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Agency: Employment Security Department

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Purpose: The Employment Security Department currently runs three programs: State Unemployment Insurance, WA Cares, and Paid Family and Medical Leave. As part of its duties, the Department receives payments from employers for each program. Occasionally, an employer sends a payment to the Department without indicating which program(s) the payment was intended for, and the Department is unable to make contact with the employer. There are currently no rules addressing how employer payments are allocated across these programs in these situations. Therefore, the Department is adopting new rules that address how payments will be allocated across these programs.

Citation of rules affected by this order:

New: WAC 192-03-010, WAC 192-03-020 Repealed: Amended: Suspended:

Statutory authority for adoption: RCW 50.12.010; RCW 50.12.040; RCW 50.24.010; RCW 50A.05.060; RCW 50A.10.030; RCW 50B.04.020; RCW 50B.04.080

Other authority:

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Describe any changes other than editing from proposed to adopted version: No changes were made.

If a preliminary cost-benefit analysis was prepared under RCW 34.05.328, a final cost-benefit analysis is available by contacting: Not applicable. No preliminary cost-benefit analysis was prepared.

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