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STATE ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY ACT

DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE
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[Date of issuance]

Lead agency:

Agency Contact: name of staff contact, e-mail, phone

Agency File Number: (if applicable)

[Description of proposal – proposal is the total scope of the project or non-project, it is not limited to a description of the lead agency’s permit decision]

[Location of proposal - address, parcel number and/or latitude-longitude if available]

[Name, phone, e-mail of Applicant/Proponent]

Title of document being adopted:

Date adopted document was prepared:

Description of document (or portion thereof) being adopted: (include the lead agency, scope of review, and if the document has been appealed)

The adopted document is available at: (either attached or linked via website).

We have identified and adopted this document as being appropriate for this proposal after independent review. The document[s] meet[s] our environmental review needs for the current proposal and will accompany the proposal to the decision maker[s].

__________ (lead agency) has determined that this proposal will not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21C.030(2)(c). This determination is based on the following findings and conclusions:

[enter rationale for non-significance –such as mitigation measures that adequately]
address potential impacts, summary of permit conditions etc.

This DNS is issued under WAC 197-11-340(2) and the comment period will end on [enter date].

[Name, address, phone, e-mail of Responsible Official]:

Signature ___________________________________________ Date __________________________
(electronic signature or name of signor is sufficient)

Appeal process: [enter applicable appeal provision for this DNS]