

Senate Bill 452

Sponsored by Senator GIROD (Pre-session filed.)

SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure **as introduced**.

Requires State Department of Energy to adopt rules requiring decommission, deconstruction and removal of certain wind towers and turbines within three years after permanent cessation of use of tower and turbine for generation of wind energy.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

1
2 Relating to wind turbines.

3 **Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:**

4 **SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2015 Act is added to and made a part of ORS 469.300 to**
5 **469.563.**

6 **SECTION 2. The State Department of Energy shall adopt rules requiring the holders of**
7 **site certificates for energy facilities that provide power from wind energy to decommission,**
8 **deconstruct and remove any wind tower and turbine that is part of the facility subject to the**
9 **site certificate within three years after the permanent cessation of use of the wind tower**
10 **and turbine for the generation of wind energy.**

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NOTE: Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter [*italic and bracketed*] is existing law to be omitted. New sections are in **boldfaced** type.