**Chapter 180-19 WAC**

**CHARTER SCHOOLS**

**WAC 180-19-210 Annual Report by Authorizer** (1) Each authorizer must, no later than November 1 of each year starting in 2014, submit an annual report to the state board of education meeting the requirements of RCW 28A.710.100(4). The board shall develop and post on its web site by September 1 of each year a standard form which must be used, and instructions which must be followed, by each authorizer in making its report. The completed report must be sent via electronic mail to sbe@k12.wa.us and shall be posted on the board’s web site.

 (2) The report must include:

 (a) The date of authorizer approval by the board;

 (b) The names and job titles of district personnel having principal authorizing responsibilities, with contact information for each;

 (c) An executive summary, including but not limited to an overview of authorizing activity during the prior year and the status and performance of the charter schools authorized;

 (d) The authorizer’s strategic vision for chartering, as submitted to the state board under WAC 180-19-030(a), and its assessment of progress toward achieving that vision;

 (e) The status of the authorizer’s charter school portfolio, identifying all charter schools in each of the following categories:

 (i) Approved but not yet open, including, for each, the targeted student population and the community the school hopes to serve; the location or geographic area proposed for the school; the projected enrollment; the grades to be operated each year of the term of the charter contract; the names of and contact information for the governing board, and the planned date for opening;

 (ii) Operating, including, for each, location; grades operated; enrollment, in total and by grade, and at-risk students served, in total and as percent of enrollment;

 (iii)Charter renewed, with date of renewal;

 (iv) Charter transferred to another authorizer during the prior year, with date of transfer;

 (v) Charter revoked during the prior year, with date of and reasons for revocation;

 (vi) Voluntarily closed;

 (vii)Never opened, with no planned date for opening.

 (f) The academic performance of each operating charter school overseen by the authorizer, based on the authorizer’s performance framework, including:

 (i) Student achievement on each of the required indicators of academic performance in RCW 28A.710.170(2)(a)-(f), as applicable by grade, in absolute values and in relation to the annual performance targets set by the charter school under RCW 28A.710.170(3). Student academic proficiency, student academic growth, achievement gaps, graduation rates and postsecondary readiness must be included as reported in the achievement index developed by the state board of education under RCW 28A.657.110.

 (ii) Student achievement on each additional indicator of academic performance the authorizer has chosen to include in its performance framework to augment external evaluations of performance, in absolute values and in statistical relation to the annual performance targets set by the authorizer under RCW 28A.710.170.

 (iii) Student achievement on each indicator must be disaggregated by major student subgroups, including gender, race and ethnicity, poverty status, special education status, English language learner status, and highly capable status as required of performance frameworks in RCW 28A.710.170.

 (g) The financial performance of each operating charter school overseen by the authorizer, based on the indicators and measures of financial performance and sustainability in the authorizer’s performance framework;

 (h) The authorizer’s operating costs and expenses for the prior year for fulfilling the responsibilities of an authorizer as enumerated in RCW 28A.710.100(1) and provided under the terms of each charter contract, detailed in annual financial statements that conform with generally accepted accounting principles and applicable reporting and accounting requirements of the office of the superintendent of public instruction;

 (i) The contracted, fee-based services purchased from the authorizer by the charter schools under its jurisdiction under RCW 28A.710.110, including a brief description of each service purchased and an itemized accounting of the revenue received from the schools for the services and the actual costs of these services to the authorizer.