

Oregon Bureau of Labor and Industries

Wage and Hour Division

Memo

DATE: January 15, 2008

TO: Legislators and Interested Persons

FROM: Christine Hammond, Administrator

Wage and Hour Division

REGARDING: Proposed Administrative Rule Regulating Prevailing Wage Rates on Public

Works

The Bureau of Labor and Industries has filed the attached Notice of Proposed Rulemaking with the Secretary of State for publication in the February 1, 2008 *Oregon Bulletin*.

The proposed rule amendments replace an erroneous reference to "fiscal year" with "budget period" in OAR 839-025-0008, relating to the period of time a public agency's list of planned public improvements must include, and clarify that pursuant to ORS 279C.836, Public Works Bonds are required to be filed with the Construction Contractors Board by contractors and subcontractors on public works projects of \$100,000 or more.

The text of the proposed rule amendments may be accessed on the bureau's webpage at www.oregon.gov/boli. (Click on the "New/Proposed Rules" link.) You may also request a copy of the rules by calling (971) 673-0853.

The last day for public comment will be February 25, 2008.

If you have any questions regarding the proposed rules, please contact PWR Technical Assistance Coordinator Susan Wooley at (971) 673-0853.

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