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Kerry Radcliff:

This letter is to inform you the Employment Security Department is withdrawing a preproposal statement of inquiry filed as WSR 19-14-060. This preproposal was filed on June 28, 2019, and related to both updating the department’s established public records disclosure rules and implementing SHB 1399 related to privacy provisions specific to the Paid Family and Medical Leave program. While both rulemaking topics are likely to be promulgated in the future, the department is revisiting the preproposal and is expected to promulgate the two topics separately.

For this reason, WSR 19-14-060 is being withdrawn pursuant to WAC 1-21-060 and RCW 34.05.335.

Please email ESDGrules@esd.wa.gov, Attn: Christina Streuli if you have questions.

Respectfully,

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