House Bill 2106

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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.

Establishes fee for review of wetland delineation reports submitted to Department of State Lands.

Declares emergency, effective July 1, 2007.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

- Relating to fees for agency review of wetland delineation reports; creating new provisions; amending ORS 196.692; and declaring an emergency.
- 4 Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:
- 5 SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2007 Act is added to and made a part of ORS 196.800 to 6 196.825.
 - SECTION 2. (1) A person or governmental body must pay to the Department of State Lands a nonrefundable fee of \$350 when submitting a wetland delineation report to the department for a determination of:
 - (a) Whether waters of this state are present on a specific land parcel;
 - (b) Where the boundaries of waters of this state are located on a land parcel; or
 - (c) Whether the waters of this state or a proposed activity in the waters of this state is subject to permit requirements.
 - (2) The fee described in subsection (1) of this section is in addition to any permit application fee required under ORS 196.815. A person or governmental body submitting a revised report to replace a previously rejected report must pay an additional nonrefundable fee of \$350.
 - (3) The department shall increase the fees set forth in this section by three percent on January 1 of each year.
 - (4) Fees received under this section shall be credited to the Common School Fund for use by the department in administration of ORS 196.600 to 196.905.
 - SECTION 3. The Department of State Lands shall make the first increase in fees under section 2 of this 2007 Act on January 1, 2009.
 - **SECTION 4.** ORS 196.692 is amended to read:
 - 196.692. (1) The Department of State Lands shall adopt rules to carry out the provisions of ORS 196.668 to 196.692, 196.800, 196.810, 196.825, 196.830, 196.850 to 196.860, 196.885, 196.905, 197.015, 197.279, 215.213, 215.283, 215.284, 215.418 and 227.350 **and section 2 of this 2007 Act**.
 - (2) Rules adopted pursuant to subsection (1) of this section shall include rules governing the application for and issuance of permits to remove material from the beds or banks of any waters of this state or to fill any waters of this state including, but not limited to, clear and objective stan-

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dards and criteria for determining whether to grant or deny a permit. 1 SECTION 5. This 2007 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public 2 peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2007 Act takes effect 3 July 1, 2007.

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