



Request for Rulemaking Authority
Delegation: WAC 246-272A-0110, Table I,
Category 2

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Scope of Rulemaking - Potential Change

Testing Requirement for Proprietary Treatment Products – WAC 246-272A-0110, Table I

Treatment Component/Sequence Category	Required Testing Protocol
Category 2 Designed to treat effluent anticipated to be greater than treatment level E. (Such as at restaurants, grocery stores, mini-marts, group homes, medical clinics, residences, etc.)	<u>EPA Method 1664, Revision B (February 2010), and NSF/ANSI 40—Residential Wastewater Treatment Systems (versions dated between January 2009 and May 31, 2021)</u>

Testing Protocols/Method Requirements

- EPA/NSF Protocol for the Verification of Wastewater Treatment Technologies/
EPA Environmental Technology Verification (April 2001) –**ARCHIVED**
 - Organic Sewage Strength (CBOD₅)
 - Suspended Solids (TSS)
 - Oil and Grease
- EPA Method 1664, Revision B (February 2010)
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SBOH Delegation Considerations

- Most manufacturers already have tested, or plan to test, their products under NSF/ANSI 40—Residential Wastewater Treatment Systems (versions dated between January 2009 and May 31, 2021).
- Few manufacturers are interested in registering products under Category 2.
- Adding it as a testing requirement for Category 2 products is expected to impact few, if any, manufacturers.
- No expected controversy or opposition from interested parties.
- The department will notify all interested parties by email, provide the proposed rule language to interested parties, and post information about the rulemaking on the department's rulemaking webpage.



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