



PROPOSED RULE MAKING

CR-102 (June 2004)

(Implements RCW 34.05.320)

Do **NOT** use for expedited rule making

Agency:

- Preproposal Statement of Inquiry was filed as WSR 06-07-160; 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: WAC 458-40-660 Timber excise tax – Stumpage value tables

Hearing location(s):

Capitol Plaza Building
4th Floor – Large L&P Conference Room
1025 Union Avenue SE
Olympia, Washington

Date: June 27, 2006 Time: 10:00 a.m.

Date of intended adoption: June 29, 2006
(Note: This is **NOT** the **effective** date)

Submit written comments to:

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Assistance for persons with disabilities: Contact Sandy Davis no later than 10 days before the hearing date.
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Purpose of the proposal and its anticipated effects, including any changes in existing rules:

The rule contains eight tables of stumpage values used to determine timber excise taxes. These eight tables represent the areas in the state in which timber is harvested. Each table breaks out the values by timber species, quality, and a downward adjustment for hauling. The rule also contains two harvest adjustment tables for the volume per acre that is harvested, logging conditions, remote island harvesting, damaged timber, and thinning. In addition, the rule also contains a domestic market adjustment table for export restricted public timber not sold through a competitive bidding process. The proposed rule adjusts the stumpage value tables as required by RCW 84.33.091.

Reasons supporting proposal: RCW 84.33.091 requires the values to be updated twice a year. This is the semi-annual update to be used for the second half of the calendar year 2006.

Statutory authority for adoption: RCW 82.32.300, 82.01.060(2), and 84.33.096

Statute being implemented: RCW 84.33.091

Is rule necessary because of a:

- Federal Law? Yes No
- Federal Court Decision? Yes No
- State Court Decision? Yes No

If yes, CITATION:

Date

Name

Alan R. Lynn

Signature

Title

Rules Coordinator

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Filed: May 24, 2006

Time: 11:31 a.m.

WSR: 06-11-183

The above information was input by DOR.

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

None.

Name of proponent: Washington State Department of Revenue

Private
 Public
 Governmental

Name of agency personnel responsible for:

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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:

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No. Explain why no statement was prepared.

A small business economic impact statement is not required when a legislative rule is being adopted under RCW 34.05.328.

Is a cost-benefit analysis required under RCW 34.05.328?

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

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No: Please explain: