



Oregon Fluorescent Lamp Bans: A Quick Guide

What You Need to Know:

If you're responsible for a facility in Oregon, it's crucial to understand House Bill #2531. This legislation aims to eliminate the sale of general-purpose fluorescent light bulbs containing mercury. Oregon took action by prohibiting the sale of high-CRI fluorescents effective January 1, 2023. The state has established clear timelines for phasing out CFLs by 2024 and linear fluorescents by 2025. Furthermore, the sale or distribution of compact fluorescent lamps went into effect on January 1, 2024.

Who's Affected?

All Oregon facilities using fluorescent lamps.

- All linear fluorescents with a high CRI are not legal.
- All compact fluorescent lamps with a screw base (e.g. E26) or bayonet base (e.g. GU24).
- Tube diameters (T5, T8, T10, T12) and lengths from 0.5 to 8.0 feet.
- Various types of linear fluorescent lamps, including single-pin, two-pin, and recessed double contact.
- Shapes like linear, U-bend, and circular are included in the transition.

Why LED?

- Fluorescent bulbs contain Mercury, which can pose health and safety risks.
- 50% or greater reduction in energy savings.
- Enhanced safety and reduced environmental impact.
- Increased fixture and component life for less maintenance and increased productivity.
- Greater light quality and illumination than fluorescents while using significantly less energy.

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- + **Audit Your Facilities**
- + **Optimize Potential LED Retrofit Solutions**
- + **Set a Timeline for Compliance**

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