

House Bill 3300

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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**.

Requires insurer to offer policy of group health insurance to chamber of commerce that satisfies requirements of association.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to group health insurance for chamber of commerce; amending ORS 743.524.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** ORS 743.524 is amended to read:

5 743.524. (1) An insurer may not offer a policy of group health insurance to an association as the
6 policyholder or offer coverage under such a policy, whether issued in this or another state, unless
7 the Director of the Department of Consumer and Business Services determines that the association
8 satisfies the requirements of an association under ORS 743.522 (1)(b).

9 (2) An insurer shall submit evidence to the director that the association satisfies the require-
10 ments under ORS 743.522 (1)(b). The director shall review the evidence and may request additional
11 evidence as needed.

12 (3) An insurer shall submit to the director any changes in the evidence submitted under sub-
13 section (2) of this section.

14 (4) The director may order an insurer to cease offering health insurance to an association if the
15 director determines that the association does not meet the standards under ORS 743.522 (1)(b).

16 **(5) An insurer must offer a policy of group health insurance to a chamber of commerce**
17 **if the director determines that the chamber satisfies the requirements of an association**
18 **under ORS 743.522 (1)(b).**

19 *[(5)]* (6) The director may adopt rules to carry out 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.