



STATE OF WASHINGTON  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIES  
**Field Services/Public Safety-Boiler Section**  
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**Memorandum**

**Date:** April 16, 2018  
**To:** To all Commissioned Inspectors in the State of Washington  
**From:** Tony Oda, Chief Boiler/Pressure Vessel Inspector  
**Subject:** Jurisdictional Requirements for replacement of Stamping during inservice inspections

1. If the nameplate is illegible or missing, a NCR will be generated to document the non-compliance.
2. If no welding is involved with the process of the nameplate replacement for inservice Pressure Retaining Items, please use the 2013 version of NB-136, Replacement of Stamped Data Form when requesting authorization for a replacement name plate.
3. If welding is involved in the replacement process a National Board "R" Stamp Certificate holder must be involved and the 2017 version of NB-136, Replacement of Stamped Data Form must be used when requesting authorization for a replacement name plate.
4. Email the appropriate completed NB-136 form with supporting proof of the original stamping to [odaa235@lni.wa.gov](mailto:odaa235@lni.wa.gov) or [camx235@lni.wa.gov](mailto:camx235@lni.wa.gov) for authorization.
5. After the replacement nameplate is attached and accepted by the inspector, close the non-compliance and document in JO in object comments "replacement nameplate".

Thank you for your cooperation. Please contact me for further information.

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