

# Senate Bill 599

Sponsored by Senator BROWN (at the request of Mark Kramer)

## 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 standards for appointment of guardians for minors in protective proceedings.

### A BILL FOR AN ACT

1  
2 Relating to guardianship of minors.

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 125.**

5 **SECTION 2. (1) ORS 109.119 applies to the appointment of a guardian for a minor under**  
6 **ORS 125.305 in the following circumstances:**

7 (a) **The legal parents of the minor have received notice under ORS 125.060; and**

8 (b) **The legal parents have presented an objection to the guardianship petition under ORS**  
9 **125.075.**

10 (2) **ORS 109.119 does not apply to the appointment of:**

11 (a) **A temporary fiduciary who will exercise the powers of a guardian under ORS 125.605;**

12 (b) **A guardian for a minor under ORS 125.305 if the legal parents of the minor are de-**  
13 **ceased; or**

14 (c) **A guardian for a minor under ORS 125.305 if the legal parents of the minor have re-**  
15 **ceived notice under ORS 125.060 and have not presented an objection to the guardianship**  
16 **petition under ORS 125.075.**

17 **SECTION 3. Section 2 of this 2007 Act applies to petitions for the appointment of a**  
18 **guardian or temporary guardian for a minor filed before, on or after the effective date of this**  
19 **2007 Act.**

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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.