RCW 15.53.9038  Department's remedies for noncompliance
—"Withdrawal from distribution" order—Condemnation—Seizure. (1)
When the department has reasonable cause to believe that any lot of
commercial feed is adulterated or misbranded or is being distributed
in violation of this chapter or any rules hereunder it may issue and
enforce a written or printed "withdrawal from distribution" order, or
"stop sale" order, warning the distributor not to dispose of the lot
of feed in any manner until written permission is given by the
department. The department shall release the lot of commercial feed so
withdrawn when the provisions and rules have been complied with. If
compliance is not obtained within thirty days, parties may agree to an
alternative disposition in writing or the department may institute
condemnation proceedings in a court of competent jurisdiction.

(2) Any lot of commercial feed not in compliance with the
provisions and rules is subject to seizure on complaint of the
department to a court of competent jurisdiction in the area in which
the commercial feed is located. If the court finds the commercial feed
to be in violation of this chapter and orders the condemnation of the
commercial feed, it shall be disposed of in any manner consistent with
the quality of the commercial feed and the laws of the state. The
court shall first give the claimant an opportunity to apply to the
court for release of the commercial feed or for permission to process
or relabel the commercial feed to bring it into compliance with this
chapter. [1995 c 374 § 42; 1982 c 177 § 5; 1975 1st ex.s. c 257 § 7;
1965 ex.s. c 31 § 16.]

following RCW 15.36.012.

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