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## Washington Administrative Code Notice of Permanent Rules for **Chapter 308-72 WAC**

This explanatory statement concerns the **Washington State Department of Licensing's repeal of Chapter 308-72 WAC Motor Vehicle Fuel Tax.**

The Administrative Procedure Act (RCW 34.05.325(6)) requires agencies to complete a concise explanatory statement before filing adopted rules with the Office of the Code Reviser. This statement must be provided to anyone who gave comment about the proposed rule making.

Once persons who gave comment during this rule making have had a chance to receive this document, the Department of Licensing will file the amended rules with the Office of the Code Reviser. These rule changes will become effective 31 days after filing (approximately December 17, 2016).

The Department of Licensing appreciates your involvement in this rule making process. If you have any questions, please contact Damon Monroe, Agency Rules Coordinator, at (360) 902-3843 or e-mail at [dmonroe@dol.wa.gov](mailto:dmonroe@dol.wa.gov).

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### What are the agency's reasons for adopting this rule?

This chapter is being repealed per Substitute House bill 1883. The bill simplifies and updates statutes related to fuel tax administration, signed into law in 2013 and effective July 1, 2016. The bill consolidated motor fuel (RCW 82.36) into special fuel (RCW 82.38). Chapter 308-77 WAC was renamed Fuel Tax Rules and Regulations and includes motor and special fuel statutes. Since motor and special fuel taxation rules are merged into one single WAC chapter, 308-72 WAC is no longer needed nor does it reflect current statutes.

### Summary of all public comments received on this rule proposal and the agency's response to those comments:

No comments received.

### WAC Changes:

There are no differences between the text of the proposed rule as published in the register and the text of the rule as adopted.