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BOILER INSPECTIONS

QUICK REFERENCE GUIDE

ORS 480.510, cited as the Boiler and Pressure Vessel Law, mandates boiler and pressure vessel inspections. The frequency of inspections varies from one to five years depending on the type of boiler (ORS 480.560). These requirements are intended to protect people and property from hazardous fires and explosions caused by boilers and pressure vessels.

DEFINITION OF A BOILER (ORS 480.515)

- A closed vessel or vessels intended for the heating or vaporizing of liquids to be used externally to such vessel or vessels by the application of heat from combustible fuels, electricity or nuclear energy;
- Related appurtenances including but not limited to pressure piping directly connected and related to the safe operation of a boiler; and
- Pressure piping consisting of boiler or non-boiler external piping connected to a boiler, but not potable water non-boiler external piping.

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PACE offers members free boiler inspections as part of your property and casualty coverage.

To schedule the jurisdictional boiler and pressure vessel inspections:

- Contact Clay Rhodes at CNA at 503-899-9312 or clayton.rhodes@cna.com
- Provide the name of the insured, location address, contact name at the district and phone number

During an inspection, CNA will look for:

- Permits posted for jurisdictional objects near their location.
- Log book of activities in boiler room. OAR 918-225-0470
- Non-related boiler items in the boiler room. OAR 918-225-0470
- May not be CNA inspected. All cast iron sectional boilers need to have low-water cutout taken apart and inspected for proper operation. This has been a cause of many boilers melting down.

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