

House Bill 2556

Sponsored by Representative LIM

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**.

Prohibits members of Legislative Assembly, members-elect, statewide officials and statewide officials-elect from soliciting or receiving political contributions during period beginning on date of general election and ending on first day of next following regular session of Legislative Assembly.

Prohibits person or political committee from making contribution to member, member-elect, statewide official or statewide official-elect during same period.

Prohibits person or political committee affiliated with legislative caucus, legislative official or statewide official from soliciting or receiving political contribution on behalf of legislative official or statewide official during same period.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

1
2 Relating to election campaign finance.

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

4 **SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2007 Act is added to and made a part of ORS chapter 260.**

5 **SECTION 2. (1) As used in this section:**

6 (a) **"Legislative official" means any member or member-elect of the Legislative Assembly.**

7 (b) **"Statewide official" means the Governor or Governor-elect, Secretary of State or**
8 **Secretary of State-elect, State Treasurer or State Treasurer-elect, Superintendent of Public**
9 **Instruction or Superintendent-elect of Public Instruction, Attorney General or Attorney**
10 **General-elect and the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor and Industries or the**
11 **Commissioner-elect of the Bureau of Labor and Industries.**

12 (2) **A legislative official or statewide official may not solicit or receive a contribution to**
13 **the official or the official's principal campaign committee or solicit an expenditure in support**
14 **of the official from any person or political committee during the period beginning on the date**
15 **of the general election and ending on the first day of the next following regular session of**
16 **the Legislative Assembly.**

17 (3) **A person or political committee may not make or promise to make a contribution to**
18 **a legislative official or statewide official or to the official's principal campaign committee,**
19 **or promise to make an expenditure in support of the official during the period beginning on**
20 **the date of the general election and ending on the first day of the next following regular**
21 **session of the Legislative Assembly.**

22 (4) **A person or political committee affiliated with a caucus of either house of the Legis-**
23 **lative Assembly, a legislative official or a statewide official may not solicit or receive a con-**
24 **tribution on behalf of a legislative official or statewide official during the period beginning**
25 **on the date of the general election and ending on the first day of the next following regular**
26 **session of the Legislative Assembly.**

27 (5) **Subsections (3) and (4) of this section do not prohibit a legislative official or statewide**
28 **official from making a contribution as an individual from the individual's personal funds to**

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.

1 **the same official or the official's principal campaign committee.**

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