# House Bill 2370

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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.

Creates Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management in Oregon Military Department. Abolishes Office of Emergency Management and transfers functions to Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

# 1 A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to Oregon security; creating new provisions; amending ORS 182.122, 195.260, 286.760, 286.762, 286.766, 286.768, 286.780, 286.782, 286.786, 286.788, 401.025, 401.055, 401.270, 401.275, 401.280, 401.288, 401.290, 401.292, 401.294, 401.296, 401.300, 401.305, 401.337, 401.347, 401.385, 401.395, 401.425, 401.435, 401.445, 401.490, 401.500, 401.515, 401.535, 401.538, 401.543, 401.546, 401.550, 401.555, 401.560, 401.573, 401.576, 401.654, 401.710, 401.730, 401.735, 401.755, 401.785, 401.790, 401.806, 401.808, 401.816, 401.861, 401.863, 401.864, 401.871, 401.872, 401.874, 401.881, 453.342, 465.505, 466.635, 469.533, 824.088 and 837.035 and section 1, chapter 763, Oregon Laws 2005; repealing ORS 401.260; appropriating money; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2007 Act is added to and made a part of ORS 401.260 to 401.325.

<u>SECTION 2.</u> (1) The Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management is established in the Oregon Military Department.

- (2) The office shall be responsible for:
- (a) Coordinating and facilitating private sector and governmental efforts to prevent, prepare for, respond to and recover from emergencies; and
- (b) Coordinating exercises and training, planning, preparedness, response, mitigation and recovery activities with state and local emergency services agencies and organizations.
- <u>SECTION 3.</u> (1) The Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management is under the supervision and control of a director, who is responsible for the performance of the duties, functions and powers of the office.
- (2) The Adjutant General, with the approval of the Governor, shall appoint the Director of the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, who holds office at the pleasure of the Adjutant General.
- (3) The director shall be paid a salary as provided by law or, if not so provided, as prescribed by the Adjutant General, with the approval of the Governor.
- (4) For purposes of administration, subject to the approval of the Adjutant General, the director may organize and reorganize the office as the director considers necessary to properly conduct the work of the office.

**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.

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(5) The director may divide the functions of the office into administrative divisions. Subject to the approval of the Adjutant General, the director may appoint an individual to administer each division. The administrator of each division serves at the pleasure of the director and is not subject to the provisions of ORS chapter 240. Each individual appointed under this subsection must be well qualified by technical training and experience in the functions to be performed by the individual.

SECTION 4. (1) The Director of the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management may, by written order filed with the Secretary of State, appoint a deputy director. The deputy director serves at the pleasure of the director, has authority to act for the director in the absence of the director and is subject to the control of the director at all times.

(2) Subject to any applicable provisions of ORS chapter 240, the director shall appoint all subordinate officers and employees of the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, prescribe their duties and fix their compensation.

<u>SECTION 5.</u> In accordance with applicable provisions of ORS chapter 183, the Director of the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management may adopt rules necessary for the administration of the laws that the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management is charged with administering.

SECTION 6. (1) To aid and advise the Director of the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management in the performance of the functions of the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, the director may establish such advisory and technical committees as the director considers necessary. The committees may be continuing or temporary. The director shall determine the representation, membership, terms and organization of the committees and shall appoint their members. The director is an ex officio member of each committee.

(2) Members of the committees are not entitled to compensation, but in the discretion of the director may be reimbursed from funds available to the office for actual and necessary travel and other expenses incurred by them in the performance of their official duties in the manner and amount provided in ORS 292.495.

<u>SECTION 7.</u> The Director of the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management may enter into interagency agreements with other state agencies that the director determines are necessary to carry out the duties of the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management.

SECTION 8. (1) The following departments shall designate a person within each department to act as a liaison with the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management:

- (a) The Department of Transportation;
- (b) The State Department of Agriculture;
- (c) The Department of Environmental Quality;
- (d) The Department of Human Services;
- (e) The State Department of Energy;
- 40 (f) The Oregon Department of Administrative Services;
- 41 (g) The Department of State Police;
  - (h) The State Department of Geology and Mineral Industries; and
    - (i) The Oregon Military Department.
  - (2) Each person designated as a liaison under subsection (1) of this section shall assist in the coordination of the functions of the person's department that relate to emergency

preparedness and response with similar functions of the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management.

<u>SECTION 9.</u> (1) The Office of Emergency Management in the Department of State Police is abolished. On the operative date of this section, the tenure of office of the Director of the Office of Emergency Management ceases.

(2) All the duties, functions and powers of the Office of Emergency Management are imposed upon, transferred to and vested in the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management.

SECTION 10. (1) The Superintendent of State Police shall:

- (a) Deliver to the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management all records and property within the jurisdiction of the superintendent that relate to the duties, functions and powers transferred by section 9 of this 2007 Act; and
- (b) Transfer to the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management those employees engaged primarily in the exercise of the duties, functions and powers transferred by section 9 of this 2007 Act.
- (2) The Director of the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management shall take possession of the records and property, and shall take charge of the employees and employ them in the exercise of the duties, functions and powers transferred by section 9 of this 2007 Act, without reduction of compensation but subject to change or termination of employment or compensation as provided by law.
- (3) The Adjutant General shall resolve any dispute between the Office of Emergency Management and the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management relating to transfers of records, property and employees under this section, and the Adjutant General's decision is final.
- SECTION 11. (1) The unexpended balances of amounts authorized to be expended by the Office of Emergency Management for the biennium beginning July 1, 2007, from revenues dedicated, continuously appropriated, appropriated or otherwise made available for the purpose of administering and enforcing the duties, functions and powers transferred by section 9 of this 2007 Act are appropriated and transferred to and are available for expenditure by the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management for the biennium beginning July 1, 2007, for the purpose of administering and enforcing the duties, functions and powers transferred by section 9 of this 2007 Act.
- (2) The expenditure classifications, if any, established by Acts authorizing or limiting expenditures by the Office of Emergency Management remain applicable to expenditures by the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management under this section.
- SECTION 12. The transfer of duties, functions and powers to the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management by section 9 of this 2007 Act does not affect any action, proceeding or prosecution involving or with respect to such duties, functions and powers begun before and pending at the time of the transfer, except that the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management is substituted for the Office of Emergency Management in the action, proceeding or prosecution.

SECTION 13. (1) Nothing in sections 9 to 12 of this 2007 Act relieves a person of a liability, duty or obligation accruing under or with respect to the duties, functions and powers transferred by section 9 of this 2007 Act. The Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management may undertake the collection or enforcement of any such liability, duty or ob-

1 ligation.

(2) The rights and obligations of the Office of Emergency Management legally incurred under contracts, leases and business transactions executed, entered into or begun before the operative date of section 9 of this 2007 Act are transferred to the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management. For the purpose of succession to these rights and obligations, the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management is a continuation of the Office of Emergency Management and not a new authority.

SECTION 14. Notwithstanding the transfer of duties, functions and powers by section 9 of this 2007 Act, the rules of the Office of Emergency Management in effect on the operative date of section 9 of this 2007 Act continue in effect until superseded or repealed by rules of the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management. References in rules of the Office of Emergency Management or an officer or employee of the Office of Emergency Management are considered to be references to the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management or an officer or employee of the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management.

SECTION 15. Whenever, in any uncodified law or resolution of the Legislative Assembly or in any rule, document, record or proceeding authorized by the Legislative Assembly, reference is made to the Office of Emergency Management or an officer or employee of the Office of Emergency Management, the reference is considered to be a reference to the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management or an officer or employee of the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management.

SECTION 16. The Director of the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management may be appointed before the operative date of section 9 of this 2007 Act and may take any action before that date that is necessary to enable the director to exercise, on and after the operative date of section 9 of this 2007 Act, the duties, functions and powers of the director pursuant to section 9 of this 2007 Act.

SECTION 17. Except as otherwise specifically provided in section 16 of this 2007 Act, sections 1 to 15 of this 2007 Act, the amendments to statutes and uncodified law by sections 18 to 82 of this 2007 Act and the repeal of ORS 401.260 by section 83 of this 2007 Act become operative on January 1, 2008.

SECTION 18. ORS 401.025 is amended to read:

401.025. As used in ORS 401.015 to 401.105, 401.260 to 401.325 and 401.355 to 401.580, unless the context requires otherwise:

- (1) "Beneficiary" has the meaning given that term in ORS 656.005.
- (2) "Commission" means the Seismic Safety Policy Advisory Commission established under ORS 401.337.
- (3) "Emergency" [includes any] means a human caused or natural event or circumstance [causing or threatening] that causes or threatens widespread:
  - (a) Loss of life[,];
- **(b)** Injury to person or property[,];
  - (c) Human suffering; or
    - (d) Financial loss[, and includes, but is not limited to, fire, explosion, flood, severe weather, drought, earthquake, volcanic activity, spills or releases of oil or hazardous material as defined in ORS 466.605, contamination, utility or transportation emergencies, disease, blight, infestation, crisis influx of migrants unmanageable by the county, civil disturbance, riot, sabotage and war].

- (4) "Emergency management agency" means an organization created and authorized under ORS 401.015 to 401.105, 401.260 to 401.325 and 401.355 to 401.580 by the state, county or city to provide for and [assure] ensure the conduct and coordination of functions for comprehensive emergency program management.
- (5) "Emergency program management" includes all the tasks and activities necessary to provide, support and maintain the ability of the emergency services system to prevent or reduce the impact of emergency or disaster conditions which includes, but is not limited to, coordinating development of plans, procedures, policies, fiscal management, coordination with nongovernmental agencies and organizations, providing for a coordinated communications and alert and notification network and a public information system, personnel training and development and implementation of exercises to routinely test the emergency services system.
- (6) "Emergency program manager" means the person administering the emergency management agency of a county or city.
- (7) "Emergency service agency" means an organization within a local government which performs essential services for the public's benefit prior to, during or following an emergency. This includes, but is not limited to, organizational units within local governments, such as law enforcement, fire control, health, medical and sanitation services, public works and engineering, public information and communications.
- (8) "Emergency service worker" means an individual who, under the direction of an emergency service agency or emergency management agency, performs emergency services and:
- (a) Is a registered volunteer or independently volunteers to serve without compensation and is accepted by the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management or the emergency management agency of a county or city; or
- (b) Is a member of the Oregon State Defense Force acting in support of the emergency services system.
- (9) "Emergency services" includes those activities provided by state and local government agencies with emergency operational responsibilities to prepare for and carry out any activity to prevent, minimize, respond to or recover from an emergency. These activities include, without limitation, coordination, preparedness planning, training, interagency liaison, fire fighting, oil or hazardous material spill or release cleanup as defined in ORS 466.605, law enforcement, medical, health and sanitation services, engineering and public works, search and rescue activities, warning and public information, damage assessment, administration and fiscal management, and those measures defined as "civil defense" in [section 3 of the Act of January 12, 1951, P.L. 81-920 (50 U.S.C. 2252)] 50 U.S.C. app. 2252.
- (10) "Emergency services system" means that system composed of all agencies and organizations involved in the coordinated delivery of emergency services.
  - (11) "Human caused or natural event or circumstance" includes, but is not limited to:
- (a) Fire, explosion, flood, severe weather, drought, earthquake, tsunami, volcanic activity, spills or releases of oil or hazardous material as defined in ORS 466.605, contamination, utility or transportation emergencies, disease, blight, infestation, civil disturbance, riot, sabotage and war; and
- (b) A rapid influx of individuals from outside this state, a rapid migration of individuals from one part of this state to another or a rapid displacement of individuals if the influx, migration or displacement results from the type of event or circumstance described in paragraph (a) of this subsection.

- [(11)] (12) "Injury" means any personal injury sustained by an emergency service worker by accident, disease or infection arising out of and in the course of emergency services or death resulting proximately from the performance of emergency services.
- [(12)] (13) "Local government" means any governmental entity authorized by the laws of this 4 state.
  - [(13)] (14) "Major disaster" means any event defined as a "major disaster" under 42 U.S.C. 5122(2).
    - [(14)] (15) "Oregon emergency management plan" means the state emergency preparedness operations and management plan. The [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management is responsible for coordinating emergency planning with government agencies and private organizations, preparing the plan for the Governor's signature, and maintaining and updating the plan as necessary.
    - [(15)] (16) "Search and rescue" means the acts of searching for, rescuing or recovering, by means of ground or marine activity, any person who is lost, injured or killed while out of doors. However, "search and rescue" does not include air activity in conflict with the activities carried out by the Oregon Department of Aviation.
      - [(16)] (17) "Sheriff" means the chief law enforcement officer of a county.
      - **SECTION 19.** ORS 401.055 is amended to read:

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- 401.055. (1) The Governor may declare a state of emergency by proclamation at the request of a county governing body or after determining that an emergency has occurred or is imminent.
- (2) All requests by a county governing body that the Governor declare an emergency shall be sent to the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management. Cities must submit requests through the governing body of the county in which the majority of the city's property is located. Requests from counties shall be in writing and include the following:
- (a) A certification signed by the county governing body that all local resources have been expended; and
  - (b) A preliminary assessment of property damage or loss, injuries and deaths.
- (3)(a) If, in the judgment of the [Superintendent of State Police] Adjutant General, the Governor cannot be reached by available communications facilities in time to respond appropriately to an emergency, the [superintendent] Adjutant General shall notify the Secretary of State or, if the Secretary of State is not available, the State Treasurer that the Governor is not available.
- (b) After notice from the [superintendent] Adjutant General that the Governor is not available, the elected state official so notified may declare a state of emergency pursuant to the provisions of subsections (1) and (2) of this section.
- (c) If the [Superintendent of State Police] Adjutant General is unavailable to carry out the duties described in this subsection, such duties shall be performed by the [Director of the Office of Emergency Management] Director of the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management.
- (4) Any state of emergency declared by the Secretary of State or State Treasurer pursuant to this section has the same force and effect as if issued by the Governor, except that it must be affirmed by the Governor as soon as the Governor is reached. However, if the Governor does not set aside the proclamation within 24 hours of being reached, the proclamation shall be considered affirmed by the Governor.
  - (5) Any proclamation of a state of emergency must specify the geographical area covered by the

1 proclamation. Such area shall be no larger than necessary to effectively respond to the emergency.

SECTION 20. ORS 401.270 is amended to read:

401.270. The Director of the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management shall be responsible for coordinating and facilitating exercises and training, emergency planning, preparedness, response, mitigation and recovery activities with the state and local emergency services agencies and organizations, and shall, with the approval of the [Superintendent of State Police] Adjutant General or as directed by the Governor:

- (1) Make rules that are necessary and proper for the administration and implementation of ORS 401.015 to 401.105, 401.260 to 401.325, 401.355 to 401.580 and 401.706;
- (2) Coordinate the activities of all public and private organizations specifically related to providing emergency services within this state;
- (3) Maintain a cooperative liaison with emergency management agencies and organizations of local governments, other states and the federal government;
- (4) Have such additional authority, duties and responsibilities authorized by ORS 401.015 to 401.105, 401.260 to 401.325 and 401.355 to 401.580 or as may be directed by the Governor;
- (5) Administer grants relating to emergency program management, seismic rehabilitation, emergency services for the state and the statewide 2-1-1 system as provided in ORS 401.294;
- (6) Provide for and staff a State Emergency Operations Center to aid the Governor and the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management in the performance of duties under ORS 401.015 to 401.105, 401.260 to 401.325, 401.355 to 401.580 and 401.706;
- (7) Serve as the Governor's authorized representative for coordination of certain response activities and managing the recovery process;
- (8) Establish training and professional standards for local emergency program management personnel;
- (9) Establish task forces and advisory groups to assist the office in achieving mandated responsibilities;
- (10) Enforce compliance requirements of federal and state agencies for receiving funds and conducting designated emergency functions;
- (11) Oversee the design, implementation and support of a statewide 2-1-1 system as provided under ORS 401.288; and
- (12) Coordinate the activities of state and local governments to enable state and local governments to work together during domestic incidents as provided in the National Incident Management System established by the Homeland Security Presidential Directive 5 of February 28, 2003.

### **SECTION 21.** ORS 401.275 is amended to read:

- 401.275. (1)(a) The Department of State Police shall maintain a system for the notification and interagency coordination of state resources in response to [natural and technological] emergencies [and civil disorder] involving multijurisdictional cooperation between the various levels of government and private business entities.
- (b) The department shall provide the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management with a service level agreement that describes the continued daily operations and maintenance of the system, the services and supplies needed to maintain the system 24 hours a day, every day of the year and the policies and procedures that support the overall notification system.
  - (2) The notification system shall be managed by the [Office of Emergency Management] Office

- of Homeland Security and Emergency Management as a continuously available communications network and a component of the state's emergency operations center.
- (3) The notification system shall be the primary point of contact by which any public agency provides the state notification of an emergency or disaster, or requests access to state and federal resources.
- (4) Each department of state government, and those agencies of state government identified in the Oregon emergency management plan with emergency service or administrative responsibilities, shall appoint an emergency management coordinator as their representative to work with the office on the development and implementation of emergency plans and procedures.
- (5) The [Department of State Police] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management shall adopt rules relating to the planning, administration and operation of the notification system maintained under this section.

### **SECTION 22.** ORS 401.280 is amended to read:

- 401.280. (1) The [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management is designated as the sole agency of the State of Oregon for the purpose of negotiating agreements with the [Federal Emergency Management Agency] United States Department of Homeland Security or other appropriate federal agency, on behalf of the state, for the acquisition of federal funds for the purpose of providing emergency program management and emergency services. All city or county emergency management programs, emergency service agencies and state agencies applying for such funds shall coordinate with the [Office of Emergency Management] office on development of proposals and shall submit applications to the agency to be reviewed or processed, or both.
- (2) The office is authorized to accept and receive on behalf of the state, counties and cities federal funds for purpose of emergency program management and emergency services, to deposit such funds in the [Emergency Management] Homeland Security and Emergency Management Revolving Account and to authorize the disbursement and distribution of these funds in accordance with the applicable agreement.

### **SECTION 23.** ORS 401.288 is amended to read:

- 401.288. (1) Subject to subsection (3) of this section, the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management shall enter into a contract with a 2-1-1 system facilitator to design, implement and support a statewide 2-1-1 system.
  - (2) The contract shall ensure that the 2-1-1 system facilitator:
  - (a) Creates a structure for a statewide 2-1-1 resources database that:
- (A) Meets standards for information and referral systems databases established by a nationally recognized corporation devoted to improving access to services through a mechanism of information and referral; and
- (B) Will be integrated with local resources databases maintained by approved 2-1-1 service providers;
  - (b) Develops a statewide resources database for the 2-1-1 system; and
- (c) Maintains public information provided by state agencies and programs that provide health and human services for access by 2-1-1 service providers.
- (3) In awarding the contract under subsection (1) of this section, the office shall ensure that the 2-1-1 system facilitator has the funds and the financial capacity to carry out the terms of the contract and that the contract is cost-neutral to the office.

# SECTION 24. ORS 401.290 is amended to read:

- 401.290. (1) The 2-1-1 system facilitator shall recommend 2-1-1 service providers to the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management based on the following criteria:
- (a) The ability of the proposed 2-1-1 service provider to meet the national 2-1-1 standards recommended by a nationally recognized corporation devoted to improving access to services through a mechanism of information and referral;
  - (b) The financial stability of the proposed 2-1-1 service provider;
  - (c) The community support for the proposed 2-1-1 service provider;
- 9 (d) The relationships of the proposed 2-1-1 service provider with other information and referral services; and
  - (e) Other criteria that the 2-1-1 system facilitator deems appropriate.
  - (2) The office shall approve 2-1-1 service providers based on the recommendations of the 2-1-1 system facilitator. Only a 2-1-1 service provider approved by the office may provide 2-1-1 services.

# SECTION 25. ORS 401.292 is amended to read:

401.292. Before a state agency that provides health and human services establishes a new public information hotline, the state agency shall consult with the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management about using the 2-1-1 system to provide public access to the information.

# SECTION 26. ORS 401.294 is amended to read:

- 401.294. (1) The [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management may accept contributions of moneys and assistance from the federal government or its agencies or from any other source, public or private, and agree to conditions placed on the moneys not inconsistent with the purpose of establishing a statewide 2-1-1 system.
  - (2) The office may, from contributions of moneys received under subsection (1) of this section:
- (a) Provide grants to approved 2-1-1 service providers for the design, development, and implementation of 2-1-1 for their 2-1-1 service areas;
- (b) Provide grants to approved 2-1-1 service providers to enable the provision of 2-1-1 services on an ongoing basis; and
- (c) Provide grants to approved 2-1-1 service providers to enable the provision of 2-1-1 services 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

# SECTION 27. ORS 401.296 is amended to read:

401.296. The 2-1-1 Account is established in the State Treasury, separate and distinct from the General Fund. All moneys received by the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management for the 2-1-1 system under ORS 401.294 shall be deposited into the account and are continuously appropriated to the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management to be used only for the implementation and support of the 2-1-1 system.

# **SECTION 28.** ORS 401.300 is amended to read:

401.300. (1) The Director of the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, pursuant to the authority to administer grant programs for seismic rehabilitation provided in ORS 401.270, shall develop a grant program for the disbursement of funds for the seismic rehabilitation of critical public buildings, including hospital buildings with acute inpatient care facilities, fire stations, police stations, sheriffs' offices, other facilities used by state, county, district or municipal law enforcement agencies and buildings with a capacity of 250 or more persons that are routinely used for student activities by kindergarten through grade 12 public

- schools, community colleges, education service districts and institutions of higher education. The funds for the seismic rehabilitation of critical public buildings under the grant program are to be provided from the issuance of bonds pursuant to the authority provided in Articles XI-M and XI-N of the Oregon Constitution.
- (2) The grant program shall include the appointment of a grant committee. The grant committee may be composed of any number of persons with qualifications that the director determines necessary. However, the director shall include persons with experience in administering state grant programs and representatives of entities with responsibility over critical public buildings. The director shall also include as permanent members representatives of:
  - (a) The Department of Human Services;

- (b) The State Department of Geology and Mineral Industries;
- (c) The Seismic Safety Policy Advisory Commission; [and]
  - (d) The Oregon Department of Administrative Services;
  - (e) The Department of Education;
  - (f) The Oregon Fire Chiefs' Association;
  - (g) The Oregon Association Chiefs of Police; and
  - (h) The Oregon Association of Hospitals and Health Systems.
- (3) The director shall determine the form and method of applying for grants from the grant program, the eligibility requirements for grant applicants, and general terms and conditions of the grants. The director shall also provide that the grant committee review grant applications and make a determination of funding based on a scoring system that is directly related to the statewide needs assessment performed by the State Department of Geology and Mineral Industries. Additionally, the grant process may:
- (a) Require that the grant applicant provide matching funds for completion of any seismic rehabilitation project.
- (b) Provide authority to the grant committee to waive requirements of the grant program based on special circumstances such as proximity to fault hazards, community value of the structure, emergency functions provided by the structure and storage of hazardous materials.
- (c) Allow an applicant to appeal any determination of grant funding to the director for reevaluation.
- (d) Provide that applicants release the state, the director and the grant committee from any claims of liability for providing funding for seismic rehabilitation.
- (e) Provide separate rules for funding rehabilitation of structural and nonstructural building elements.
- (4) Subject to the grant rules established by the director and subject to reevaluation by the director, the grant committee has the responsibility to review and make determinations on grant applications under the grant program established pursuant to this section.

# SECTION 29. ORS 401.305 is amended to read:

- 401.305. (1) Each county of this state shall, and each city may, establish an emergency management agency which shall be directly responsible to the executive officer or governing body of the county or city.
- (2) The executive officer or governing body of each county and any city which participates shall appoint an emergency program manager who shall have responsibility for the organization, administration and operation of such agency, subject to the direction and control of the county or city.
  - (3) The local governing bodies of counties and cities that have both city and county emergency

- management programs shall jointly establish policies which provide direction and identify and define the purpose and roles of the individual emergency management programs, specify the responsibilities of the emergency program managers and staff and establish lines of communication, succession and authority of elected officials for an effective and efficient response to emergency conditions.
- (4) Each emergency management agency shall perform emergency program management functions within the territorial limits of the county or city and may perform such functions outside the territorial limits as required under any mutual aid or cooperative assistance agreement or as authorized by the county or city.
  - (5) The emergency management functions shall include, as a minimum:
- (a) Coordination of the planning activities necessary to prepare and maintain a current emergency operations plan, management and maintenance of emergency operating facilities from which elected and appointed officials can direct emergency and disaster response activities;
- (b) Establishment of an incident command structure for management of a coordinated response by all local emergency service agencies; and
- (c) Coordination with the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management to integrate effective practices in emergency preparedness and response as provided in the National Incident Management System established by the Homeland Security Presidential Directive 5 of February 28, 2003.
  - **SECTION 30.** ORS 401.337 is amended to read:
- 401.337. (1) There is established a Seismic Safety Policy Advisory Commission consisting of the following members:
  - (a) The chief officer or the chief officer's designee of the following:
    - (A) Department of Consumer and Business Services;
    - (B) State Department of Geology and Mineral Industries;
- 25 (C) Department of Land Conservation and Development;
- 26 (D) Department of Transportation; and

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- (b) Thirteen members appointed by the Governor as follows:
  - (A) One representative of local government;
- 31 (B) Six members representing the public interest, including:
- 32 (i) One representative of a school district, community college or university;
  - (ii) Two members of the Legislative Assembly; and
  - (iii) Three members of the general public; and
    - (C) Six members representing affected industries or stakeholders.
  - (2) The term of office of each member, except a member of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under subsection (1)(b) of this section is four years, but a member serves at the pleasure of the Governor. The term of office of a member of the Legislative Assembly expires at the end of the term for which the member is elected. Before the expiration of the term of a member, the Governor shall appoint a successor whose term begins on July 1 next following. A member is eligible for reappointment. If there is a vacancy for any cause, the Governor shall make an appointment to become immediately effective for the unexpired term.
    - **SECTION 31.** ORS 401.347 is amended to read:
- 44 401.347. The [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency
  - Management shall provide technical, clerical and other necessary support services to the Seismic

Safety Policy Advisory Commission. The Department of Consumer and Business Services, the Department of Human Services, the State Department of Geology and Mineral Industries, the Department of Land Conservation and Development, the Department of Transportation, the Water Resources Department and the Oregon University System shall provide assistance, as required, to the commission to enable it to meet its objectives.

### SECTION 32. ORS 401.385 is amended to read:

- 401.385. (1) Each emergency program manager of an emergency management agency shall maintain a record of enrollment of emergency service workers who are personnel of the agency. Each record shall contain the name and address of the worker, the name of the employer of the worker, date of enrollment and authorized classification of assignment to duty, including the times of assigned duty, as well as changes in enrollment. The record forms shall be supplied by the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management.
- (2) Records of membership in the Oregon State Defense Force shall be maintained by the Military Department [of the State of Oregon].

# SECTION 33. ORS 401.395 is amended to read:

- 401.395. If an emergency service worker sustains an injury, benefits shall be paid in the same manner as provided for injured workers under the workers' compensation laws of this state, except that:
- (1) If the injury results in temporary partial disability, no benefits shall accrue to the injured emergency service worker on account of loss of wages due to such disability.
- (2) Costs of rehabilitation services to disabled emergency service workers shall be paid from funds specifically appropriated therefor in an amount approved by the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, which shall be the reasonable and necessary cost of such services, including services of a physician or rehabilitation facility specially qualified to render rehabilitation services. Expenses of rehabilitation may include travel, board and room, when necessary.
- (3) The maximum amount payable for medical, surgical or hospital expenses, compensation and rehabilitation on any one claim shall not exceed \$20,000.

### **SECTION 34.** ORS 401.425 is amended to read:

- 401.425. (1) Claims for benefits under ORS 401.355 to 401.465 shall be filed by application with the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management in the manner provided by rules of the [Department of State Police] office.
- (2) The right to benefits under ORS 401.355 to 401.465 shall be barred unless written claim is filed with the office within 90 days after the injury, or, if death results therefrom, within 90 days after death. However, if death occurs more than one year after the injury, the right shall be barred unless prior written claim based on the injury has been timely filed. The requirements of this subsection may be waived by the office on the ground that, for good and sufficient reason, claim could not be filed on time.

# SECTION 35. ORS 401.435 is amended to read:

401.435. Any question of law or fact may be appealed to the circuit court of the county where the injury occurred within 30 days from the date of mailing of the final decision by the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, if the emergency service worker is dissatisfied with the final decision.

**SECTION 36.** ORS 401.445 is amended to read:

401.445. If funds are not available to the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland

Security and Emergency Management to pay claims approved under ORS 401.355 to 401.465, the [Department of State Police] Oregon Military Department shall request allocation of necessary funds from the Emergency Board if the unavailability occurs during the interim between sessions of the Legislative Assembly. If the unavailability occurs during a session, the [Department of State Police] department shall request the Joint Committee on Ways and Means to submit legislation necessary to provide such funds.

### **SECTION 37.** ORS 401.490 is amended to read:

401.490. In carrying out the provisions of ORS 401.015 to 401.105, 401.260 to 401.325 and 401.355 to 401.580, the Governor and the executive officers or governing bodies of the counties and cities may request and utilize the services, equipment, supplies and facilities of existing departments, offices and agencies of the state and of local governments. The officers and personnel of all local government departments, offices and agencies may cooperate with, and extend such services and facilities to the Governor, to the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management and to emergency management agencies and emergency service agencies upon request.

### **SECTION 38.** ORS 401.500 is amended to read:

401.500. The state shall reimburse a local government for the compensation paid and the actual and necessary travel, subsistence and maintenance expenses of employees of the local government while actually serving at the direction of the Governor or the Director of the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management in a state function or capacity.

### **SECTION 39.** ORS 401.515 is amended to read:

401.515. (1) During the existence of an emergency, the state and any local government, any agent thereof or emergency service worker engaged in any emergency services activity, while complying with or attempting to comply with ORS 401.015 to 401.105, 401.260 to 401.325 and 401.355 to 401.580 or any rule adopted under those sections, is not, except in cases of willful misconduct, gross negligence or bad faith, liable for the death or injury of any person, or damage or loss of property, as a result of that activity.

- (2) There shall be no liability on the part of a person who owns or maintains any building or premises which has been designated by any emergency management agency or emergency service agency or any public body or officer of this state or the United States as a fallout shelter or a shelter from destructive operations or attacks by enemies of the United States for the death of or injury to any individual or damage to or loss of property while in or upon the building or premises as a result of the condition of the building or premises or as a result of any act or omission, except willful misconduct, gross negligence or bad faith of such person or the servants, agents or employees of the person when the dead or injured individual entered or went on or into the building or premises for the purpose of seeking refuge therein during or in anticipation of destructive operations or attacks by enemies of the United States or during tests ordered by lawful authority.
- (3) The provisions of ORS 401.015 to 401.105, 401.260 to 401.325 and 401.355 to 401.580 do not affect the right of any person to receive benefits or compensation to which the person would otherwise be entitled under ORS 401.015 to 401.105, 401.260 to 401.325 and 401.355 to 401.580, under ORS chapter 656, under any pension or retirement law or under any act of Congress.
- (4) Emergency service workers, in carrying out, complying with or attempting to comply with any order or rule issued under ORS 401.015 to 401.105, 401.260 to 401.325 and 401.355 to 401.580 or any local ordinance, or performing any of their authorized functions or duties or training for the

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performance of their authorized functions or duties, shall have the same degree of responsibility for their actions and enjoy the same immunities as officers and employees of the state and its local governments performing similar work.

- (5) This section does not excuse any governmental agency from liability for intentional confiscation or intentional destruction of private property.
- (6) A person who complies with a lawful order of the Governor under ORS 401.015 to 401.105, 401.260 to 401.325 and 401.355 to 401.580 incurs no liability for damages resulting from compliance.
- (7)(a) An officer, employee or agent of the federal government or another state, or an agency or political subdivision of another state, who is accepted by the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management to act as an emergency service worker is an agent of this state for the purposes of this section and ORS 30.260 to 30.300.
- (b) An officer, employee or agent of the federal government or another state, or an agency or political subdivision of another state, who is accepted by a local government emergency management agency to act as an emergency service worker is an agent of the local government emergency management agency for the purposes of this section and ORS 30.260 to 30.300.

# SECTION 40. ORS 401.535 is amended to read:

401.535. There is created in the General Fund in the State Treasury an account to be known as the [Emergency Management] Homeland Security and Emergency Management Revolving Account. All contributions, grants-in-aid or other moneys received or collected by the [Office of Emergency Management of the Department of State Police] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, and any other funds contributed, granted or appropriated for transfer to the revolving account under authority of law shall be placed in the General Fund and credited to the [Emergency Management] Homeland Security and Emergency Management Revolving Account. Moneys in the [Emergency Management] Homeland Security and Emergency Management Revolving Account are continuously appropriated to the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management for the purpose of this section. The office may use the revolving account to pay for the purchase of organizational and mobile support equipment and surplus property, for shelter construction, administration and personal services, when the purchase or expense is incurred pursuant to the office's agreements with the federal government, other state agencies or political subdivisions of the state.

# SECTION 41. ORS 401.538 is amended to read:

401.538. (1) Each state or local agency shall drill agency employees working in office buildings on emergency procedures so that the employees may respond to an earthquake emergency without confusion or panic. The agencies shall conduct the drills in accordance with [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management rules. The drills must include familiarization with routes and methods of exiting the building and methods of "duck, cover and hold" during an earthquake. An agency shall conduct the drills annually. The [Office of Emergency Management] office may, by rule or on application, grant exemptions from the drill requirement for good cause.

(2) As used in this section, "state or local agency" means a state or local office, department, division, bureau, board or commission that is assigned, renting, leasing, owning or controlling office space for carrying out its duties. "State or local agency" includes the Legislative Assembly when in regular session.

# **SECTION 42.** ORS 401.543 is amended to read:

401.543. A person employing 250 or more full-time employees within this state shall drill em-

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ployees working in office buildings on emergency procedures so that the employees may respond to an earthquake emergency without confusion or panic. The person shall conduct the drills in accordance with [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management rules. The drills must include familiarization with routes and methods of exiting the building and methods of "duck, cover and hold" during an earthquake. The employer shall conduct the drills annually during the month of April. The [Office of Emergency Management] office may, by rule or on application, grant exemptions from the drill requirement for good cause.

**SECTION 43.** ORS 401.546 is amended to read:

 401.546. The [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, in consultation with the State Department of Geology and Mineral Industries, shall adopt rules governing the conduct of earthquake emergency drills required by ORS 401.538 and 401.543. In addition to the office submitting the rules for publication pursuant to ORS 183.360, the office and the department shall each post the rules on an electronic bulletin board, home page or similar site.

SECTION 44. ORS 401.550 is amended to read:

401.550. The Director of the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management shall appoint a Search and Rescue Coordinator to:

- (1) Coordinate the search and rescue function of the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management;
  - (2) Coordinate the activities of state and federal agencies involved in search and rescue;
- (3) Establish liaison with the Oregon State Sheriffs' Association and other public and private organizations and agencies involved in search and rescue;
  - (4) Provide on-scene search and rescue coordination when requested by an authorized person;
  - (5) Coordinate and process requests for the use of emergency service workers and equipment;
  - (6) Assist in developing training and outdoor education programs;
  - (7) Gather statistics in search and rescue operations; and
- (8) Gather and disseminate resource information of personnel, equipment and materials available for search and rescue.

**SECTION 45.** ORS 401.555 is amended to read:

401.555. The [Office of Emergency Management of the Department of State Police] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management shall establish and maintain a program for the air search and rescue of lost aircraft and persons and for the air support of other emergency situations. The program established under this section may include, but [shall not be] is not limited to, the following:

- (1) The formation of a volunteer air search and rescue organization and provision of appropriate training to this organization.
- (2) Directing, coordinating and performing air activities in conjunction with air search and rescue and other emergency situations.
- (3) Entering into agreements with private persons, volunteer organizations, and federal, state and local agencies for air search and rescue and other emergency activities.
- (4) Such other related activities as may be deemed necessary and appropriate by the Director of the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management.
- **SECTION 46.** ORS 401.560 is amended to read:
- 45 401.560. (1) The sheriff of each county has the responsibility for search and rescue activities

- within the county. The duty of a sheriff under this subsection may be delegated to a qualified deputy or emergency service worker.
- (2) If the sheriff does not accept the responsibility for search and rescue activities, the chief executive of the county shall designate the county emergency program manager to perform the duties and responsibilities required under ORS 401.015 to 401.105, 401.260 to 401.325 and 401.355 to 401.580.
- (3) The sheriff or authorized person of each county shall notify the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management of each search and rescue in the county and shall request the assignment of incident numbers therefor.
- (4) The sheriff or authorized person of each county shall work with the county emergency program manager in coordinating search and rescue activities in the county of the sheriff and in registering emergency service workers.

### **SECTION 47.** ORS 401.573 is amended to read:

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- 401.573. (1) The sheriff of each county shall adopt a search and rescue plan for the county. The search and rescue plan shall set forth search and rescue policies for the county and shall describe procedures for implementing those policies. A county search and rescue plan shall list and describe materials, equipment and personnel available within the county for search and rescue incidents. The plan shall also include:
- (a) A detailed description of activities and circumstances that constitute search and rescue in the county.
- (b) Identification of volunteer organizations available to the county for use for search and rescue.
- (c) Procedures for contacting and requesting assistance from volunteer organizations during search and rescue activities.
- (d) Procedures for contacting and requesting available assistance from other agencies and groups.
- (e) Minimum standards for individuals whose technical or professional skills may be required for search and rescue.
- (2) A county search and rescue plan adopted under this section shall require a person in charge of a search and rescue to complete a fact sheet for the incident. The fact sheet shall contain the incident number assigned under ORS 401.580 for search and rescue and such other information required under the search and rescue plan of the county.
- (3) The sheriff of each county shall review and, if necessary or desirable, revise the search and rescue plan annually. After the initial adoption of a search and rescue plan under this section and after each annual review or revision of the plan, the sheriff shall submit the plan to the Search and Rescue Coordinator appointed under ORS 401.550.
- (4) The [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, after consultation with the Oregon State Sheriffs' Association, may establish guidelines for county search and rescue plans.
- (5) The [Office of Emergency Management] office shall annually publish and distribute to the sheriff of each county a search and rescue resource inventory, which shall include materials, equipment and personnel available from counties, agencies and the State of Oregon for use in search and rescue incidents.
  - **SECTION 48.** ORS 401.576 is amended to read:
- 45 401.576. After a search and rescue that, in the opinion of the sheriff, is other than routine or

upon request for a critique from an individual directly involved in the incident, the sheriff of the county in which the search and rescue took place shall conduct a critique of the incident. As part of the critique, the sheriff shall examine the search and rescue report and may receive testimony and information from persons involved in the incident. When a critique of a search and rescue is conducted under this section, the sheriff shall prepare findings of fact concerning the search and rescue and may prepare recommendations for the conduct of future incidents or propose amendments to the search and rescue plan under which the search and rescue was conducted. If amendments to the search and rescue plan are proposed and adopted, the sheriff shall file the amended search and rescue plan with the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management.

# **SECTION 49.** ORS 401.654 is amended to read:

- 401.654. (1) The Department of Human Services may establish a registry of emergency health care providers who are available to provide health care services during an emergency or crisis. The department may require training related to the provision of health care services in an emergency or crisis as a condition of registration.
- (2) The department shall issue identification cards to health care providers included in the registry established under this section that:
  - (a) Identify the health care provider;

- (b) Indicate that the health care provider is registered as an Oregon emergency health care provider;
  - (c) Identify the license or certification held by the health care provider; and
- (d) Identify the health care provider's usual area of practice if that information is available and the department determines that it is appropriate to provide that information.
- (3) The department by rule shall establish a form for identification cards issued under subsection (2) of this section.
- (4) The department shall support and provide assistance to the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management in emergencies or crises involving the public health or requiring emergency medical response.

### **SECTION 50.** ORS 401.710 is amended to read:

- 401.710. As used in ORS 305.823 and 401.710 to 401.816, unless the context requires otherwise:
- (1) "Account" means the Emergency Communications Account.
- (2) "Central office" means a utility that houses the switching and trunking equipment serving telephones in a defined area.
  - (3) "Department" means the Department of Revenue.
- (4) "Emergency call" means a telephone request that results from a situation where prompt service is essential to preserve human life or property.
- (5) "Enhanced 9-1-1 telephone service" means 9-1-1 telephone service consisting of a network, database and on-premises equipment that provides automatic display at the designated public safety answering point of the address and telephone number at the time of receiving an incoming 9-1-1 call.
  - (6) "Exchange access services" means:
- (a) Telephone exchange access lines or channels that provide local access by a subscriber in this state to the local telecommunications network to effect the transfer of information; and
- (b) Unless a separate tariff rate is charged therefor, any facility or service provided in connection with the services described in paragraph (a) of this subsection.
- (7) "Governing body" means the board of county commissioners of a county, city council of a

- city, other governing body of a city or county, board of directors of a special district or a 9-1-1 jurisdiction.
  - (8) "Local government" has the meaning given that term in ORS 190.710.

- [(9) "Office" means the Office of Emergency Management of the Department of State Police.]
- [(10)] (9) "Provider" means a utility or other vendor or supplier of telecommunications service or equipment that provides telecommunications with access to the 9-1-1 emergency reporting system through local exchange service, cellular service or other wired or wireless means.
  - [(11)] (10) "Public or private safety agency" means any unit of state or local government, a special-purpose district or a private firm that provides or has authority to provide fire-fighting, police, ambulance or emergency medical services.
  - [(12)] (11) "Public safety answering point" means a 24-hour communications facility established as an answering location for 9-1-1 calls originating within a given service area. A "primary public safety answering point" receives all calls directly from the public. A "secondary public safety answering point" only receives calls from a primary public safety answering point on a transfer or relay basis.
  - [(13)] (12) "Subscriber" means a person who has telecommunication access to the 9-1-1 emergency reporting system through local exchange service, cellular service or other wired or wireless means.
  - [(14)] (13) "TTY" means a telephone-typewriter used by a hearing or speech impaired person to communicate with another device or individual.
  - [(15)] (14) "Utility" means a utility as defined in ORS 759.005, a telecommunications carrier as defined in ORS 133.721 or a municipality or any provider of exchange access services.
  - [(16)] (15) "Vendor" means any corporation, company, individual or association, providing telephone customer premises equipment or equipment specific to the operation of enhanced 9-1-1 telephone service.
  - [(17)] (16) "9-1-1 emergency reporting system" means a telephone service that provides the users of a public telephone system the ability to reach a primary public safety answering point by calling 9-1-1.
  - [(18)] (17) "9-1-1 jurisdiction" means an entity created under ORS chapter 190, a county service district established under ORS chapter 451 to provide an emergency communications system, an emergency communications district created under ORS 401.818 to 401.857 or a group of public or private safety agencies who have agreed in writing to jointly plan the installation, maintenance, operation or improvement of a 9-1-1 emergency reporting system.
  - [(19)] (18) "9-1-1 service area" means the geographical area that contains the entire central office serving area from which the primary public safety answering point will have the capability to answer calls placed to 9-1-1.
    - SECTION 51. ORS 401.730 is amended to read:
  - 401.730. (1) The [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management shall:
  - (a) Adopt rules in accordance with ORS chapter 183 relating to the planning, administration and funding of 9-1-1 emergency reporting systems established pursuant to ORS 401.720.
  - (b) Upon request of a 9-1-1 jurisdiction, local government or governing body, assist in planning 9-1-1 emergency reporting systems. In addition, the office may at the request of a 9-1-1 jurisdiction act as an agent of the 9-1-1 jurisdiction for the purposes of purchasing and maintaining equipment and services required to fulfill the requirements of ORS 401.720.

- (c) Report biennially to the Legislative Assembly the progress made in implementing ORS 305.823 and 401.710 to 401.816. The report shall include financial information concerning all revenues collected, distributed and expended by state agencies and 9-1-1 jurisdictions, and all account and subaccount balances, for the purposes of complying with ORS 401.710 to 401.816.
- (2) Notwithstanding subsection (1) of this section, the office [shall] **may** not require by rule or otherwise that the proposed or established 9-1-1 emergency reporting system of a 9-1-1 jurisdiction meet any technical standards in addition to those provided in ORS 401.720.
- (3) The office may establish advisory committees and study groups to study and advise on the planning and administration of 9-1-1 emergency reporting systems, multijurisdictional 9-1-1 emergency reporting systems and issues impacting 9-1-1 emergency reporting systems throughout the state.

# SECTION 52. ORS 401.735 is amended to read:

- 401.735. (1) The [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, by rule, shall adopt minimum standards for public safety telecommunications personnel, including but not limited to emergency telephone workers, as defined in ORS 243.736. In developing the standards, the office shall address the necessary multiagency support, coordination, planning, administration and ongoing maintenance of a certification program which includes testing to determine whether workers subject to the standards are in compliance.
- (2) The standards referred to in subsection (1) of this section shall not become operative until the Board on Public Safety Standards and Training determines that there has been an adequate personnel training period to permit compliance with the standards.
- (3) The Board on Public Safety Standards and Training shall develop a recommended training program and a plan for implementing the training program to provide workers that are subject to the minimum standards referred to in subsection (1) of this section with the training necessary to comply with the standards. The implementation plan shall address the cost considerations of the training program both to state and local government agencies whose workers are subject to the minimum standards.

### **SECTION 53.** ORS 401.755 is amended to read:

- 401.755. (1) Each 9-1-1 jurisdiction shall submit to the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management in writing within 30 days any change made to the 9-1-1 emergency telephone system which alters the final plan or system description on file with the office. Such changes may include, but are not limited to, the address of the public safety answering point, telephone numbers used to satisfy requirements set forth in ORS 401.720, director changes, agencies served by the 9-1-1 jurisdiction and method used to direct the 9-1-1 call once received by the primary public safety answering point.
- (2) If an established 9-1-1 jurisdiction proposes to move its 9-1-1 emergency reporting system from one public safety answering point to another or a governing body proposes to establish a new 9-1-1 jurisdiction with a new primary public safety answering point and if either of these proposals will result in control of the 9-1-1 emergency reporting system by an agency or agencies other than as identified in the final plan approved by the office under ORS 401.750 (1987 Replacement Part), section 7, chapter 743, Oregon Laws 1991, or the system description filed with the office under ORS 401.750 (5) (1987 Replacement Part), the 9-1-1 jurisdiction or governing body shall submit a plan setting forth these changes to:
  - (a) The [Office of Emergency Management] office;
  - (b) Public and private safety agencies in the 9-1-1 service area; and

- (c) Utilities which provide telephone service in the 9-1-1 service area.
- (3) In addition to meeting the requirements of ORS 401.720 and rules adopted pursuant to ORS 401.730, the plan shall include a description of all capital and recurring costs for the proposed 9-1-1 emergency reporting system.
- (4) The office shall review the revised plan for compliance with this section, ORS 401.720 and rules adopted pursuant to ORS 401.730 and, if the office determines that the plan is in compliance, the office shall approve the plan.
- (5) The office [shall] **may** not approve a plan submitted under this section unless the plan is accompanied by written approval of the governing bodies of all public and private safety agencies affected by or providing service in the 9-1-1 service area.

# SECTION 54. ORS 401.785 is amended to read:

401.785. (1) All disputes between a governing body, 9-1-1 jurisdiction and public or private safety agency regarding a 9-1-1 system, not otherwise resolved in accordance with a written agreement shall be mediated. When a governing body or 9-1-1 jurisdiction obtains knowledge that a dispute exists and cannot be resolved by the agencies, it shall notify the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management of the dispute in writing. Within 30 days of this notification, the disputing agencies shall mutually select a mediator and notify the office in writing of this selection. If a mediator is not mutually selected by the agencies within this period, the Director of the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management shall select a mediator from the list of mediators established under subsection (3) of this section. Once selected, the mediator shall establish a schedule for the mediation process. The disputing agencies shall have 60 days from the date the mediator is agreed upon or selected to mediate the dispute unless the agencies mutually agree in writing to an extension of this deadline. A copy of all extensions shall be submitted to the office.

- (2) When the mediation process in subsection (1) of this section ends, the mediator shall notify the office in writing of the outcome of the mediation. If the agencies are not able to resolve their dispute through mediation, the 9-1-1 jurisdiction or governing body and public or private safety agency or agencies shall submit the dispute to arbitration. The agencies shall have 30 days from the end of the mediation to select an arbitrator. If the disputing agencies are unable to mutually select an arbitrator within this period, the director [of the office] shall request the presiding judge for the judicial district in which the 9-1-1 system is located to select an arbitrator. The arbitrator shall have 30 days from selection to hear and decide the dispute unless the agencies mutually agree in writing to an extension of this deadline. A party to an arbitration under this subsection may seek confirmation, vacation, modification or correction of the arbitrator's decision as provided in ORS 36.700, 36.705 and 36.710. A court may vacate a decision only if there is a basis to vacate the decision as described in ORS 36.705 (1)(a) to (d). The court may modify or correct a decision only for the grounds given in ORS 36.710.
- (3) The office shall establish a roster of mediators qualified to mediate disputes under subsection (1) of this section. This list may be used by the disputing agencies when selecting a mediator.
- (4) Unless otherwise agreed upon, the costs of the mediation or arbitration, including the mediator's or arbitrator's fees, shall be divided equally among the disputing agencies.

### **SECTION 55.** ORS 401.790 is amended to read:

401.790. (1) The [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management may institute proceedings against a public or private safety agency, a 9-1-1 jurisdiction or other person to compel compliance with or to restrain further violation of ORS

- 305.823 and 401.710 to 401.816 or rules adopted pursuant to ORS 401.730.
- (2) Proceedings authorized by subsection (1) of this section may be instituted without office notice, hearing or order provided in ORS chapter 183; provided, however, that proceedings brought against a telecommunications utility shall be brought before the Public Utility Commission as provided by ORS chapter 756.

### **SECTION 56.** ORS 401.806 is amended to read:

- 401.806. (1) The Emergency Communications Account is established separate and distinct from the General Fund in the State Treasury. All moneys received by the Department of Revenue pursuant to ORS 401.792 to 401.804 and interest thereon shall be paid to the State Treasurer to be held in a suspense account established under ORS 293.445. After payment of refunds, the balance of the moneys received shall be paid into the State Treasury and credited to the Emergency Communications Account. All earnings on investment of moneys in the Emergency Communications Account shall accrue to that account. All moneys in the account are appropriated continuously to the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management and shall be used for the purposes described in ORS 401.808.
- (2) The Enhanced 9-1-1 Subaccount is established as a subaccount of the Emergency Communications Account. Thirty-five percent of the amount in the Emergency Communications Account on the date of distribution shall be credited to the Enhanced 9-1-1 Subaccount. All moneys in the account are continuously appropriated to the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management and shall be used for the purposes described in ORS 401.808 (3), (4) and (5).
- (3) The Enhanced 9-1-1 Equipment Replacement Subaccount is established as a subaccount of the Emergency Communications Account. Two and one-half percent of the amount in the Emergency Communications Account shall be credited to the Enhanced 9-1-1 Equipment Replacement Subaccount. All moneys in the account are continuously appropriated to the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management and shall be used for the purposes described in ORS 401.808 (7).

### **SECTION 57.** ORS 401.808 is amended to read:

- 401.808. The [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management shall distribute quarterly the entire amount of the moneys in the Emergency Communications Account beginning in June 1982. The office shall pay the following amounts from the account:
- (1) Administrative costs incurred during the preceding calendar quarter by the Department of Revenue in carrying out ORS 401.792 to 401.804. The amount paid to the department shall not exceed one-half of one percent of the amount in the account on the date of distribution, or actual expenses incurred by the department, whichever is less.
- (2) Administrative costs incurred during the preceding calendar quarter by the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management in carrying out its duties under ORS 305.823 and 401.710 to 401.816. The amount paid to the office shall not exceed four percent of the amount in the account on the date of distribution, or actual expenses incurred by the office, whichever is less. The office may provide funding under this subsection for the Oregon Emergency Response System in an amount not to exceed 15 percent of the legislatively approved budget for the Oregon Emergency Response System. Funding provided to the Oregon Emergency Response System under this subsection shall be in the manner prescribed by the office and shall be subject to the availability of funds for such funding.

- (3) Funds in the Enhanced 9-1-1 Subaccount shall be used to pay for costs incurred during the preceding calendar quarter for enhanced 9-1-1 telephone service established pursuant to ORS 401.720. Enhanced 9-1-1 subaccount funds shall not be disbursed to a 9-1-1 jurisdiction which does not have an approved final plan as required in section 7, chapter 743, Oregon Laws 1991. Payments shall be made only after a reimbursement request has been submitted to the [Office of Emergency Management] office in the manner prescribed by the office. Reimbursement requests for recurring and nonrecurring charges necessary to enable the 9-1-1 jurisdiction to comply with ORS 401.720 shall be submitted directly to the [Office of Emergency Management] office. The costs payable under this section are only those incurred for:
  - (a) Modification of central office switching and trunking equipment;
  - (b) Network development, operation and maintenance;

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- (c) Database development, operation and maintenance;
  - (d) On-premises equipment procurement, maintenance and replacement;
- (e) Conversion of pay station telephones required by ORS 401.770;
  - (f) Collection of the tax imposed by ORS 401.792 to 401.804; and
  - (g) Addressing if the reimbursement request is consistent with rules adopted by the office.
- (4) 9-1-1 jurisdictions who have enhanced 9-1-1 telephone service operational prior to December 31, 1991, shall receive funding based on cost information provided in their final plan required in section 7, chapter 743, Oregon Laws 1991. Plans submitted which meet the minimum requirements set forth in ORS 401.720 (2) and (4) shall be approved. Funding for costs incurred prior to the preceding calendar quarter shall be limited to charges associated with database development, network and on-premises equipment which satisfy the requirements of ORS 401.720 (2) and (4). Funding under this section shall be in the manner prescribed by the office and subject to the availability of funds therefor.
- (5) 9-1-1 jurisdictions may use funds distributed to the jurisdiction from any account described in ORS 401.806 to repay loans from the Special Public Works Fund if the loans were used for purposes that are allowable under ORS 401.710 to 401.816.
- (6) Any amounts remaining in the Enhanced 9-1-1 Subaccount shall be retained by the [Office of Emergency Management] office and may be distributed in any subsequent quarter for those purposes set forth in subsections (3), (4) and (5) of this section.
- (7) The Enhanced 9-1-1 Equipment Replacement Subaccount shall be used by the [Office of Emergency Management] office to provide funds to replace and upgrade equipment to carry out the provisions of ORS 401.710 to 401.816. If at any time unexpended and unobligated balances in the subaccount exceed \$500,000, such excess amount shall be transferred and credited to the Emergency Communications Account and shall be used for the purposes otherwise provided by law.
- (8) The office shall review reimbursement requests for modification of central office switching and trunking equipment, conversion of pay station telephones, and network development, operation and maintenance costs necessary to comply with ORS 401.720 for the appropriateness of the costs claimed. The office shall approve or disapprove the reimbursement requests.
- (9) The office shall review reimbursement requests for database development, operation and maintenance, and on-premises equipment procurement, maintenance and replacement costs necessary to comply with ORS 401.720 for the appropriateness of the costs claimed.
- (10) After all amounts under subsections (1) and (2) of this section and ORS 401.806 (2) and (3) have been paid, the balance of the Emergency Communications Account shall be distributed to cities on a per capita basis and to counties on a per capita basis of each county's unincorporated area,

- for distribution to 9-1-1 jurisdictions within the city or county, but each county shall receive a minimum of one percent of the balance of the account after the amounts under subsections (1) and (2) of this section and ORS 401.806 (2) and (3) have been paid. A 9-1-1 jurisdiction whose 9-1-1 service area includes more than one city or county shall receive funds from each city or county involved.
- (11) Notwithstanding subsection (10) of this section, a city or county may have its quarterly distribution made payable and sent to the 9-1-1 jurisdiction responsible for providing the services required in ORS 401.720.
- (12) 9-1-1 jurisdictions shall submit an accounting report to the office annually. The report shall be provided in the manner prescribed by the office, and shall include but not be limited to:
- (a) Funds received and expended under subsection (10) or (11) of this section for the purposes of fulfilling the requirements of ORS 401.720;
- (b) Local funds received and expended for the purposes of fulfilling the requirements of ORS 401.720; and
- (c) Local funds received and expended for the purposes of providing emergency communications services.

# SECTION 58. ORS 401.816 is amended to read:

- 401.816. (1) The Director of the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management shall establish by administrative rule the minimum standards for a primary public safety answering point.
- (2) If a primary public safety answering point does not meet the minimum standards established under subsection (1) of this section within 45 days after receipt of written notice from the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, the office shall designate an alternate primary public safety answering point that meets the minimum standards and cause calls to be rerouted to the designated primary public safety answering point.

# SECTION 59. ORS 401.861 is amended to read:

401.861. (1) As used in this section:

- (a) "Transient lodging facility" means a hotel, motel, inn, condominium, any other dwelling unit or a public or private park that is made available for transient occupancy or vacation occupancy as those terms are defined in ORS 90.100.
- (b) "Tsunami inundation zone" means an area of expected tsunami inundation, based on scientific evidence that may include geologic field data and tsunami modeling, determined by the governing board of the State Department of Geology and Mineral Industries, by rule, as required by ORS 455.446 (1)(b) and (c).
- (2) The [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, in consultation and cooperation with the State Department of Geology and Mineral Industries, shall:
- (a) Develop and adopt by rule tsunami warning information and evacuation plans for distribution to transient lodging facilities located in a tsunami inundation zone; and
- (b) Facilitate and encourage broad distribution of the tsunami warning information and evacuation plans to transient lodging facilities and other locations within tsunami inundation zones frequented by visitors to the area.
- (3) The office is not required to carry out the duties assigned under subsection (2) of this section if sufficient moneys are not available under ORS 401.864.
  - **SECTION 60.** ORS 401.863 is amended to read:
- 401.863. (1) The [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emer-

- gency Management, in consultation with the State Department of Geology and Mineral Industries, shall establish by rule a uniform tsunami warning signal, including rules specifying the type, duration and volume of the warning signal and the location of warning signal delivery devices, for use on the Oregon coast.
  - (2) The office is not required to carry out the duties assigned under subsection (1) of this section if sufficient moneys are not available under ORS 401.864.

# SECTION 61. ORS 401.864 is amended to read:

401.864. The [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management or the State Department of Geology and Mineral Industries may seek and accept gifts, grants and donations from any source to finance all or part of the duties assigned under ORS 401.861 and 401.863.

# **SECTION 62.** ORS 401.871 is amended to read:

401.871. (1) The State Interoperability Executive Council is created within the [Office of Emergency Management] Department of State Police. The membership of the council shall consist of:

- (a) Two members from the Legislative Assembly, as follows:
- (A) The President of the Senate shall appoint one member from the Senate with an interest in public safety communications infrastructure; and
- (B) The Speaker of the House of Representatives shall appoint one member from the House of Representatives with an interest in public safety and wireless communications infrastructure.
  - (b) The following members appointed by the Governor:
  - (A) One member from the Department of State Police;
- (B) One member from the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and

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- 24 (C) One member from the State Forestry Department;
  - (D) One member from the Department of Corrections;
- 26 (E) One member from the Department of Transportation;
- 27 (F) One member from the Oregon Department of Administrative Services;
- 28 (G) One member from the Department of Human Services;
- 29 (H) One member from the Oregon Military Department;
- 30 (I) One member from the Department of Public Safety Standards and Training;
- 31 (J) One member of an Indian tribe as defined in ORS 97.740;
- 32 (K) One member from a nonprofit professional organization devoted to the enhancement of pub-33 lic safety communications systems; and
  - (L) One member from the public.
  - (c) The following members appointed by the Governor with the concurrence of the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives:
    - (A) One member from the Oregon Fire Chiefs' Association;
- 38 (B) One member from the Oregon Association Chiefs of Police;
- 39 (C) One member from the Oregon State Sheriffs' Association;
  - (D) One member from the Association of Oregon Counties;
- 41 (E) One member from the League of Oregon Cities; and
- 42 (F) One member from the Special Districts Association of Oregon.
- 43 (2) Each agency or organization identified in subsection (1)(b)(A) to (I) and (1)(c) of this section 44 shall recommend a person from the agency or organization for membership on the council.
- 45 (3) Members of the council are not entitled to compensation, but in the discretion of the [Di-

- rector of the Office of Emergency Management] Superintendent of State Police may be reimbursed from funds available to the [Office of Emergency Management] Department of State Police for actual and necessary travel and other expenses incurred by them in the performance of their official duties in the manner and amount provided in ORS 292.495.
  - (4) Members of the Legislative Assembly appointed to the council are nonvoting members and may act in an advisory capacity only.

# SECTION 63. ORS 401.872 is amended to read:

- 401.872. The State Interoperability Executive Council created under ORS 401.871 shall:
- (1) Work with public safety agencies in the state to develop a Public Safety Wireless Infrastructure Replacement Plan as provided under section 2, chapter 825, Oregon Laws 2005.
- (2) Develop an Oregon Interoperable Communication Plan. The goal of the plan shall be to achieve statewide interoperability within six years of September 2, 2005. In developing the plan, the council shall:
- (a) Recommend strategies to improve wireless interoperability among state and local public safety agencies;
- (b) Develop standards to promote consistent development of existing and future wireless communications infrastructures;
- (c) Identify immediate short-term technological and policy solutions to tie existing wireless communications infrastructures together into an interoperable communications system;
- (d) Develop long-term technological and policy recommendations to establish a statewide public safety radio system to improve emergency response and day-to-day public safety operations; and
- (e) Develop recommendations for legislation and for the development of state and local policies to promote wireless interoperability in Oregon.
- (3) Approve, subject to approval by the [Director of the Office of Emergency Management] Superintendent of State Police, investments by the State of Oregon in public safety communications systems.
- (4) Coordinate state and local activities related to obtaining federal grants for support of interoperability.
- (5) Develop and provide technical assistance, training and, if requested, appropriate dispute resolution services to state and local agencies responsible for implementation of the Oregon Interoperable Communication Plan.
- (6) Report, in the manner required by ORS 192.245, to the Legislative Assembly on or before February 1 of each odd-numbered year on the development of the Oregon Interoperable Communication Plan and the council's other activities.
  - (7) Adopt rules necessary to carry out its duties and powers.

# SECTION 64. ORS 401.874 is amended to read:

- 401.874. (1) The [Director of the Office of Emergency Management] Superintendent of State Police shall advise the State Interoperability Executive Council on the implementation of the Oregon Interoperable Communication Plan and coordinate interoperability among all state agencies.
- (2) State agencies that own or operate public safety communications systems shall coordinate their efforts and investments to achieve the statewide interoperability goal set by the council and implement the Oregon Interoperable Communication Plan approved by the [director] superintendent.

# **SECTION 65.** ORS 401.881 is amended to read:

401.881. (1) The Oregon Homeland Security Council is created within the [Office of Emergency

# 1 Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management. The council shall:

- (a) Receive briefings on security matters for which the office is responsible at least annually from state agencies and organizations as determined by the council; and
- (b) Advise state agencies with responsibility for security matters on the future direction of the office's planning, preparedness, response and recovery activities.
  - (2) The membership of the council shall consist of:
  - (a) Four members from the Legislative Assembly appointed as follows:
- (A) Two members from the Senate appointed by the President of the Senate; and
- 9 (B) Two members from the House of Representatives appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives;
  - (b) The Governor;

- (c) The Adjutant General;
  - (d) The Superintendent of State Police;
  - (e) The Director of the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and

# Emergency Management; and

- (f) Additional members appointed by the Governor who the Governor determines necessary to fulfill the functions of the council, including state agency heads, elected state officials, local government officials, a member of the governing body of an Indian tribe and representatives from the private sector.
- (3) Each member appointed to the council under subsection (2)(a) and (f) of this section serves at the pleasure of the appointing authority. The membership of a public official ceases upon termination of the office held by the official at the time of appointment to the council.
  - (4) The Governor shall be chairperson of the council.
- (5) Members of the council are not entitled to compensation but, at the discretion of the director, may be reimbursed, in the manner and amount provided in ORS 292.495, from funds available to the office for actual and necessary travel and other expenses incurred in the performance of their duties as members of the council.

### **SECTION 66.** ORS 182.122 is amended to read:

182.122. (1) As used in this section:

- (a) "Executive department" has the meaning given that term in ORS 174.112.
- (b) "Information systems" means computers, hardware, software, storage media, networks, operational procedures and processes used in the collection, processing, storage, sharing or distribution of information within, or with any access beyond ordinary public access to, the state's shared computing and network infrastructure.
- (2) The Oregon Department of Administrative Services has responsibility for and authority over information systems security in the executive department, including taking all measures reasonably necessary to protect the availability, integrity or confidentiality of information systems or the information stored in information systems. The Oregon Department of Administrative Services shall, after consultation and collaborative development with agencies, establish a state information systems security plan and associated standards, policies and procedures.
  - (3) The Oregon Department of Administrative Services, in its sole discretion, shall:
  - (a) Review and verify the security of information systems operated by or on behalf of agencies;
  - (b) Monitor state network traffic to identify and react to security threats; and
- (c) Conduct vulnerability assessments of agency information systems for the purpose of evaluating and responding to the susceptibility of information systems to attack, disruption or any other

event that threatens the availability, integrity or confidentiality of information systems or the information stored in information systems.

- (4) The Oregon Department of Administrative Services shall contract with qualified, independent consultants for the purpose of conducting vulnerability assessments under subsection (3) of this section.
- (5) In collaboration with agencies, the Oregon Department of Administrative Services shall develop and implement policies for responding to events that damage or threaten the availability, integrity or confidentiality of information systems or the information stored in information systems, whether those systems are within, interoperable with or outside the state's shared computing and network infrastructure. In the policies, the department shall prescribe actions reasonably necessary to:
- (a) Promptly assemble and deploy in a coordinated manner the expertise, tools and methodologies required to prevent or mitigate the damage caused or threatened by an event;
- (b) Promptly alert other persons of the event and of the actions reasonably necessary to prevent or mitigate the damage caused or threatened by the event;
  - (c) Implement forensic techniques and controls developed under subsection (6) of this section;
- (d) Evaluate the event for the purpose of possible improvements to the security of information systems; and
- (e) Communicate and share information with agencies, using preexisting incident response capabilities.
- (6) After consultation and collaborative development with agencies, the Oregon Department of Administrative Services shall implement forensic techniques and controls for the security of information systems, whether those systems are within, interoperable with or outside the state's shared computing and network infrastructure. The techniques and controls must include the use of specialized expertise, tools and methodologies, to investigate events that damage or threaten the availability, integrity or confidentiality of information systems or the information stored in information systems. The department shall consult with the Oregon State Police, the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, the Governor and others as necessary in developing forensic techniques and controls under this section.
- (7) The Oregon Department of Administrative Services shall ensure that reasonably appropriate remedial actions are undertaken when the department finds that such actions are reasonably necessary by reason of vulnerability assessments of information systems under subsection (3) of this section, evaluation of events under subsection (5) of this section and other evaluations and audits.
- (8)(a) Agencies are responsible for the security of computers, hardware, software, storage media, networks, operational procedures and processes used in the collection, processing, storage, sharing or distribution of information outside the state's shared computing and network infrastructure following information security standards, policies and procedures established by the Oregon Department of Administrative Services and developed collaboratively with agencies. Agencies may establish plans, standards and measures that are more stringent than the standards established by the department to address specific agency needs if those plans, standards and measures do not contradict or contravene the state information systems security plan. Independent agency security plans shall be developed within the framework of the state information systems security plan.
- (b) An agency shall report the results of any vulnerability assessment, evaluation or audit conducted by the agency to the department for the purposes of consolidating statewide security reporting and, when appropriate, to prompt a state incident response.

(9) This section does not apply to:

- (a) Research and student computer systems used by or in conjunction with the State Board of Higher Education or any state institution of higher education within the Oregon University System; and
- (b)(A) Gaming systems and networks operated by the Oregon State Lottery or its contractors; or
  - (B) The results of Oregon State Lottery reviews, evaluations and vulnerability assessments of computer systems outside the state's shared computing and network infrastructure.
  - (10) The Oregon Department of Administrative Services shall adopt rules to carry out its responsibilities under this section.

# SECTION 67. ORS 195.260 is amended to read:

- 195.260. (1) In order to reduce the risk of serious bodily injury or death resulting from rapidly moving landslides, a local government:
- (a) Shall exercise all available authority to protect the public during emergencies, consistent with ORS 401.015.
- (b) May require a geotechnical report and, if a report is required, shall provide for a coordinated review of the geotechnical report by the State Department of Geology and Mineral Industries or the State Forestry Department, as appropriate, before issuing a building permit for a site in a further review area.
- (c) Except those structures exempt from building codes under ORS 455.310 and 455.315, shall amend its land use regulations, or adopt new land use regulations, to regulate the siting of dwellings and other structures designed for human occupancy, including those being restored under ORS 215.130 (6), in further review areas where there is evidence of substantial risk for rapidly moving landslides. All final decisions under this paragraph and paragraph (b) of this subsection are the responsibility of the local government with jurisdiction over the site. A local government may not delegate such final decisions to any state agency.
- (d) May deny a request to issue a building permit if a geotechnical report discloses that the entire parcel is subject to a rapidly moving landslide or that the subject lot or parcel does not contain sufficient buildable area that is not subject to a rapidly moving landslide.
- (e) Shall maintain a record, available to the public, of properties for which a geotechnical report has been prepared within the jurisdiction of the local government.
- (2) A landowner allowed a building permit under subsection (1)(c) of this section shall sign a statement that shall:
- (a) Be recorded with the county clerk of the county in which the property is located, in which the landowner acknowledges that the landowner may not in the future bring any action against an adjacent landowner about the effects of rapidly moving landslides on or adjacent to the landowner's property; and
- (b) Record in the deed records for the county where the lot or parcel is located a nonrevocable deed restriction that the landowner signs and acknowledges, that contains a legal description complying with ORS 93.600 and that prohibits any present or future owner of the property from bringing any action against an adjacent landowner about the effects of rapidly moving landslides on or adjacent to the property.
- (3) Restrictions on forest practices adopted under ORS 527.710 (10) do not apply to risk situations arising solely from the construction of a building designed for human occupancy in a further review area on or after October 23, 1999.

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- (4) The following state agencies shall implement the following specific responsibilities to reduce the risk of serious bodily injury or death resulting from rapidly moving landslides:
  - (a) The State Department of Geology and Mineral Industries shall:
- (A) Identify and map further review areas selected in cooperation with local governments and in coordination with the State Forestry Department, and provide technical assistance to local governments to facilitate the use and application of this information pursuant to subsection (1)(b) of this section; and
  - (B) Provide public education regarding landslide hazards.

- (b) The State Forestry Department shall regulate forest operations to reduce the risk of serious bodily injury or death from rapidly moving landslides directly related to forest operations, and assist local governments in the siting review of permanent dwellings on and adjacent to forestlands in further review areas pursuant to subsection (1)(b) of this section.
- (c) The Land Conservation and Development Commission may take steps under its existing authority to assist local governments to appropriately apply the requirements of subsection (1)(c) of this section.
- (d) The Department of Transportation shall provide warnings to motorists during periods determined to be of highest risk of rapidly moving landslides along areas on state highways with a history of being most vulnerable to rapidly moving landslides.
- (e) The [Office of Emergency Management of the Department of State Police] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management shall coordinate state resources for rapid and effective response to landslide-related emergencies.
- (5) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, any state or local agency adopting rules related to the risk of serious bodily injury or death from rapidly moving landslides shall do so only in conformance with the policies and provisions of ORS 195.250 to 195.260.
- (6) No state or local agency may adopt or enact any rule or ordinance for the purpose of reducing risk of serious bodily injury or death from rapidly moving landslides that limits the use of land that is in addition to land identified as a further review area by the State Department of Geology and Mineral Industries or the State Forestry Department pursuant to subsection (4) of this section.
- (7) Except as provided in ORS 527.710 or in Oregon's ocean and coastal land use planning goals, no state agency may adopt criteria regulating activities for the purpose of reducing risk of serious bodily injury or death from rapidly moving landslides on lands subject to the provisions of ORS 195.250 to 195.260 that are more restrictive than the criteria adopted by a local government pursuant to subsection (1)(c) of this section.

**SECTION 68.** ORS 286.760 is amended to read:

286.760. As used in ORS 286.760 to 286.772, unless the context requires otherwise:

- (1) "Article XI-M bonds" means general obligation bonds or other general obligation indebtedness issued or incurred under the authority of Article XI-M of the Oregon Constitution.
- (2) "Bond administration fund" means the Article XI-M Bond Administration Fund established under ORS 286.766.
  - (3) "Bond fund" means the Article XI-M Bond Fund established under ORS 286.764.
  - (4) "Bond-related costs" means:
- (a) The costs of paying the principal of, the interest on and the premium, if any, on Article XI-M bonds;
  - (b) The costs and expenses of issuing, administering and maintaining Article XI-M bonds in-

- cluding, but not limited to, redeeming Article XI-M bonds and paying amounts due in connection with bond insurance, other credit enhancements or the administrative costs and expenses of the State Treasurer and the Oregon Department of Administrative Services, including costs of consultants or advisers retained by the State Treasurer or the department for the purpose of issuing, administering or maintaining Article XI-M bonds;
  - (c) Capitalized interest on Article XI-M bonds;

- (d) Costs of funding reserves for Article XI-M bonds, including costs of surety bonds and similar instruments;
- (e) Rebates or penalties due the United States Government in connection with Article XI-M bonds; and
- (f) Other costs or expenses that the Director of the Oregon Department of Administrative Services determines are necessary or desirable in connection with issuing, administering or maintaining Article XI-M bonds.
  - (5) "Seismic fund" means the Education Seismic Fund established under ORS 286.768.
- (6) "State share of costs" means the total costs and related expenses of the seismic rehabilitation of public education buildings, minus contributions for seismic rehabilitation from the applicants as required by the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management.

# SECTION 69. ORS 286.762 is amended to read:

- 286.762. (1) Article XI-M bonds are a general obligation of the State of Oregon and must contain a direct promise on behalf of the State of Oregon to pay the principal of, the interest on and the premium, if any, on the Article XI-M bonds. The State of Oregon shall pledge its full faith and credit and taxing power to pay Article XI-M bonds, except that the ad valorem taxing power of the State of Oregon may not be pledged to pay Article XI-M bonds.
- (2) The State Treasurer, with the concurrence of the Director of the Oregon Department of Administrative Services, may issue Article XI-M bonds:
- (a) Subject to the limit on bond issuance established for the particular biennium in ORS 286.505 to 286.545 and at the request of the Director of the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, for the purpose of financing all or a portion of the state share of costs to plan and implement seismic rehabilitation of public education buildings in the amount of the state share of costs, plus an amount determined by the State Treasurer to pay estimated bond-related costs.
- (b) To refund Article XI-M bonds. The amount of Article XI-M bonds issued under this paragraph may not exceed the estimated costs of paying, redeeming or defeasing the refunded bonds, plus an amount determined by the State Treasurer to pay estimated bond-related costs.
- (3) The State Treasurer shall transfer the net proceeds of Article XI-M bonds issued for the purpose described in subsection (2)(a) of this section to the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management for deposit in the Education Seismic Fund established under ORS 286.768.

# SECTION 70. ORS 286.766 is amended to read:

286.766. (1) The Article XI-M Bond Administration Fund is established in the State Treasury, separate and distinct from the General Fund. Amounts in the bond administration fund may be invested as provided in ORS 293.701 to 293.820, and interest earned on the bond administration fund must be credited to the bond administration fund. Amounts credited to the bond administration fund are continuously appropriated to the Oregon Department of Administrative Services for payment of

- 1 bond-related costs. The department shall credit to the bond administration fund:
  - (a) Proceeds of Article XI-M bonds that were issued to pay bond-related costs;
  - (b) Amounts appropriated or otherwise provided by the Legislative Assembly for deposit in the bond administration fund; and
    - (c) Amounts transferred from the Education Seismic Fund by the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management as provided in ORS 286.768.
      - (2) The department may create separate accounts in the bond administration fund.
      - **SECTION 71.** ORS 286.768 is amended to read:

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- 286.768. (1) The Education Seismic Fund is established in the State Treasury, separate and distinct from the General Fund. Amounts in the seismic fund may be invested as provided in ORS 293.701 to 293.820, and interest earned on the seismic fund must be credited to the seismic fund. Amounts credited to the seismic fund are continuously appropriated to the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management for the purpose described in ORS 286.762 (2)(a) and for the purpose of paying bond-related costs. The office shall deposit in the seismic fund:
  - (a) The net proceeds of Article XI-M bonds transferred pursuant to ORS 286.762 (3);
- (b) Amounts appropriated or otherwise provided by the Legislative Assembly for deposit in the seismic fund;
  - (c) Gifts, grants or contributions received by the office for the purpose described in ORS 286.762 (2)(a); and
  - (d) Moneys received as repayment of, as a return on or in exchange for the grant or loan of net proceeds of Article XI-M bonds.
  - (2) The office may create separate accounts in the seismic fund as appropriate for the management of moneys in the seismic fund.
  - (3) The office and any other state agency or other entity receiving or holding net proceeds of Article XI-M bonds shall, at the direction of the Oregon Department of Administrative Services, take action necessary to maintain the excludability of interest on Article XI-M bonds from gross income under the Internal Revenue Code.
- (4) The office shall transfer to the Article XI-M Bond Administration Fund the unexpended and uncommitted amounts remaining in the seismic fund if:
- (a) Unexpended funds that are not contractually committed to a particular purpose remain in the seismic fund on the last day of the biennium; and
  - (b) Article XI-M bonds will be outstanding in the next biennium.
- 34 (5) The office may adopt rules to carry out this section including, but not limited to, establish-35 ing:
  - (a) Required contributions from applicants;
    - (b) Fees;
  - (c) Standards, terms and conditions under which moneys in the seismic fund may be granted, loaned or otherwise made available; and
  - (d) Procedures for distributing and monitoring the use of moneys from the seismic fund.
- 41 **SECTION 72.** ORS 286.780 is amended to read:
- 42 286.780. As used in ORS 286.780 to 286.792, unless the context requires otherwise:
- 43 (1) "Article XI-N bonds" means general obligation bonds or other general obligation indebt-44 edness issued or incurred under the authority of Article XI-N of the Oregon Constitution.
  - (2) "Bond administration fund" means the Article XI-N Bond Administration Fund established

1 under ORS 286.786.

- (3) "Bond fund" means the Article XI-N Bond Fund established under ORS 286.784.
- (4) "Bond-related costs" means:
- (a) The costs of paying the principal of, the interest on and the premium, if any, on Article XI-N bonds;
  - (b) The costs and expenses of issuing, administering and maintaining Article XI-N bonds including, but not limited to, redeeming Article XI-N bonds and paying amounts due in connection with bond insurance, other credit enhancements or the administrative costs and expenses of the State Treasurer and the Oregon Department of Administrative Services, including costs of consultants or advisers retained by the State Treasurer or the department for the purpose of issuing, administering or maintaining Article XI-N bonds;
    - (c) Capitalized interest on Article XI-N bonds;
  - (d) Costs of funding reserves for Article XI-N bonds, including costs of surety bonds and similar instruments;
  - (e) Rebates or penalties due the United States Government in connection with Article XI-N bonds; and
  - (f) Other costs or expenses that the Director of the Oregon Department of Administrative Services determines are necessary or desirable in connection with issuing, administering or maintaining Article XI-N bonds.
    - (5) "Seismic fund" means the Emergency Services Seismic Fund established under ORS 286.788.
  - (6) "State share of costs" means the total costs and related expenses of the seismic rehabilitation of emergency services buildings, minus contributions for seismic rehabilitation from the applicants as required by the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management.

SECTION 73. ORS 286.782 is amended to read:

- 286.782. (1) Article XI-N bonds are a general obligation of the State of Oregon and must contain a direct promise on behalf of the State of Oregon to pay the principal of, the interest on and the premium, if any, on the Article XI-N bonds. The State of Oregon shall pledge its full faith and credit and taxing power to pay Article XI-N bonds, except that the ad valorem taxing power of the State of Oregon may not be pledged to pay Article XI-N bonds.
- (2) The State Treasurer, with the concurrence of the Director of the Oregon Department of Administrative Services, may issue Article XI-N bonds:
- (a) Subject to the limit on bond issuance established for the particular biennium in ORS 286.505 to 286.545 and at the request of the Director of the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, for the purpose of financing all or a portion of the state share of costs to plan and implement seismic rehabilitation of emergency services buildings in the amount of the state share of costs, plus an amount determined by the State Treasurer to pay estimated bond-related costs.
- (b) To refund Article XI-N bonds. The amount of Article XI-N bonds issued under this paragraph may not exceed the estimated costs of paying, redeeming or defeasing the refunded bonds, plus an amount determined by the State Treasurer to pay estimated bond-related costs.
- (3) The State Treasurer shall transfer the net proceeds of Article XI-N bonds issued for the purpose described in subsection (2)(a) of this section to the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management for deposit in the Emergency Services Seismic Fund established under ORS 286.788.

**SECTION 74.** ORS 286.786 is amended to read:

286.786. (1) The Article XI-N Bond Administration Fund is established in the State Treasury, separate and distinct from the General Fund. Amounts in the bond administration fund may be invested as provided in ORS 293.701 to 293.820, and interest earned on the bond administration fund must be credited to the bond administration fund. Amounts credited to the bond administration fund are continuously appropriated to the Oregon Department of Administrative Services for payment of bond-related costs. The department shall credit to the bond administration fund:

- (a) Proceeds of Article XI-N bonds that were issued to pay bond-related costs;
- (b) Amounts appropriated or otherwise provided by the Legislative Assembly for deposit in the bond administration fund; and
- (c) Amounts transferred from the Emergency Services Seismic Fund by the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management as provided in ORS 286.788.
  - (2) The department may create separate accounts in the bond administration fund.

SECTION 75. ORS 286.788 is amended to read:

286.788. (1) The Emergency Services Seismic Fund is established in the State Treasury, separate and distinct from the General Fund. Amounts in the seismic fund may be invested as provided in ORS 293.701 to 293.820, and interest earned on the seismic fund must be credited to the seismic fund. Amounts credited to the seismic fund are continuously appropriated to the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management for the purpose described in ORS 286.782 (2)(a) and for the purpose of paying bond-related costs. The office shall deposit in the seismic fund:

- (a) The net proceeds of Article XI-N bonds transferred pursuant to ORS 286.782 (3);
- (b) Amounts appropriated or otherwise provided by the Legislative Assembly for deposit in the seismic fund;
- (c) Gifts, grants or contributions received by the office for the purpose described in ORS 286.782 (2)(a); and
- (d) Moneys received as repayment of, as a return on or in exchange for the grant or loan of net proceeds of Article XI-N bonds.
- (2) The office may create separate accounts in the seismic fund as appropriate for the management of moneys in the seismic fund.
- (3) The office and any other state agency or other entity receiving or holding net proceeds of Article XI-N bonds shall, at the direction of the Oregon Department of Administrative Services, take action necessary to maintain the excludability of interest on Article XI-N bonds from gross income under the Internal Revenue Code.
- (4) The office shall transfer to the Article XI-N Bond Administration Fund the unexpended and uncommitted amounts remaining in the seismic fund if:
- (a) Unexpended funds that are not contractually committed to a particular purpose remain in the seismic fund on the last day of the biennium; and
  - (b) Article XI-N bonds will be outstanding in the next biennium.
- 41 (5) The office may adopt rules to carry out this section including, but not limited to, establish-42 ing:
  - (a) Required contributions from applicants;
- 44 (b) Fees
- 45 (c) Standards, terms and conditions under which moneys in the seismic fund may be granted,

- 1 loaned or otherwise made available; and
- 2 (d) Procedures for distributing and monitoring the use of moneys from the seismic fund.
  - **SECTION 76.** ORS 453.342 is amended to read:
- 4 453.342. Any fire department, emergency service personnel or law enforcement agency respond-
- 5 ing to an incident of injury to a human, wildlife, domestic animal or property resulting from a haz-
- 6 ardous substance emergency shall make a report of the incident, in writing, to the office of the State
- 7 Fire Marshal. The State Fire Marshal annually shall summarize all incidents reported to the State
- 8 Fire Marshal and the information received as a result of the survey conducted under ORS 453.317.
- The State Fire Marshal shall submit a copy of the summary to:
- 10 (1) The Governor;

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- (2) The Legislative Assembly;
- 12 (3) The Department of Environmental Quality;
- 13 (4) The Department of Consumer and Business Services;
- 14 (5) The Department of Transportation;
  - (6) The Department of Human Services;
    - (7) The Environmental Health Sciences Center at Oregon State University;
- 17 (8) The [Office of Emergency Management of the Department of State Police] Office of Homeland

### Security and Emergency Management; and

- (9) Every public library as defined in ORS 357.400.
- 20 **SECTION 77.** Section 1, chapter 763, Oregon Laws 2005, is amended to read:
- Sec. 1. (1) The State Department of Geology and Mineral Industries, in consultation with the
- 22 Seismic Safety Policy Advisory Commission, the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of
- 23 Homeland Security and Emergency Management, the Department of Human Services, the State
- 24 Board of Education, the State Board of Higher Education and any grant committee established
- 25 pursuant to a statewide grant program for seismic rehabilitation, shall develop a statewide seismic
- 26 needs assessment that includes seismic safety surveys of:
  - (a) Buildings that have a capacity of 250 or more persons and are routinely used for student activities by kindergarten through grade 12 public schools, community colleges and education service districts;
    - (b) Hospital buildings that contain an acute inpatient care facility;
    - (c) Fire stations; and
  - (d) Police stations, sheriffs' offices and similar facilities used by state, county, district and municipal law enforcement agencies.
    - (2) The statewide seismic needs assessment shall consist of:
  - (a) Rapid visual screenings of the buildings specified in this section, conducted in accordance with the standards for rapid visual screening procedures established in "Rapid Visual Screening of Buildings for Potential Seismic Hazards: A Handbook," FEMA-154, 2002 Edition, or an equivalent standard adopted by the State Department of Geology and Mineral Industries;
  - (b) The ranking of the rapid visual screening results in risk categories based on need, importance of the building to the community, risk to the building posed by its location, risk posed to the community by the collapse of the building during a seismic event, projected cost of the necessary seismic rehabilitation and other categories determined necessary by the State Department of Geology and Mineral Industries; and
  - (c) The development of geographic information system (GIS) databases of survey data and the sharing of that data with interested parties.

(3) The statewide seismic needs assessment may include:

- (a) Rapid visual screenings conducted by entities or persons other than the State Department of Geology and Mineral Industries;
- (b) Questionnaires or other information gathering techniques to supplement the rapid visual screening and aid in the ranking of rapid visual screening results in risk categories; and
  - (c) Training for persons interested in conducting rapid visual screenings.

# SECTION 78. ORS 465.505 is amended to read:

- 465.505. (1) In addition to any other applicable federal or state law and regulation, the following waste minimization requirements shall apply to dry cleaning facilities:
- (a) All wastes meeting the state and federal criteria for hazardous waste, excluding wastewater, generated at any dry cleaning facility and containing dry cleaning solvents, including residues and filters, shall be managed and disposed of, regardless of quantity generated, as hazardous wastes in accordance with federal and state laws otherwise applicable to management of hazardous wastes, except that, as to the cleanup of releases of dry cleaning solvents, ORS 465.503 shall apply rather than ORS 466.205;
- (b) Wastewater contaminated with dry cleaning solvents from the water separation process of dry cleaning machines may not be discharged into any sanitary sewer or septic tank or into the waters of this state;
- (c) Dry cleaning operators shall manage solvent contaminated wastewater generated in the water separation process in accordance with rules adopted by the Environmental Quality Commission;
- (d) A dry cleaning facility may not include operation of transfer-type dry cleaning equipment using perchloroethylene;
- (e) All newly installed dry cleaning systems using perchloroethylene shall be of the dry-to-dry type and be equipped with integral refrigerated condensers with an outlet temperature sensor for the control of perchloroethylene emissions;
- (f) All existing dry cleaning systems using perchloroethylene shall install refrigerated condensers, or an equivalent;
- (g) Every dry cleaning facility shall install secondary containment systems capable of containing dry cleaning solvent under and around each machine or item of equipment in which any dry cleaning solvent is used, treated or stored; and
- (h) All perchloroethylene dry cleaning solvent shall be delivered to dry cleaning facilities by means of closed, direct-coupled delivery systems.
- (2) The Department of Environmental Quality may authorize the use of alternative measures at a dry cleaning facility in lieu of one or more of the measures described under subsection (1) of this section upon proof satisfactory to the department that the alternative measures can provide equivalent protection for public health and the environment, can achieve equivalent waste minimization and are consistent with other applicable laws and regulations.
- (3) Every dry cleaning and dry store operator shall provide annually to the department on forms to be supplied by the department, information regarding compliance with the waste minimization requirements set forth in subsection (1) of this section and any other information as the department considers necessary for carrying out the purposes of ORS 465.200 and 465.500 to 465.545.
- (4) Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, a dry cleaning operator for a facility having a release of dry cleaning solvents shall immediately report any release exceeding one pound to the notification system managed by the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management pursuant to ORS 401.275.

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(5) The Environmental Quality Commission shall adopt rules necessary to implement ORS 465.200 and 465.500 to 465.545, including but not limited to rules implementing the recommendations of the advisory group established under ORS 465.507 or requiring the implementation of new waste minimization technologies.

# **SECTION 79.** ORS 466.635 is amended to read:

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466.635. Any person owning or having control over any oil or hazardous material who has knowledge of a spill or release shall immediately notify the [Office of Emergency Management of the Department of State Police] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management as soon as that person knows the spill or release is a reportable quantity.

### **SECTION 80.** ORS 469.533 is amended to read:

469.533. Notwithstanding ORS chapter 401, the State Department of Energy in cooperation with the Department of Human Services and the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management shall establish rules for the protection of health and procedures for the evacuation of people and communities who would be affected by radiation in the event of an accident or a catastrophe in the operation of a nuclear power plant or nuclear installation.

# **SECTION 81.** ORS 824.088 is amended to read:

824.088. (1) Each railroad that gives notice to the United States Department of Transportation of an incident that occurs during the course of transporting hazardous materials as defined by federal regulations shall also give notice of the incident to the Director of the [Office of Emergency Management of the Department of State Police] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management.

- (2) As soon as reasonably practicable, each railroad shall notify the director [of the Office of Emergency Management of the Department of State Police] by telephone or similar means of communication of any derailment or fire involving or affecting hazardous material.
- (3) To facilitate expedited and accurate notice to the director under this section, each train transporting hazardous materials in this state shall be equipped with at least two radio transmitter-receivers in good working order. In addition, 18 months after October 4, 1977, trains over 2,000 feet in length that are transporting hazardous materials shall be equipped with a radio handset in good working order capable of communicating with the radio transmitter-receivers. If the equipment required under this section does not function while the train is en route, the train may proceed to the next point of crew change where the equipment shall be replaced or repaired.

# SECTION 82. ORS 837.035 is amended to read:

837.035. All moneys received by the Oregon Department of Aviation for the registration of pilot licenses as prescribed in ORS 837.020 shall be paid by the department to the State Treasurer, who shall deposit it in the General Fund to a special account to be known as the Aviation Search and Rescue Account. The money in the account established under this section shall be used by the [Office of Emergency Management of the Department of State Police] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management only for the following purposes or as otherwise provided by law:

(1) Such amount as may be necessary shall be used for the payment of all expenses incurred by the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management in conducting activities authorized under ORS 401.555 to search for lost planes and lost persons, the rescue of lost persons, pilot survival education and training and all other expenses directly attributable to the search and rescue program and for the payment of expenses of the Oregon Department of Aviation relating to the registration of pilot licenses. The Oregon Department of Administrative

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- Services, after approval of claims for the expenses referred to in this subsection, shall draw warrants on the State Treasurer for the payment thereof, payable out of the Aviation Search and Rescue Account.
- (2) The [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management may use money from the Aviation Search and Rescue Account to provide insurance to compensate any member of a volunteer air search and rescue organization for injuries or loss of life sustained in the scope of performing air search and rescue operations while under the direction of the office [of Emergency Management]. The insurance may be obtained from a public or private insurer. The scope, coverage and benefits provided under the insurance shall not exceed those provided for persons under ORS chapter 656. If the insurance is provided, the coverage provided by the insurance:
- (a) Shall include all volunteer members accepted by the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management.
- (b) Regardless of negligence, is the exclusive remedy of a member of the [Office of Emergency Management] Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management air search and rescue organization against the State of Oregon, the [Office of Emergency Management] office or any other person acting under the authority or direction of the [Office of Emergency Management] office for those injuries or losses resulting from the air search and rescue activities.

SECTION 83. ORS 401.260 is repealed.

<u>SECTION 84.</u> This 2007 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2007 Act takes effect on its passage.