

NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULES - WSR 24-02-094

The Washington State Liquor and Cannabis Board (LCB) invites your input on proposed rules (CR 102) to amend <u>WAC 314-02-1071</u> and what constitutes a "trade area" as used in <u>RCW 66.24.630</u>. The proposed rules would exempt spirits retailers owned by Tribes and tribal enterprises, located in Indian country from requirements prohibiting operating within 20 miles of an existing spirits retailer.

This notice and other relevant rulemaking materials can be found at https://lcb.wa.gov/laws/current-rulemaking-activity

The LCB encourages your participation in the rulemaking process by providing feedback and comments on the proposed rules. The LCB will hold a public hearing before the rules are adopted.

Public Comment

Please send your comments to the WSLCB through mail, email, or fax by **February 14, 2024**.

By mail: Rules Coordinator By email: By fax:

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Public February 14, 2024

Hearing: 10:00 a.m.

All public Board activity will be held in a "hybrid" environment. This means that the public will have options for in-person or virtual attendance. The Boardroom at the headquarters building in Olympia (1025 Union Avenue, Olympia, WA 98504) will be open for in-person attendance. The public may also login using a computer or device, or call-in using a phone, to listen to the meeting through the Microsoft Teams application. The public may provide verbal comments during the specified public comment and rules hearing segments. TVW also regularly airs these meetings. Please note that although the Boardroom will be staffed during a meeting, Board

Members and agency participants may continue to appear virtually

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