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**NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO FILE WRITTEN OBJECTIONS**  
**(By Monday, June 21, 2021)**

Re: Adoption-by-Reference Rule Revisions in Title 480 WAC  
Docket A-201016

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

The Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) has filed with the Code Reviser proposed revisions to the adoption-by-reference rules in Title 480 of the Washington Administrative Code (WAC). The Commission filed the proposed changes as an expedited rulemaking (CR-105) under Docket A-201016.

This proposal would revise adoption-by-reference dates to reflect the most current published versions of adopted federal rules and other adopted publications and correct ministerial errors.

**NOTICE**

**THE COMMISSION PROPOSES TO REVISE ADOPTION-BY-REFERENCE WACs AND CORRECT MINISTERIAL ERRORS UNDER AN EXPEDITED RULE-MAKING PROCESS THAT WILL ELIMINATE THE NEED FOR THE COMMISSION TO HOLD PUBLIC HEARINGS, PREPARE A SMALL BUSINESS ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT, OR PROVIDE RESPONSES TO THE CRITERIA FOR A SIGNIFICANT LEGISLATIVE RULE. IF YOU OBJECT TO THIS USE OF THE EXPEDITED RULE-MAKING PROCESS, YOU MUST EXPRESS YOUR OBJECTIONS IN WRITING AND SEND THEM TO THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AND SECRETARY BY ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSION AS DESCRIBED BELOW AND RECEIVED NO LATER THAN 5 P.M., MONDAY, JUNE 21, 2021.**

**Electronic copies.** Pursuant to WAC 480-07-250(3), written objections must be submitted in electronic form, specifically in searchable .pdf format (Adobe Acrobat or comparable

software). As provided in WAC 480-07-140(5), those objections must be submitted via the Commission's web portal at [www.utc.wa.gov/e-filing](http://www.utc.wa.gov/e-filing). If you are unable to submit documents via the portal, you may submit your objections by email to the Commission's Records Center at [records@utc.wa.gov](mailto:records@utc.wa.gov) or by mailing or delivering an electronic copy to the Commission's Records Center on a flash drive, DVD, or compact disc that includes the filed document(s). Comment submissions should include:

- The docket number of this proceeding (A-201016)
- The objecting party's name
- The title and date of the objections

The Commission will post on its web site any objections that are provided in electronic format. The web site is located at [www.utc.wa.gov/201016](http://www.utc.wa.gov/201016). If you are unable to file your objections electronically or to submit them on a disk, the Commission will accept a paper document.

If you have questions regarding this expedited rulemaking, please contact Gregory J. Kopta at (360) 664-1355, or by email at [gregory.kopta@utc.wa.gov](mailto:gregory.kopta@utc.wa.gov).

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