



PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY

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

Subject of possible rule making: The department is planning to amend WAC 388-78A-2371, Investigations.

Statutes authorizing the agency to adopt rules on this subject: Chapter 18.20 RCW

Reasons why rules on this subject may be needed and what they might accomplish: WAC 388-78A-2371 was recently adopted. However, public review after the comment period noted a concern in the language that must be corrected. Without correction, the section in question may have moderate negative impact to stakeholders and the department.

Identify other federal and state agencies that regulate this subject and the process coordinating the rule with these agencies: N/A

Process for developing new rule (check all that apply):

- Negotiated rule making
- Pilot rule making
- Agency study
- Other (describe)

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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