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DEQ is proposing a rulemaking to transfer certificate administration of pollution control tax credits to DEQ in order to streamline certificate administration and reduce workload. The comment deadline for this rulemaking is **Oct. 25, 2010**.

The Oregon Department of Environmental Quality proposes the following changes to OAR 340-016:

* Adopt and amend pollution control tax credits rules to allow DEQ perform certificate administration on behalf of the Environmental Quality Commission;
* Repeal the pollution prevention tax credit pilot program rules. The pilot program ended in 1999.
* Amend the truck engine tax credit rule to align rules to 2009 legislation that extends truck engine certification to December 31, 2013

Further information about this proposed rulemaking can be found on [DEQ's rulemaking page](http://www.deq.state.or.us/regulations/proposedrules.htm). The comment deadline is Oct. 25, 2010, 5 p.m.

* [Proposed Rulemaking Announcement](http://www.deq.state.or.us/regulations/rulemaking/TaxCredits/taxCreditRulemakingAnnouncement.pdf)

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