

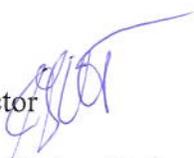


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**MEMORANDUM**

**Date:** February 16, 2012  
**To:** Interested Persons  
**From:** George A. Twiss, Executive Director   
**Subject:** Concise Explanatory Statement for Rules filed as WSR 12-02-002 amending chapter WAC 196-30 Fees for On-Site Wastewater Treatment Designers and Inspectors

**AMENDMENT TO CHAPTER 196-30 WAC  
FEES FOR ON-SITE WASTEWATER TREATMENT DESIGNERS AND INSPECTORS**

Copies of the proposed rules were sent out to subscribers to the Engineer's Listserv and On-Site Listserv, and were posted on the Board's website. A public comment hearing regarding WSR 12-02-002 was held on February 7, 2012, 1:00 p.m. at the Department of Licensing, Business & Professions Division, 404 Black Lake Boulevard, Room 2209, Olympia, WA.

The Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors is recommending to the Director of the Department of Licensing that the rules filed under WSR 12-02-002 be adopted. The planned implementation is for renewals occurring on or after March 1, 2012 to be eligible for the reduced fee.

**REASON FOR ADOPTION**

WSR 12-02-002 - The rules that were amended were necessary to reflect passage of HB 1061, signed by the Governor on May 5, 2011. The adjustments will lower the existing renewal fees for designers from \$325 a year to \$116 for a two-year renewal, and inspectors renewals will be lowered from \$150 a year to \$116 for a two-year renewal.

**DIFFERENCE IN THE PROPOSED RULE AND THE ADOPTED RULE**

None.

**SUMMARY OF COMMENTS**

The program received two written comments, both in support of the changes.