



Washington State  
**Liquor and Cannabis Board**

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**Date:** May 22, 2024

**To:** David Postman, Board Chair  
 Ollie Garrett, Board Member  
 Jim Vollendroff, Board Member

**From:** Jeff Kildahl, Policy and Rules Coordinator

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**Subject:** **Approval to file a preproposal statement of inquiry (CR101) relating to allowing sale of cannabis waste.**

The Washington State Liquor and Cannabis Board (Board) is amending WAC 314-55-097 and other rules as may be required to implement Substitute Senate Bill 5376 (Chapter 243, Laws of 2024) relating to allowing sale of non-hazardous cannabis waste, including sales of cannabis waste to persons who are not cannabis licensees.

**Process**

The Policy and Rules Coordinator requests approval to file the preproposal statement of inquiry (CR101) for the rule making described above. A CR 101 Memorandum was presented at the Board meeting on May 22, 2024 and is attached to this order.

If approved for filing, the **tentative timeline** for the rule making process is outlined below:

May 22, 2024	Board is asked to approve filing notice of expedited rulemaking (CR 105). CR 105 is filed with the Office of the Code Reviser. Webpage is updated and notice circulated by GovDelivery distribution list. 45 day expedited rulemaking public comment period begins.
June 5, 2024	Notice published in the Washington State Register.
July 31, 2024	Board is asked to approve CR 102

September 11, 2024	Public Hearing on proposed rules
September 25, 2024	Board is asked to approve permanent adopt rules if no substantive changes are made (CR 103). CR 103 and adopted rules are filed with the Office of the Code Reviser. LCB webpage updated and notice circulated to all WSLCB GovDelivery subscribers.
October 26, 2024	Rules are effective 31 days after filing (unless otherwise specified).

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Attachments: CR 101 Memorandum