MODIFICATION REQUEST COVER SHEET

Name of Filer	**KEITH EFFLER**
Reporting Period	☒ Candidate Report - Covering May 8, 2025, to May 7, 2026 ☐ Appointee report
Type of Request	☒ New ☐ Renewal with No Change ☐ Full Commission Approval ☐ Renewal with Change
Office Held/Sought & Term	Assessor, Yakima County Candidate in 2026 Election
Application Rule(s)	☒ Income & Ownership Interest: WAC 390-28-100(1)(b) ☐ Personal Residence: WAC 390-28-100(1)(d) ☐ Attorney: WAC 390-28-100(1)(e)(i) ☐ Judge / Judicial Candidate: WAC 390-28-100(1)(e)(ii) ☐ Spousal: WAC 390-28-100(1)(e)(iv) ☒ Other: WAC 390-28-100(1)(e)
Explanation of Rule(s)	**Income and ownership interests.** An applicant may be exempted from reporting the information otherwise required by RCW **29B.55.030** (1)(f) and (g), if: (i) The information does not relate to a business entity which would be subject to the regulatory authority of the office sought or held by the applicant in whole or in part; (ii) Such reporting would present a manifestly unreasonable hardship to the applicant including, but not limited to: (A) Violating a legally recognized confidential relationship that serves a legitimate business interest, and otherwise was not formed to prevent required disclosure, although such relationship may be subject to administrative subpoena or court order to require disclosure; or (B) Adversely affecting the competitive position of an entity in which the applicant had an interest of 10 percent or more as described in RCW **29B.20.040**; and (iii) The interest in question would present no actual or potential conflict with the performance of the duties of the office sought or held. **Other.** An applicant may be exempted from reporting information otherwise required under RCW 29B.55.030 which would constitute a manifestly unreasonable hardship in a particular case, when the circumstances presented would not indicate any actual or potential conflict with the proper performance of the duties of the office sought or held.
Supporting Documents **(attached)**	☒ Current F-1 (filed May 21, 2026) ☒ Modification Application ☐ Prior order
Reason(s) for Modification **(as stated by filer)**	• Mr. Effler is requesting a reporting modification that would exempt him from disclosing any reportable digital assets of which he has ownership during the previous twelve months on his Personal Financial Affairs Statement (F-1 report).

	• Mr. Effler has indicated safety concerns connected to any disclosure of his digital assets, stating that providing such information could subject him to possible physical harm.
Other Issues	• Mr. Effler has disclosed all other reportable information on his F-1 report. • Mr. Effler has confirmed that his digital assets have no connection to Yakima County or the duties of county assessor, if elected. • Mr. Effler has agreed to recuse himself if a matter came before him involving a conflict of interest between his personal financial interests and Yakima County.