

The state of Washington has adopted the Producer model, which will go into effect on July 1st, 2009. Resident and non-resident licensees are highly encouraged to read the new laws and rules as there are many changes. Among these changes are:

- Licensing forms accepted and licensing/fingerprint fees
- Fingerprint requirements for non-residents
- Elimination of certain license types and lines of authority
- Addition of personal lines and variable lines of authority
- Changes to pre-licensing education requirements, exam fees, and exam types
- Bonding requirements

For further information, please use these links to access our website.

The Revised Code of Washington

<http://apps.leg.wa.gov/RCW/default.aspx?cite=48.17>)

Session Law 1568

<http://apps.leg.wa.gov/documents/billdocs/2009-10/Pdf/Bills/Session%20Law%202009/1568.SL.pdf>)

The Washington Administrative Code

http://www.insurance.wa.gov/agents_brokers/licensing/documents/284-17WAC.pdf)

There is also a list of Frequently Asked Questions listed on the OIC website

http://www.insurance.wa.gov/agents_brokers/ProdFAQ.shtml)