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Current with legislation from 2014

West's RCWA 22.09.620

22.09.620. Payment for agricultural commodities purchased--Time requirements

Every warehouse operator or grain dealer must pay for agricultural commodities purchased by him or her at the time and in the manner specified in the contract with the depositor, but if no time is set by the contract, then within thirty days after taking possession for purpose of sale or taking title of the agricultural product.

West's RCWA 22.09.630

22.09.630. Payment violations--Recovery by department--Charges to depositors

When a violation has occurred which results in improper payment or nonpayment and a claim is made to the department and the payment is secured through the actions of the department the following charges will be made to the depositor for the action of the department in the matter:

- (1) When reported within thirty days from time of default, no charge.
- (2) When reported thirty days to one hundred eighty days from time of default, five percent.
- (3) When reported after one hundred eighty days from time of default, ten percent.