



RULE-MAKING ORDER PERMANENT RULE ONLY

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Agency: Washington State Noxious Weed Control Board

Effective date of rule:

Permanent Rules

- 31 days after filing.
- Other (specify) January 1, 2020 (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 WA State Noxious Weed List provides the basis for noxious weed control efforts for county and district weed control boards as well as other entities. This rule-making order amends 16-750 WAC by:

- South American spongeplant, *Limnobium laevigatum*, to the Class A list
- Designating Eurasian watermilfoil, *Myriophyllum spicatum*, to the Class B list in Kitsap County of region 2, and Kittitas and Whitman counties of region 5
- Designate Bohemian knotweed, *Polygonum x bohemicum*, to the Class B list in San Juan County of region 2, Stevens County of region 4, and Whitman and Yakima counties of region 5
- Designate Japanese knotweed, *Polygonum cuspidatum*, to the Class B list in Stevens County of region 4
- Designate Himalayan knotweed, *Persicaria wallichii*, to the Class B list in Clark County of region 3 and Stevens County of region 4
- Designate lesser celandine, *Ficaria verna*, to the Class B list in all of region 1, 3, 4, 5, 6 and region 2 except for King and Whatcom counties
- Designate leafy spurge, *Euphorbia virgata*, to the Class B list in Whitman County of region 5 and Garfield County of region 6
- Designate purple loosestrife, *Lythrum salicaria*, to the Class B list in Pierce County of region 2 and Benton County of region 6
- Designate wand loosestrife, *Lythrum virgatum*, to the Class B list in Mason County of region 1, Pierce County of region 2, and Benton County of region 6
- Designate poison hemlock, *Conium maculatum*, to the Class B list in Douglas County of region 4
- Designate policeman's helmet, *Impatiens glandulifera*, to the Class B list in Pacific County of region 1 and Pierce County of region 2
- Designate Ravenna grass, *Saccharum ravennae*, to the Class B list in Grant County of region 5
- Designate rush skeletonweed, *Chondrilla juncea*, to the Class B list in Kitsap County of region 2
- Designate European coltsfoot, *Tussilago farfara*, to the Class B list in Grant County of region 5
- Adding a standing legislative committee to WAC 16-750-140.
- Adding a new section, WAC 16-750-142, for the State noxious weed control board—Executive secretary and education specialist—Hiring and dismissal.
- Editing the State noxious weed control board—Executive secretary—Definition in WAC 16-750-145.
- Adding a new section, WAC 16-750-146, for the State noxious weed control board—Education specialist—Definition.
- Repealing the section WAC 16-750-150 regarding the State noxious weed control board- Executive secretary- Hiring and dismissal. This information was moved to section -142.

Citation of rules affected by this order:

New: 16-750-142; 16-750-146
 Repealed: 16-750-150
 Amended: 16-750-005; 16-750-011; 16-750-140; 16-750-145
 Suspended:

Statutory authority for adoption: Chapter 17.10 RCW

Other authority: Chapter 34.05 RCW

PERMANENT RULE (Including Expedited Rule Making)

Adopted under notice filed as WSR 19-20-120 on October 2, 2019 (date).

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

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

- Name:
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Note: If any category is left blank, it will be calculated as zero. No descriptive text.

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	<u>0</u>	Amended	<u>0</u>	Repealed	<u>0</u>
Federal rules or standards:	New	<u>0</u>	Amended	<u>0</u>	Repealed	<u>0</u>
Recently enacted state statutes:	New	<u>0</u>	Amended	<u>0</u>	Repealed	<u>0</u>

The number of sections adopted at the request of a nongovernmental entity:

New	<u>0</u>	Amended	<u>0</u>	Repealed	<u>0</u>
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The number of sections adopted on the agency's own initiative:

New	<u>2</u>	Amended	<u>4</u>	Repealed	<u>1</u>
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The number of sections adopted in order to clarify, streamline, or reform agency procedures:

New	<u>2</u>	Amended	<u>0</u>	Repealed	<u>0</u>
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The number of sections adopted using:

Negotiated rule making:	New	<u>0</u>	Amended	<u>0</u>	Repealed	<u>0</u>
Pilot rule making:	New	<u>0</u>	Amended	<u>0</u>	Repealed	<u>0</u>
Other alternative rule making:	New	<u>0</u>	Amended	<u>0</u>	Repealed	<u>0</u>

Date Adopted: November 26, 2019

Name: Anthony Stadelman

Title: Chairman, WA State Noxious Weed Control Board

Signature:

