## A-Engrossed House Bill 2749

Ordered by the House June 19 Including House Amendments dated June 19

Sponsored by Representative ESQUIVEL, Senator PROZANSKI; Representatives GARRARD, G SMITH, J SMITH, WHISNANT, WITT, Senators DINGFELDER, MONROE, WALKER

## **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.

Increases amusement device tax to fund Oregon Youth Conservation Corps. Applies to tax years beginning on or after [January 1, 2010, and devices that begin operating on or after] July 1, 2010.

Provides that moneys received from tax on amusement devices may be distributed to Oregon Youth Conservation Corps only if corps develops and implements outreach plan to recruit and retain corps participants. Requires corps to report on plan to Seventy-fifth Legislative Assembly on or before February 1, 2010.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to amusement device taxes; creating new provisions; amending ORS 320.013; and providing for revenue raising that requires approval by a three-fifths majority.

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

SECTION 1. ORS 320.013 is amended to read:

320.013. (1) In addition to the excise tax imposed by ORS 320.011, an excise tax is imposed upon every person for the privilege of operating an amusement device within this state. The tax shall be [\$10] \$20 for each amusement device operated during the tax year.

(2) All moneys received from the tax imposed under subsection (1) of this section, not including penalties, shall be paid by the Department of Revenue into the State Treasury quarterly and are continuously appropriated to the Department of Community Colleges and Workforce Development. The Department of Community Colleges and Workforce Development shall pay the expenses of the state and local programs of the Oregon Youth Conservation Corps established under ORS 418.650 to 418.663 if the requirements of section 2 (1) of this 2009 Act are met.

SECTION 2. (1) The moneys received from the tax imposed under ORS 320.013 (1) may be distributed to the Oregon Youth Conservation Corps as provided in ORS 320.013 (2) only if the corps develops and implements an outreach plan to recruit and retain corps participants.

- (2) The corps shall report to the Seventy-fifth Legislative Assembly not later than February 1, 2010. The report shall include descriptions of:
  - (a) The demographic data about participants in the corps.
- (b) Efforts made by the corps toward recruitment and retention of eligible youth in the program.
  - (c) Obstacles to participation in the program by eligible youth.
  - SECTION 3. The amendments to ORS 320.013 by section 1 of this 2009 Act apply to the

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