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**Oregon Progressive Party
Position on Bill at 2017
Session of Oregon Legislature:**

SB 1008 A: Support

Dear Committee:

The Oregon Progressive Party supports this bill, which requires various actions with the aim of reducing the emission of air pollutants from diesel engines.

But we believe that continuing to provide government subsidies for replacing, repowering, or retrofitting existing diesel engines is a very short-sighted solution. Government subsidies should instead be used to encourage adoption of inherently cleaner transportation technologies, including electric vehicles and "right-sized" smaller cargo vehicles for urban deliveries.

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