

House Bill 2889

Sponsored by Representative HUNT (at the request of Tom Ruedy)

SUMMARY

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Requires State Parks and Recreation Department to provide devices to individuals with disabilities and elderly persons in order to access trails for hiking in state parks. Exempts department from providing devices in certain cases. Requires department to adopt rules for provision of devices.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to devices for certain individuals in state parks.

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

4 **SECTION 1. (1)(a) The State Parks and Recreation Department shall provide devices that**
5 **enable individuals with disabilities and elderly persons to access trails for hiking in state**
6 **parks.**

7 **(b) The department is not required to provide devices in a state park if providing the**
8 **devices would result in a fundamental alteration in the nature of a service, program or ac-**
9 **tivity or would result in undue financial or administrative burdens on the department.**

10 **(2) In accordance with the applicable provisions of ORS chapter 183, the State Parks and**
11 **Recreation Commission shall adopt rules necessary for the administration of this section.**

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