PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY

Agency: Employment Security Department

Subject of possible rule making: Chapter 192-270 WAC, Training Benefits


Reasons why rules on this subject may be needed and what they might accomplish: Engrossed Substitute House Bill 1906 (chapter 3, laws of 2009) made significant changes to the Training Benefits program, including eligibility criteria, application and enrollment timelines, and the definition of terms. The regulations in Chapter 192-270 WAC must be revised or repealed to conform to these changes. New regulations may be adopted as a result of the rule-making process.

Identify other federal and state agencies that regulate this subject and the process coordinating the rule with these agencies: None.

Process for developing new rule (check all that apply):

☐ Negotiated rule making
☐ Pilot rule making
☐ Agency study
☒ Other (describe) The agency will consult with stakeholders in the development of these regulations. Individuals interested in participating in this rule-making process should contact the department at the address listed below.

How interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication:

(List names, addresses, telephone, fax numbers, and e-mail of persons to contact; describe meetings, other exchanges of information, etc.)

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