



# RULE-MAKING ORDER EMERGENCY RULE ONLY

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

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DATE: June 21, 2023

TIME: 4:24 PM

WSR 23-14-005

**Agency:** Department of Fish and Wildlife (Order 23-102)

**Effective date of rule:**

**Emergency Rules**

- Immediately upon filing.
- Later (specify) June 22, 2023

**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 the coastal commercial salmon troll fishery.

**Citation of rules affected by this order:**

New:  
 Repealed: WAC 220-354-30000T  
 Amended:  
 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:** Estimates of catch to date have been above expectation leaving limited remaining quota to prosecute the remainder of the June fishery. Closure of the fishery is needed to allow for tabulation of harvest to date to ensure the fishery does not exceed the summer quota. Additional openings in June may be considered if sufficient May-June quota remains.

**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Federal statute:	New	___	Amended	___	Repealed	___
Federal rules or standards:	New	___	Amended	___	Repealed	___
Recently enacted state statutes:	New	___	Amended	___	Repealed	___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New \_\_\_\_ Amended \_\_\_\_ Repealed \_\_\_\_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New \_\_\_\_ Amended \_\_\_\_ Repealed 1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	____

<b>Date Adopted:</b> June 21, 2023
<b>Name:</b> Kelly Susewind
<b>Title:</b> Director

**Signature:**



## REPEALER

The following section of the Washington Administrative Code is repealed, effective June 22, 2023:

WAC 220-354-30000T Coastal salmon troll seasons—Commercial. (23-94)