WAC 182-32-2140  Presiding officer—Designation and authority.
The designation of a presiding officer must be consistent with the re-
quirements of RCW 34.05.485 and the presiding officer must not have
personally participated in the decision made by the school employees
benefits board (SEBB) organization or SEBB program.
   (1) The presiding officer will decide the issue based on the in-
formation provided by the parties during the presiding officer's re-
view of the appeal.
   (2) A presiding officer is limited to those powers granted by the
state constitution, statutes, rules, or applicable case law.
   (3) A presiding officer may not decide that a rule is invalid or
unenforceable.
   (4) In addition to the record, the presiding officer may employ
the authority's expertise as a basis for the decision.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 41.05.021, 41.05.160 and 2020 c 231. WSR
20-16-067 (Admin #2020-04), § 182-32-2140, filed 7/28/20, effective
8/28/20. Statutory Authority: RCW 41.05.021, 41.05.160 and SEBB policy
resolutions. WSR 19-01-055 (Admin #2018-01), § 182-32-2140, filed
12/14/18, effective 1/14/19.]