

## Notice of Pre-Proposal Statement of Inquiry WSR 24-10-042

The Washington State Liquor and Cannabis Board (LCB) has filed a pre-proposal statement of inquiry (CR 101) to consider amending sections of some rules and repealing, amending, and creating other rule sections in Title 314 WAC, as necessary to implement <u>Substitute House Bill (SHB) 1453 (chapter 79, Laws of 2024)</u> relating to exempting medical cannabis patients from the excise tax for a temporary period of time.

The LCB encourages your input about this rulemaking. Following the CR 101 comment period, the agency will distribute and publish a CR 102 with proposed rules, establish a formal comment period consistent with chapter 34.05 RCW on the proposed rules, and hold a public hearing before the final rules are adopted.

## Public Comment

Please send your comments on the CR 101 to the LCB through mail, e-mail, or fax by **May 29, 2024.** The CR 102 with proposed rules is anticipated to be filed on or after June 18, 2024, following collaborative rule development.

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