Oregon OSHA - Adopted Changes
Federal Amendments to Consensus Standards for Personal Protective Equipment in General Industry and Maritime Activities, And
Oregon-initiated updates to consensus standards in Agriculture and Forest Activities

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Oregon OSHA adopted the changes in general industry and maritime activities as published in the September 9, 2009 Federal Register. The updated references are also made in Oregon OSHA’s Division 4, Agriculture, and Division 7, Forest Activities.

This is Oregon OSHA Administrative Order 2-2010, adopted and effective February 25, 2010.

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RULE CAPTION

Adopt federal amendments to consensus standards for personal protective equipment in general industry, agriculture, maritime activities, and forest activities.

RULEMAKING ACTION

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ORS 654.001 through 654.295
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