Agency: Department of Licensing

Effective date of rule:

- Emergency Rules
  - Immediately upon filing.
  - Later (specify) ______________

Any other findings required by other provisions of law as precondition to adoption or effectiveness of rule?

- Yes
- No

If Yes, explain:

Purpose: To update costs the Department will charge for providing copies of public records to comply with EHB 1595 passed in the 2017 regular legislative session.

Citation of existing rules affected by this order:

- Repealed: ______________
- Amended: WAC 308-10-045
- Suspended: ______________

Statutory authority for adoption: RCW 42.56.040 and RCW 46.01.110

Other authority:

**EMERGENCY RULE**

Under RCW 34.05.350 the agency for good cause finds:

- That immediate adoption, amendment, or repeal of a rule is necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety, or general welfare, and that observing the time requirements of notice and opportunity to comment upon adoption of a permanent rule would be contrary to the public interest.
- That state or federal law or federal rule or a federal deadline for state receipt of federal funds requires immediate adoption of a rule.
- That in order to implement the requirements or reductions in appropriations enacted in any budget for fiscal year 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, or 2013, which necessitates the need for the immediate adoption, amendment, or repeal of a rule, and that observing the time requirements of notice and opportunity to comment upon adoption of a permanent rule would be contrary to the fiscal needs or requirements of the agency.

Reasons for this finding: EHB 1595, which took effect July 23, 2017, changed what costs may be charged for producing public records under the Public Records Act. In order for the Department to continue charging for producing copies of records in compliance with the new state law, it must change its rule governing copying and production costs of public records.

Date adopted: July 26, 2017

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