New 1 Amended ____ Repealed 1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: August 3, 2022

Name: Kelly Susewind

Title: Director

Signature:



NEW SECTION

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

Effective August 5, 2022 for Catch Record Card Areas 6 and 9 the following provisions of WAC 220-313-060 regarding salmon seasons for the Puget Sound Catch Record Card Areas shall be modified as described herein. All other provisions of WAC 220-313-060 not addressed herein, or unless otherwise amended by emergency rule, remain in effect:

- (1) **Catch Record Card Area 6:** Immediately, through August 15, 2022:
 - (a) Waters West of a true north-south line through the Number 2 Buoy immediately west of Ediz Hook:
 - (i) Salmon – Closed effective August 3 through August 15, 2022.
 - (b) Waters east of a true north-south line through the Number 2 Buoy immediately east of Ediz Hook:
 - (i) Daily limit 2.
 - (ii) Release chum, Chinook and wild coho.

- (2) **Catch Record Card Area 9:**
 - (a) August 5 through September 25, 2022.
 - (i) Daily limit 2.
 - (ii) Release wild Coho, Chinook and Chum.

REPEALER

The following section of the Washington Administrative Code is repealed effective August 5, 2022:

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