



PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY

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Agency: Public Disclosure Commission

Subject of possible rule making: Provide more clarity for the public inspection of books of account for candidates and political committees

Statutes authorizing the agency to adopt rules on this subject: RCW 42.17A.110(1)

Reasons why rules on this subject may be needed and what they might accomplish: RCW 42.17A.235(4)(a) requires a candidate or treasurer of a political committee to permit the public inspection for books of account-These changes will give the public, candidates, and political committees more clarity around these types of public inspections.

Identify other federal and state agencies that regulate this subject and the process coordinating the rule with these agencies: none

Process for developing new rule (check all that apply):

- Negotiated rule making
- Pilot rule making
- Agency study
- Other (describe) Collaborative rulemaking process

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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