



RULE-MAKING ORDER

CR-103P (May 2009)
(Implements RCW 34.05.360)

Agency: Department of Labor and Industries

Permanent Rule Only

Effective date of rule:

Permanent Rules

31 days after filing.

Other (specify) _____ (If less than 31 days after filing, a specific finding under RCW 34.05.380(3) is required and should be stated below)

Any other findings required by other provisions of law as precondition to adoption or effectiveness of rule?

Yes No If Yes, explain:

Purpose:

Classification 4601 was one of the original classifications developed in 1911 when explosives production was much different than it is now. With the development of more stable products, better methods, and safety regulation by numerous state and federal agencies, a review was warranted. Classification Services conducted a study of the explosives industry in Washington State. Classification 4601, used for explosives ammunition and fireworks manufacturing, is assigned to only seven employers, in three sub-codes. The results of the study support the need for rule changes. This rulemaking will put explosive dealers into a classification more closely aligned with the nature of their work, and reassign the few businesses remaining in class 4601 to other classifications that are a better fit for their operations.

Citation of existing rules affected by this order:

Repealed: WAC 296-17A-4601
Amended: WAC 296-17A-2106, WAC 296-17A-3402, WAC 296-17A-3701
Suspended: N/A

Statutory authority for adoption: RCW 51.16.035, RCW 51.16.100, RCW 51.04.020(1)

Other authority :

PERMANENT RULE (Including Expedited Rule Making)

Adopted under notice filed as WSR 10-20-133 on October 5, 2010.

Describe any changes other than editing from proposed to adopted version: N/A

If a preliminary cost-benefit analysis was prepared under RCW 34.05.328, a final cost-benefit analysis is available by contacting: N/A

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**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Federal statute:	New	_____	Amended	_____	Repealed	_____
Federal rules or standards:	New	_____	Amended	_____	Repealed	_____
Recently enacted state statutes:	New	_____	Amended	_____	Repealed	_____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New	_____	Amended	_____	Repealed	_____
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The number of sections adopted in the agency's own initiative:

New	_____	Amended	3	Repealed	<u>1</u>
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The number of sections adopted in order to clarify, streamline, or reform agency procedures:

New	_____	Amended	<u>3</u>	Repealed	<u>1</u>
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The number of sections adopted using:

Negotiated rule making:	New	_____	Amended	_____	Repealed	_____
Pilot rule making:	New	_____	Amended	_____	Repealed	_____
Other alternative rule making:	New	_____	Amended	<u>3</u>	Repealed	<u>1</u>