



PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY

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(Implements RCW 34.05.310)

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Agency: Washington State Liquor and Cannabis Board

Subject of possible rule making: The Washington State Liquor and Cannabis Board (WSLCB) is considering creating new rules regarding plant canopy, and amending or repealing rules regarding plant canopy including WAC 314-55-075 and WAC 314-55-010(31).

Statutes authorizing the agency to adopt rules on this subject: RCW 69.50.342 and 69.50.345

Reasons why rules on this subject may be needed and what they might accomplish: Cannabis producers utilize a wide range of techniques and configurations in plant cultivation.

Rulemaking may be necessary to create, amend or repeal the rules on plant canopy after review.

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) Collaborative rule making.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication by contacting:

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Additional comments: Interested persons can participate in the rule process through open public meetings and by submitting written comments, and are encouraged to sign up for the interested parties list (GovDelivery) at <https://public.govdelivery.com/accounts/WALCB/subscriber/new>. Rule-making notices and stakeholder engagement opportunities will be emailed via GovDelivery and posted to the WSLCB website at lcb.wa.gov.

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