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**Proposed Rule Revision Tracker**

**Division 54 – CONVERSION OF A HYDROELECTRIC WATER RIGHT TO AN INSTREAM WATER RIGHT**

Changes made to the v2 RAC version. Changes are highlighted in the v3 RAC version of the rules for RAC member convenience. V3 is the same as the public comment draft except no highlights.

Section/ Version comment	Issue	Response/Modified Language	Status/ Version change made in
-0000 Applicability 11/18/25	Staff change -Update applicability date to reflect when rules will go into effect.	Applicability date revised to October 1, 2026.  Rule Summary updated to reflect revision.	Complete. Changes made in v3.
-0070(4), (5) Time and Place of Hearings, Exceptions, Final Order  11/18/25	Staff change – Restore language previously proposed for deletion:  “...or, if a hearing is not held, after the close of the protest period as defined in OAR 690-054-0050),...”	Rule language restored.  Rule Summary updated to remove reference to language deletion.	Complete. Changes made in v3.
-0075 Final Orders on Default  11/18/25	Staff change - Add rule section specifying that the Dept may withdraw a FO for reconsideration and issuance of a superseding PFO before 33 days elapse.	Rule section added: <u>(4) Notwithstanding subsection (1), not more than 33 days after the close of the time period for submitting a protest, the Department may withdraw a proposed final order for reconsideration and issuance of a superseding proposed final order.</u>  Rule Summary updated to reflect addition.	Complete. Changes made in v3.
<b>Minor</b>			
-0060 Filing of Protests  11/18/25	Staff changes - Correct rule numbers; make minor grammar correction in Rule Summary.	Rule numbering and Rule Summary updated to reflect revisions.	Complete. Changes made in v3.