

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 07-17-124, filed 8/20/07, effective 9/20/07)

WAC 357-31-565 May employers grant paid leave for purposes of recognition? Employers who have received choice performance ((management)) confirmation may grant employees up to five days of paid leave within a ((~~twelve-month~~)) 12-month period to recognize outstanding accomplishments or the achievement of predefined work goals by individual employees or units. Leave granted under this provision:

(1) Is not payable upon layoff, dismissal, separation, or resignation or transferable between employers;

(2) Must be used within ((~~twelve~~)) 12 months of the leave being granted.