REVENUE IMPACT OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION

74th Oregon Legislative Assembly 2007 Regular Session Legislative Revenue Office **Bill Number:** HB 2172-B

Revenue Area: Income

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Measure Description:

Allows a personal income or corporate income or excise tax credit of up to 25% of the certified cost for qualifying repower or 50% of certified cost of qualifying retrofit. Adjusts the qualifying costs by any existing financial incentive when determining the amount of the credit. Limits the credit to the taxpayer's liability. Allows DOR to deny credit if the engine no longer meets the stated requirements. Disallows the credit in conjunction with the pollution control credit, but allows the credit in conjunction with the business energy tax credit (BETC). Limits total annual repower/retrofit credits to \$3 million and sunsets the credit certifications on December 31, 2017. Applies to tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2008. Allows a 3-year carry-forward and a transfer of the credit to another taxpayer. Extends existing tax credit for new low emission truck engines for engine model years through 2011. Limits total amount of credits for purchase of diesel engines to \$500,000 per year.

Revenue Impact:

(\$ Millions)	2007-08	2008-09	2007-09 Biennium	2009-11 Biennium
State General Fund	-\$0.6	-\$1.3	-\$1.9	-\$4.4

Impact Explanation:

The revenue impact is comprised of the new credit for the repower or retrofit of diesel truck engines and the sunset extension for the existing credit for the purchase of qualifying diesel truck engines. The revenue impact assumes the usage of the repower/retrofit credit is phased in over time.

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