

**WAC 212-80-245 Penalty adjustments.** (1) The assessment of adjustment of penalties for amounts other than those set by chapter 18.160 RCW will be done only by the director through a hearings process either formally or informally.

(2) The assessment of penalties for not being in conformance with chapter 18.160 RCW, or this chapter may be made only after considering:

- (a) The gravity and magnitude of the violation.
- (b) The person's previous record.
- (c) Such other considerations as the director may consider appropriate.
- (d) The uniformity and consistency in the application of violations or penalties statewide.

[Statutory Authority: Chapters 18.160 and 18.270 RCW. WSR 22-22-072, § 212-80-245, filed 10/31/22, effective 1/1/23. Statutory Authority: RCW 18.270.900 and 18.160.030. WSR 14-03-019, § 212-80-245, filed 1/7/14, effective 2/7/14. Statutory Authority: RCW 18.270.900. WSR 09-01-114, § 212-80-245, filed 12/19/08, effective 1/19/09. Statutory Authority: Chapters 43.43 and 18.160 RCW. WSR 05-05-006, § 212-80-245, filed 2/4/05, effective 3/7/05.]