

**194-40-060 – Reporting fuel mix and greenhouse gas emission [19.405.070(1)]**

- (1) Each utility must submit by June 1 each year a fuel mix source and disposition report for the previous calendar year, consistent with RCW 19.29A.140, using a form provided by Commerce.
- (2) Each utility must submit by June 1 each year a greenhouse gas content calculation for the previous calendar year.
  - a. The greenhouse gas content calculation must be based on the quantities and fuel sources of electricity identified in the source and disposition report required under subsection (1) and must include all generating resources providing service to retail customers of that utility in Washington state, regardless of the location of the generating resource.
  - b. The greenhouse gas content calculation must comply with the calculation requirements established by the Department of Ecology in Chapter 173-444 WAC.

**194-40-400 – Documentation and retirement of renewable energy credits [19.405.040(1)(c)]**

- (1) The Western Renewable Energy Generation Information System is the renewable energy credit tracking system for purposes of verification of RECs under chapter 19.405 RCW.
- (2) Each utility must verify and document by the retirement of RECs all electricity from renewable resources used to comply with the requirements of RCW 19.405.040, RCW 19.405.050, or an interim target in a clean energy implementation plan.
- (3) Each utility using a REC for compliance must document the following:
  - a. The REC represents the output of a renewable resource;
  - b. The vintage of the REC is a year within the applicable compliance period; and
  - c. The utility has retired the REC to a retirement subaccount of the utility within WREGIS using the following values in the certificate transfer:
    - i. Retirement type: Used by the account holder for a state-regulated renewable portfolio standard/provincial utility portfolio standard;
    - ii. State/province: Washington; and
    - iii. Compliance year: Within the applicable compliance period.
- (4) A utility may use any REC retired to comply with RCW 19.285.040 for the purposes identified in subsection (2) if the compliance year indicated in the retirement documentation of the REC is within the compliance period of the standard or target identified in subsection (2).