



# PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY

**CR-101 (August 2017)**  
**(Implements RCW 34.05.310)**  
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**Agency:** Office of the Secretary of State

**Subject of possible rule making:** Update to filing information and procedures for corporate filing found in WAC 434. Including but not limited to 434-112-023, -050,-075, -080, -085,-090, 434-120-035, and -042, and others.

**Statutes authorizing the agency to adopt rules on this subject:** RCW 11.110, 18.100, 19.77, 19.09, 23.86, 23.90, 23B.01, 24.03, 24.06, 25.10, 25.15, 43.07, 46.64.

**Reasons why rules on this subject may be needed and what they might accomplish:** Update rules to reflect changes in filing processes

**Identify other federal and state agencies that regulate this subject and the process coordinating the rule with these agencies:**

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

- Negotiated rule making
- Pilot rule making
- Agency study
- Other (describe)

**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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