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## Dear Kerry Radcliff:

This letter is to inform you the Employment Security Department is withdrawing a preproposal statement of inquiry filed as WSR 19-11-095. This preproposal was filed on May 20, 2019, and related to adjusting the hours unemployment claimants must be available for work in order to be eligible for unemployment benefits. After receiving feedback, the rulemaking will be expanded to include topics that were not included in the preproposal.

For this reason, WSR 19-11-095 is being withdrawn pursuant to WAC 1-21-060 and RCW 34.05.335.

Please email <u>rules@esd.wa.gov</u>, ATTN: Joshua Dye if you have questions.

Respectfully,

Dan Zeitlin

Director of Employment System Policy Policy, Data, and Performance Integrity Division Employment Security Department OFFICE OF THE CODE REVISER STATE OF WASHINGTON FILED

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CC: Joint Administrative Rules Review Committee