**RULE-MAKING ORDER**

**Agency:** Department of Social and Health Services, Aging and Long-Term Support Administration

**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:** The Department is amending WAC 388-111-0001 to ensure compliance with newly passed legislation, Chapter 268 Laws of 2015, modifying definitions concerning vulnerable adults.

**Citation of existing rules affected by this order:**

- Repealed: None
- Amended: WAC 388-111-0001
- Suspended: None

**Statutory authority for adoption:** Chapter 71A.20 RCW

**Other authority:** Chapter 71A.20 RCW

**PERMANENT RULE (Including Expedited Rule Making)**

Adopted under notice filed as WSR 15-21-098 on October 21, 2015.

Describe any changes other than editing from proposed to adopted version: None

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

- Name:
- Address:
- Phone ( ) ____________
- Fax ( ) ____________
- E-mail ____________

**Date adopted:**

December 14, 2015

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**DATE:** December 16, 2015

**TIME:** 9:19 AM

**WSR 16-01-096**

**NAME (TYPE OR PRINT)**

Katherine Vasquez

**SIGNATURE**

[Signature]

**TITLE**

DSHS Rules Coordinator

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