

House Bill 2412

Sponsored by Representative GELSER (at the request of Al Davis)

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 conditions under which State Board of Examiners for Engineering and Land Surveying may renew engineering certificate that has been delinquent more than five years.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to the renewal of delinquent certificates by the State Board of Examiners for Engineering
3 and Land Surveying; amending ORS 672.170.

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

5 **SECTION 1.** ORS 672.170 is amended to read:

6 672.170. (1) Renewal of a certificate may be effected at any time prior to the renewal date by
7 paying the required renewal fee to the secretary of the State Board of Examiners for Engineering
8 and Land Surveying.

9 (2) Subject to subsection (4) of this section, the failure of a registrant to renew the certificate
10 before the renewal date does not deprive the registrant of the right of renewal thereafter.

11 (3) The amount to be paid for the renewal of a certificate after the renewal date shall be the
12 renewal fee plus a late-payment charge.

13 (4) [No] **Except as provided in subsection (5) of this section, the board may not renew a**
14 **certificate** [*shall be renewed*] that has been delinquent for more than five years.

15 (5) **The board may renew a certificate to practice engineering that has been delinquent**
16 **for more than five years if the board determines that the applicant:**

17 (a) **Has been employed during the entire delinquency period in an engineering capacity**
18 **not requiring registration;**

19 (b) **Has complied during the entire delinquency period with the standards and intellectual,**
20 **educational and technical qualifications established by the board for renewal of a certificate**
21 **to practice engineering; and**

22 (c) **Is competent to resume practice as a registered engineer.**
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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.