AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 17-22-037, filed 10/24/17, effective 11/24/17)

WAC 388-96-107 Requests for extensions. (1) A contractor may request in writing an extension for submitting cost reports. Contractor requests must:

(a) Be addressed to the manager, nursing facility rates program;

(b) State the circumstances prohibiting compliance with the report due date; and

(c) Be received by the department ((at least ten days prior to the due date of the report)) by 5:00 p.m. on March 31st, 2020.

(2) The department may grant $((\frac{two}{)})$ extensions of up to thirty days each, only if the circumstances, stated clearly, indicate the due date cannot be met and the following conditions are present:

(a) The circumstances were not foreseeable by the provider; and

(b) The circumstances were not avoidable by advance planning.