## House Bill 3358

Sponsored by COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS AND LABOR

## **SUMMARY**

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Requires taxpayer to add to federal taxable income for Oregon tax purposes any amounts claimed as deductions for wages paid, if wages were paid to undocumented worker.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Applies to tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2008.

## 2 Relating to eliminating tax deductions for wages of undocumented workers; and providing for revenue raising that requires approval by a three-fifths majority. 3 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 chapter 316. 5 SECTION 2. (1) In addition to any other modification to federal taxable income in this 6 chapter, there shall be added to federal taxable income the amount claimed for federal tax 7 purposes by the taxpayer as a deduction for wages paid, if the wages were paid to an un-8 documented worker. 9 (2) As used in this section, "undocumented worker" means an employee of the taxpayer 10 for whom the taxpayer does not have records or is otherwise unable to verify that the em-11 12 ployee is a legal resident of the United States. SECTION 3. Section 2 of this 2007 Act applies to tax years beginning on or after January 13 1, 2008. 14 SECTION 4. Section 5 of this 2007 Act is added to and made a part of ORS chapter 317. 15 SECTION 5. (1) In addition to any other modification to federal taxable income in this 16 17 chapter, there shall be added to federal taxable income the amount claimed for federal tax purposes by the taxpayer as a deduction for wages paid, if the wages were paid to an un-18 19 documented worker. 20 (2) As used in this section, "undocumented worker" means an employee of the taxpayer for whom the taxpayer does not have records or is otherwise unable to verify that the em-21 22 ployee is a legal resident of the United States. 23 SECTION 6. Section 5 of this 2007 Act applies to tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2008. 24

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