

## Washington Administrative Code Notice of Permanent Rules for Limousine Services

This explanatory statement concerns the **Washington State Department of Licensing's** adoption of changes to WAC 308-89-060 Fees

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 June 9, 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 <u>dmonroe@dol.wa.gov</u>.

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

Eliminating the processing fee for name and address changes will allow licensees to submit these changes directly to the department, bypassing the Department of Revenue/Business Licensing Services (BLS) step currently required. This should enable the department to process name and address changes within two to three days after receipt of the request from the licensee.

The word "new" is being removed from the application fee because this is a one-time fee and is not subject to renewal.

The word "new" is being removed from vehicle certificate fee because the original vehicle certificate fee and the renewal vehicle certificate fee are identical.

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

No comments were received.

## **Department Response:**

Not applicable.

WAC Changes: Amended WAC 308-89-060 Fees