



# PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY

## CR-101 (October 2017) (Implements RCW 34.05.310)

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**Agency:** Washington Horse Racing Commission

**Subject of possible rule making:** Title 260-40-140 Horse must be eligible at time of entry.

**Statutes authorizing the agency to adopt rules on this subject:** RCW 67.16.020

**Reasons why rules on this subject may be needed and what they might accomplish:** Clarifies the horse must remain eligible in the time after entry and up to the time of the race. Ensures that if a horses eligibility changes after entries due to a redistribution of a purse, or any other reason, the horse is only allowed to compete if it remains eligible any time prior to racing..

**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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