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On November 15, 2019, Oregon's Environmental Quality Commission adopted proposed amendments to the Oregon Department of Environmental Quality's rules at chapter 340, divisions 17 and 163. These rules affect DEQ's Heating Oil Tanks Program.

Summary

The rule amendments increase HOT program licensure fees for individuals and small businesses conducting HOT decommissioning work in Oregon. The amendments also increase report-filing fees for the work. This includes certified reports for HOT decommissions with no confirmed release, known as clean decommissions, and tiered fee increases based on the level of complexity for HOT decommissions requiring cleanup/corrective action. The 2019 Oregon Legislature approved these fee increases.

These rules will implement the fee increases authorized by the legislature. The new fees will become effective January 1, 2020. This rule change aligns DEQ's administrative rules with the new statutory fee amounts.

Filing Information

Administrative Order No. [DEQ 24-2019](#)
Filed Date: November 15, 2019
Effective Date: January 1, 2020
See: [December 2019 Oregon Bulletin](#)

Additional Information

To view copies of the documents and learn more about this rulemaking, you can view the rulemaking web page at: [HOT Rulemaking](#)

The staff report to the Environmental Quality Commission, which contains copies of the adopted rule amendments, is available online [here](#).

You can find the official, published version of the revised rules on the Oregon Secretary of State web site here: [Chapter 340](#)

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