

House Bill 2348

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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**.

Repeals provision allowing health insurance policies to exclude coverage for loss due to insured's use of intoxicants or controlled substances.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to health insurance policies; creating new provisions; and repealing ORS 743.480.

3 **Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:**

4 **SECTION 1. ORS 743.480 is repealed.**

5 **SECTION 2. The repeal of ORS 743.480 by section 1 of this 2007 Act does not apply to a**
6 **policy, contract, subscriber agreement, rider or indorsement delivered or issued for delivery**
7 **in this state by an insurer before the effective date of this 2007 Act. However, the repeal of**
8 **ORS 743.480 by section 1 of this 2007 Act applies to a new, and to a renewal or extension of**
9 **an existing, policy, contract, subscriber agreement, rider or indorsement delivered or issued**
10 **for delivery in this state by an insurer on or after the effective date of this 2007 Act.**

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NOTE: Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter [*italic and bracketed*] is existing law to be omitted. New sections are in **boldfaced** type.