HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 2240

By JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

April 13

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On page 1 of the printed bill, line 2, after "673.730" insert "; limiting expenditures; and declaring
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     an emergency".
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         Delete lines 4 through 26 and insert:
         "SECTION 1. ORS 673.685 is amended to read:
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         "673.685. (1) [The fees for licenses and registrations issued, renewed, reactivated or otherwise, and
     for examinations under ORS 673.605 to 673.740 shall be prescribed by The State Board of Tax
     Practitioners [but shall not exceed the following] shall adopt by rule fees for:
         "[(1)] (a) [For] Application for examination for a tax consultant's license[, $70].
         "[(2)] (b) [For] Application for examination for a tax preparer's license[, $40].
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         "[(3)] (c) [For] Issuance or renewal of a tax consultant's license[, $75].
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         "[(4)] (d) [For] Issuance or renewal of a tax preparer's license[, $65].
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         "[(5)] (e) [For] Issuance or renewal of a tax consultant's inactive license[, $50].
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         "[(6)] (f) [For] Issuance or renewal of a tax preparer's inactive license[, $35].
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         "[(7)] (g) [For] Reactivation of a tax consultant's inactive license[, $75; for] or reactivation of
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     a tax preparer's inactive license[, $65].
         "[(8)] (h) [For] Restoration of lapsed license[, $25].
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         "[(9)] (i) [For] Issuance or replacement of a duplicate license[, $10].
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         "[(10)] (j) [For] Issuance of a replacement or duplicate tax consultant certificate[, $15].
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         "[(11)] (k) [For] Registration or registration renewal for a sole proprietorship, partnership, cor-
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     poration or other legal entity[, $95].
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         "[(12)] (L) [For] Issuance or renewal of a combined tax consultant's or tax preparer's license
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     and registration for a sole proprietorship, partnership, corporation or other legal entity[, $120]. El-
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     igibility for a combined license shall be determined under rules adopted by the board.
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         "[(13)] (m) [For] Annual registration of a branch office of a sole proprietorship, partnership,
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     corporation or other legal entity[, $5].
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         "(2) The fees established by the State Board of Tax Practitioners under this section are
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     subject to the prior approval of the Oregon Department of Administrative Services and, if
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     their adoption occurs between regular sessions of the Legislative Assembly, a report to the
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     Emergency Board. The fees may not exceed the cost of administering the regulatory program
     of the State Board of Tax Practitioners pertaining to the purposes for which the fees are
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     established, as authorized by the Legislative Assembly within the board's budget, as that
     budget may be modified by the Emergency Board.".
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         On page 2, delete line 15.
         In line 16, delete "(4)" and insert "(3)".
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In line 26, delete "(5)" and insert "(4)".

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In line 28, delete "(6)" and insert "(5)".
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         In line 32, delete "(7)" and insert "(6)" and delete "(6)" and insert "(5)".
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         In line 36, delete "(8)" and insert "(7)".
         In line 37, delete "(9)" and insert "(8)".
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         In line 40, delete "(10)" and insert "(9)".
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         In line 43, delete "(11)" and insert "(10)".
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         After line 44, insert:
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         "SECTION 3. Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the limitation on
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     expenditures established by section 1, chapter ______, Oregon Laws 2007 (Enrolled House
     Bill 5045), for the biennium beginning July 1, 2007, as the maximum limit for payment of ex-
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     penses from fees, moneys or other revenues, including Miscellaneous Receipts, but excluding
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     lottery funds and federal funds, collected or received by the State Board of Tax Practitioners,
     is increased by $100,549.
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         "SECTION 4. This 2007 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public
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     peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2007 Act takes effect
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     on its passage.".
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