**RULE-MAKING ORDER**  
**PERMANENT RULE ONLY**

CR-103P (December 2017)  
(Implements RCW 34.05.360)

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**Agency:** Washington State Patrol

**Effective date of rule:**

- **Permanent Rules**  
  ☒ 31 days after filing.  
  ☐ Other (specify) ______ (If less than 31 days after filing, a specific finding under RCW 34.05.380(3) is required and should be stated below)

**Any other findings required by other provisions of law as precondition to adoption or effectiveness of rule?**

- ☐ Yes  
- ☒ No  
  If Yes, explain:

**Purpose:** This permanent rules creates a new chapter 446-100 WAC, which provides authority to implement the bump-fire stock buy-back program. This new rule allows a person in possession of a bump-fire stock to relinquish the device to WSP in exchange for a monetary payment.

**Citation of rules affected by this order:**

- **New:** 446-100
- **Repealed:**
- **Amended:**
- **Suspended:**

**Statutory authority for adoption:** RCW 43.43

**Other authority:**

**PERMANENT RULE (Including Expedited Rule Making)**

Adopted under notice filed as WSR 18-15-033 on July 12, 2018 (date).

Describe any changes other than editing from proposed to adopted version:

If a preliminary cost-benefit analysis was prepared under RCW 34.05.328, a final cost-benefit analysis is available by contacting:

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**Other:**
Note: If any category is left blank, it will be calculated as zero. No descriptive text.

Count by whole WAC sections only, from the WAC number through the history note. A section may be counted in more than one category.

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Date Adopted: August 27, 2018

Name: John R. Batiste

Title: Chief

Signature: [Signature]

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NEW SECTION

WAC 446-100-010 Authority. The Washington state patrol will establish and administer a bump-fire stock buyback program in accordance with chapter 43.43 RCW.

NEW SECTION

WAC 446-100-015 Definitions. For the purpose of these rules, the following words and phrases will have the following meanings:

"Bump-fire stock" means a butt stock designed to be attached to a semiautomatic firearm with the effect of increasing the rate of fire achievable with the semiautomatic firearm to that of a fully automatic firearm by using the energy from the recoil of the firearm to generate reciprocating action that facilitates repeated activation of the trigger.

NEW SECTION

WAC 446-100-020 Procedures. The buyback program in which the Washington state patrol will pay one hundred fifty dollars to any Washington state resident, excluding gun dealers, who present a bump-fire stock that are in working condition, can be brought to a specified location.

(1) The Washington state patrol will hold events at its facilities throughout the state. These events will be announced on social media and the Washington state patrol web page at www.wsp.wa.gov.

(2) An individual must bring the bump-fire stock as defined in WAC 446-100-015 along with a valid driver's license or any other identification to a scheduled event.

(a) An individual must complete a voucher form provided by the Washington state patrol, with the individual's name and a valid mailing address for payment.

(b) The Washington state patrol will destroy the bump-fire stock and process the voucher form for payment.

(c) The Washington state patrol will issue a check and mail to the name and address on the voucher form.
After filing the CR 102, the proposed language was sent to all known stakeholders.

The hearing for WAC 446-100 was held on Thursday, August 23, 2018 in Room G015A in the Helen Sommers Building on 106 11th Avenue SW; Olympia WA 98504.

There were no public attendees at the hearing and no written comments were sent in.

In attendance from the Patrol were:
- Kimberly Mathis, Office of Government & Media Relations
- Captain Monica Alexander, Office of Government & Media Relations

The proposed amendments were not challenged. Therefore no changes are being made to the language. The final language filed will be the same as the language filed with the CR 102.

Thank you.

Kimberly Mathis
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