

## PROPOSED RULE MAKING

CR-102 (June 2012) (Implements RCW 34.05.320) Do NOT use for expedited rule making

Agency: State Building Code Council						
Preproposal Statement of Inquiry was filed a	8; or ; or	Original Notice				
Expedited Rule MakingProposed notice was filed as WSR Proposal is exempt under RCW 34.05.310(4) or 34.05.330(1).			Supplemental Notice to WSR	_		
Title of rule and other identifying information: (Describe Subject)						
Adoption and amendment of the 2012 Uniform Plumbing Code, WAC 51-56; and repeal of WAC 51-57, 2009 Uniform Plumbing Code Standards (now included in the amendment of WAC 51-56)						
Hearing location(s):		Submit writter	Submit written comments to:			
September 14, 2012 September 21, 2012		Name: Ray Allshouse, Chair, State Bldg Code Council Address: PO Box 41449				
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Date: Sept. 14/Sept 21 Time: 10 am		Assistance for persons with disabilities: Contact				
		Peggy Bryden by Sept7, 2012				
Date of intended adoption: November 9, 2012 (Note: This is <b>NOT</b> the <b>effective</b> date)		TTY ( ) or (360) <u>407-9280</u>				
Purpose of the proposal and its anticipated effe	ects, including ar	ny changes in ex	kisting rules:			
Reasons supporting proposal: RCW 19.27.031 and RCW 19.27.074						
Statutory authority for adoption: RCW 19.27.031 and 19.27.074		Statute being implemented: RCW 19.27 and RCW 34.05				
Is rule necessary because of a:		CODE REVISER USE ONLY				
Federal Law? Federal Court Decision?	Yes No		OFFICE OF THE CODE REVISER			
State Court Decision?	Yes No		STATE OF WASHINGTON FILED			
If yes, CITATION:						
<b>DATE</b> July 31, 2012			OATE: July 31, 2012 TIME: 3:27 PM			
NAME (type or print)		<sub>\</sub>	WSR 12-16-082			
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TITLE Council Chair		1				

Agency comments or recommendations, if any, as to statutory language, implementation, enforcement, and fiscal matters:  The Council is seeking comments on the issues proposed in the attached rules.				
Name of proponent: (person or organiza	tion) Washington State Building Code Council	☐ Private ☐ Public ☑ Governmental		
Name of agency personnel responsible				
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Enforcement Local Jurisdictions		( )		
Has a small business economic impact statement been prepared under chapter 19.85 RCW or has a school district fiscal impact statement been prepared under section 1, chapter 210, Laws of 2012?				
☐ Yes. Attach copy of small business economic impact statement or school district fiscal impact statement.				
A copy of the statement may b Name: Address:	e obtained by contacting:			
phone ( ) fax ( ) e-mail	<u>-</u> - 			
⊠ No. Explain why no statement was prepared.				
	visory group (TAG) examined all changes to the plumbing co he majority of the changes between the 2009 edition and the 2 I forward were clarifying language			
The State Building Code Council is not one of the agencies identified as required to prepare a school district impact statement.				
Is a cost-benefit analysis required unde	er RCW 34.05.328?			
☐ Yes A preliminary cost-benefit ar Name: Address:	nalysis may be obtained by contacting:			
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e-mail				
No: Please explain: The State Building Code Council is not one of the agencies identified as required to prepare an analysis.				

## Appendix A:

## Summary of changes in existing rules:

- 1. The amendment to Section 102.4 was removed as the 2012 UPC includes new language that covers appeals.
- 2. Modify the definition of "Insanitary" for consistency with UPC requirements for waterless urinals, to specify they are an allowable fixture.
- 3. Modify Section 408.4 and Table 703.2 regarding replacement fixtures. This will allow, in residential remodel situations, existing 1-1/2 inch piping to be used during residential remodels for a tub/shower replacement and an existing 3 inch horizontal waste pipe to be used in some cases for an additional water closet.
- 4. Section 407.5 was relocated to Section 402.5.
- 5. UPC water conservation requirements for prerinse spray valves were added in Section 403.5
- 6. Modify requirements in Section 414.3 for drainage connections for dishwashing machines for consistency with existing state requirements in Chapter 7.
- 7. The amendment to Section 601.1 was deleted; this language is now mirrored in the 2012 UPC.
- 8. Modify Sections 603.5.15 and 612 regarding residential fire sprinklers for consistency with IRC and IBC requirements, and with 2012 UPC language.
- 9. Amend Section 612 to clarify that domestic water piping is required to meet the insulation requirements in the energy code.
- 10. Section 701.1 was modified to be consistent with an editorial change in the formatting for the 2012 UPC. The existing amendment is item 2, the rest is unamended and was previously in separate sections.
- 11. Modify Section 705.4.2 regarding mechanical joints, requiring metallic shielding for both above and below ground installations of hubless cast-iron pipe and fittings.
- 12. Amend Section 1014.1.3 to clarify the requirements apply to hydromechanical grease interceptors.
- 13. The 2009 Chapter 16 language is deleted and replaced with the 2012 UPC language for reclaimed water (New Chapter 16) and rainwater (New Chapter 17) systems. A few amendments were retained for consistency with other state agency requirements.
- 14. WAC 51-57 was repealed and the adoption of appendix chapters of the UPC was added to WAC 51-56.

The remaining changes are in response to editorial changes or reorganizational moves in the 2012 UPC.