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Enclosed are documents for filing permanent rule amendments to Oregon Administrative Rules Chapter 340, Division 054. These permanent rules provide DEQ with long-term authority to administer funds from the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 through DEQ's Clean Water State Revolving Fund.

After filing, please stamp the enclosed photocopy of the Certificate and Order and return it to me in the enclosed envelope.

If you have questions regarding specific rule changes or formatting, please contact me at 503-229-6412.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Larry McAllister
Agency Rules Coordinator

Enclosures:

- Certificate and Order, original and 2 copies
- Hard copy of the formatted, adopted rules
- Diskette copy of the adopted rules
- Self-addressed envelope

cc: Legislative Counsel Office with hard copy of Certificate and Order and strikeout/underline version of the amendments

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Secretary of State
Certificate and Order for Filing
PERMANENT ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

I certify that the attached copies* are true, full and correct copies of the PERMANENT Rule(s) adopted on October 22, 2009 by the

<u>Environmental Quality Commission to be administered by DEQ</u>	<u>OAD Chapter 340</u>
Agency and Division	Administrative Rules
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to become effective upon filing. Rulemaking Notice was published in the August, 2009 *Oregon Bulletin*.**

RULE CAPTION

Amend the Clean Water State Revolving Fund – Permanent Rules

RULEMAKING ACTION

ADOPT: OAR 340-054-0098, 340-054-0100, 340-054-0102, 340-054-0104, 340-054-0106, 340-054-0108

AMEND: OAR 340-054-0024, 340-054-0025, 340-054-0035

REPEAL: NA

RENUMBER: NA

AMEND AND RENUMBER: NA

Stat. Auth.: ORS 468.020, 468.423-468.440

Other Authority: American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Public Law 111-5)

Stats. Implemented: ORS 468.423-468.440

RULE SUMMARY

The American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (the Act) allows the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency to allocate \$44.3 million to Oregon DEQ's Clean Water State Revolving Fund (CWSRF) to create jobs and promote economic recovery. To meet the requirements of the Act, the Environmental Quality Commission (EQC) adopted temporary amendments to DEQ's CWSRF loan program administrative rules in April 2009. By law, these temporary rules will expire in October 2009. The adoption of this permanent rulemaking ensures DEQ's program will meet the requirements of the Act.

Larry McAllister
Authorized Signer

October 26 2009
Date

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*Copies include a photocopy of this certificate with paper and electronic copies of each rule listed in the Rulemaking Action.

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