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Summary

The Office of Programs and Policy is amending rules to be consistent with federal regulations and the state plan for Basic Food. These rule changes are under WACs 388-444-0005, 388-444-0065, 388-444-0070, and 388-444-0075. The changes include:

1. Correcting the weekly work hours for a job to be considered under the job quit rules from 20 to 30 hours or more per week.
2. Adding the “voluntarily reduction in work effort” provisions to be consistent with federal law.
3. Choosing to exercise a Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) state agency option not to require individual participants to obtain comparable employment after serving the appropriate disqualification period for quitting a job or voluntarily reducing work effort without good cause.