



PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY

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Agency: Department of Children, Youth and Families (DCYF)

Subject of possible rule making: WAC 110-148-1326 Can I get a license to care for a specific child, and what are the requirements? And other related rules.

Statutes authorizing the agency to adopt rules on this subject: RCW [74.15.125](#)

Reasons why rules on this subject may be needed and what they might accomplish: WAC 110-148-1326 does not currently give DCYF the authority to issue child-specific licenses to an Indian child's family or extended family member with children in the custody of an Indian tribe or the tribe's child placing agency. This authority is now required by [Senate Bill 5683](#).

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) Collaborative

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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