



# PROPOSED RULE MAKING

## CR-102 (June 2004)

(Implements RCW 34.05.320)

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Agency: Workforce Training and Education Coordinating Board

- Preproposal Statement of Inquiry was filed as WSR 07-15-079 \_\_\_\_\_ ; or  
 Expedited Rule Making--Proposed notice was filed as WSR \_\_\_\_\_ ; or  
 Proposal is exempt under RCW 34.05.310(4).

- Original Notice  
 Supplemental Notice to WSR \_\_\_\_\_  
 Continuance of WSR \_\_\_\_\_

Title of rule and other identifying information: (Describe Subject)

CHAPTER 490-105 WAC Private Vocational Schools

### Hearing location(s):

SEATAC OCCUPATIONAL SKILLS CENTER  
18010 - 8<sup>TH</sup> AVENUE SOUTH  
SEATTLE WA 98148

Date: October 23, 2007 Time: 4:00 pm to 6:30 pm

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Date of intended adoption: November 8, 2007  
(Note: This is NOT the effective date)

### Purpose of the proposal and its anticipated effects, including any changes in existing rules:

Adopt new rules and/or revise existing rules that set standards for private vocational schools. The subjects under consideration are:

- (1) financial responsibility, (2) tuition refund deadlines, (3) applicants' ability to benefit, (4) "at risk" schools, and (5) faculty qualifications.

Reasons supporting proposal: This rule making is in response to the Legislature's adoption of SB5402 which increased the agency's oversight of private vocational schools. These rules will enhance the agency's oversight of schools and give it additional tools to deal with schools that are in distress.

Statutory authority for adoption: RCW 28C.10.040

Statute being implemented:

### Is rule necessary because of a:

- Federal Law?  Yes  No  
 Federal Court Decision?  Yes  No  
 State Court Decision?  Yes  No  
 If yes, CITATION:

DATE  
September 12, 2007

NAME (type or print)  
Peggy Rudolph

SIGNATURE

TITLE  
Program Manager

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DATE: September 12, 2007

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**Agency comments or recommendations, if any, as to statutory language, implementation, enforcement, and fiscal matters:**

**Name of proponent:** (person or organization)

**WORKFORCE TRAINING AND EDUCATION COORDINATING BOARD**

- Private  
 Public  
 Governmental

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**Has a small business economic impact statement been prepared under chapter 19.85 RCW?**

Yes. Attach copy of small business economic impact statement.

A copy of the statement may be obtained by contacting:

Name:

Address:

phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

fax ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

No. Explain why no statement was prepared.

**The proposed rule changes will impose no more than minor costs to private vocational schools.**

**Is a cost-benefit analysis required under RCW 34.05.328?**

Yes A preliminary cost-benefit analysis may be obtained by contacting:

Name:

Address:

phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

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e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

No: Please explain:

**The proposed rule changes will impose no more than minor costs to the Workforce Training and Education Coordinating Board.**

