

House Bill 2726

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SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure **as introduced**.

Establishes state policy relating to state-funded research that benefits private enterprise. Requires certain state agencies that make research grants to ensure that one purpose of research is to keep or create jobs in Oregon.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to state-funded research that benefits private enterprise.

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

4 **SECTION 1. (1) It is the policy of this state that the purpose of state-funded research**
5 **that benefits private enterprise is to keep or create jobs in this state.**

6 **(2) In any grant made by the Oregon University System, the Department of Community**
7 **Colleges and Workforce Development or the Economic and Community Development De-**
8 **partment for research that will benefit private enterprise, the agency shall ensure that one**
9 **of the purposes of the research is to keep or create jobs in Oregon.**

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