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## **Division 7, Forest Activities Changes Adopted**

Oregon OSHA adopts amendments to existing standards in Division 7, Forest Activities. Many of the changes are in response to a federal mandate to clarify the requirements for: wire rope inspections; and controlling hazardous energy. Additional clarifications are based on industry requests and input from Oregon OSHA's Forest Activities Standard Advisory Committee. After reviewing public hearing comments, Oregon OSHA decided not to adopt the proposed changes to the Medical Services and First Aid (OAR 437-007-0220) rule. However, 437-007-0220(3)(b) is amended to add 'or as required by a nationally recognized first aid training provider.' A program directive has been developed for clarification on the enforcement of these requirements.

This is OR-OSHA Administrative Order 3-2004, **adopted and effective June 7, 2004.**

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