



PROPOSED RULE MAKING

CR-102 (June 2024)
(Implements RCW 34.05.320)
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WSR 25-20-104

Agency: Peninsula College, 1502 East Lauridsen Boulevard, Port Angeles, WA 98382

☒ Original Notice

☐ Supplemental Notice to WSR _____

☐ Continuance of WSR _____

☒ Preproposal Statement of Inquiry was filed as WSR 25-16-100 ; or

☐ Expedited Rule Making--Proposed notice was filed as WSR _____; or

☐ Proposal is exempt under RCW 34.05.310(4) or 34.05.330(1); or

☐ Proposal is exempt under RCW _____.

Title of rule and other identifying information: (describe subject) WAC 132A-127 Code of Student Rights and Responsibilities

Hearing location(s):

Date:	Time:	Location: (be specific)	Comment:
Fri., Nov.7, 2025	2:00 pm	Peninsula College, 1502 East Lauridsen Boulevard, Port Angeles, WA 98382, J-47 or ZOOM: https://pencol-edu.zoom.us/j/87904254593?pwd=7HPBkS0lVwFC7VlpZ3VbpUyEYZUaop.1&from=addon	

Date of intended adoption: November 18, 2025 (Note: This is NOT the effective date)

Submit written comments to:

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Other

Beginning (date and time) Oct. 1, 2025 at 8:00am

By (date and time) November 6, 2025 at 5:00pm

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Other

By (date) November 6, 2025

Purpose of the proposal and its anticipated effects, including any changes in existing rules:

To be in compliance with 2020 Title IX rules. On January 9, 2025, a U.S. District Court vacated the final Rule made on April 24, 2024. This notice is regarding Peninsula College adopting the 2020 Title IX rules and updating definitions in the Student Rights and Responsibilities to be in compliance with the 2020 Title IX rules.

Reasons supporting proposal: Required by federal law to update. Clarification of Title IX and conduct processes for students.

Statutory authority for adoption: RCW 28B.50.140(13)

Statute being implemented: 34 CFR Part 106

Is rule necessary because of a:			
Federal Law?		☒ Yes	☐ No
Federal Court Decision?		☐ Yes	☒ No
State Court Decision?		☐ Yes	☒ No
If yes, CITATION: 34 CFR Part 106			
Agency comments or recommendations, if any, as to statutory language, implementation, enforcement, and fiscal matters:			
Name of proponent: (person or organization) Peninsula College			
Type of proponent: ☐ Private. ☐ Public. ☒ Governmental.			
Name of agency personnel responsible for:			
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Is a school district fiscal impact statement required under RCW 28A.305.135? ☐ Yes ☒ No			
If yes, insert statement here:			
The public may obtain a copy of the school district fiscal impact statement by contacting: Name _____ Address _____ Phone _____ Fax _____ TTY _____ Email _____ Other _____			
Is a cost-benefit analysis required under RCW 34.05.328?			
☐ Yes: A preliminary cost-benefit analysis may be obtained by contacting: Name _____ Address _____ Phone _____ Fax _____ TTY _____ Email _____ Other _____			
☒ No: Please explain: NA			
Regulatory Fairness Act and Small Business Economic Impact Statement			
Note: The Governor's Office for Regulatory Innovation and Assistance (ORIA) provides support in completing this part.			
(1) Identification of exemptions:			
This rule proposal, or portions of the proposal, may be exempt from requirements of the Regulatory Fairness Act (see chapter 19.85 RCW). For additional information on exemptions, consult the exemption guide published by ORIA . Please check the box for any applicable exemption(s):			
☐ This rule proposal, or portions of the proposal, is exempt under RCW 19.85.061 because this rule making is being adopted solely to conform and/or comply with federal statute or regulations. Please cite the specific federal statute or regulation this rule is being adopted to conform or comply with, and describe the consequences to the state if the rule is not adopted. Citation and description:			
☐ This rule proposal, or portions of the proposal, is exempt because the agency has completed the pilot rule process defined by RCW 34.05.313 before filing the notice of this proposed rule.			
☐ This rule proposal, or portions of the proposal, is exempt under the provisions of RCW 15.65.570(2) because it was adopted by a referendum.			

- ☐ This rule proposal, or portions of the proposal, is exempt under [RCW 19.85.025\(3\)](#). Check all that apply:
- | | |
|---|---|
| ☐ RCW 34.05.310 (4)(b)
(Internal government operations) | ☐ RCW 34.05.310 (4)(e)
(Dictated by statute) |
| ☐ RCW 34.05.310 (4)(c)
(Incorporation by reference) | ☐ RCW 34.05.310 (4)(f)
(Set or adjust fees) |
| ☐ RCW 34.05.310 (4)(d)
(Correct or clarify language) | ☐ RCW 34.05.310 (4)(g)
(i) Relating to agency hearings; or (ii) process requirements for applying to an agency for a license or permit) |
- ☒ This rule proposal, or portions of the proposal, is exempt under [RCW 19.85.025\(4\)](#). (Does not affect small businesses).
- ☐ This rule proposal, or portions of the proposal, is exempt under RCW ____.
- Explanation of how the above exemption(s) applies to the proposed rule:

(2) Scope of exemptions: *Check one.*

- ☒ The rule proposal: Is fully exempt. (*Skip section 3.*) Exemptions identified above apply to all portions of the rule proposal.
- ☐ The rule proposal: Is partially exempt. (*Complete section 3.*) The exemptions identified above apply to portions of the rule proposal, but less than the entire rule proposal. Provide details here (consider using [this template from ORIA](#)):
- ☐ The rule proposal: Is not exempt. (*Complete section 3.*) No exemptions were identified above.

(3) Small business economic impact statement: *Complete this section if any portion is not exempt.*

If any portion of the proposed rule is **not exempt**, does it impose more-than-minor costs (as defined by RCW 19.85.020(2)) on businesses?

- ☐ No Briefly summarize the agency's minor cost analysis and how the agency determined the proposed rule did not impose more-than-minor costs. _____
- ☐ Yes Calculations show the rule proposal likely imposes more-than-minor cost to businesses and a small business economic impact statement is required. Insert the required small business economic impact statement here:

The public may obtain a copy of the small business economic impact statement or the detailed cost calculations by contacting:

Name
Address
Phone
Fax
TTY
Email
Other

Date: 9/30/2025

Name: Trisha Haggerty

Title: Rules Coordinator, Peninsula College

Signature:

Trisha Haggerty