

# House Bill 3078

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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**.

Directs State Department of Fish and Wildlife to develop plan for reforming hatchery operations and reconstructing hatchery facilities.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to fish hatcheries; and declaring an emergency.

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

4 **SECTION 1. (1) The State Department of Fish and Wildlife shall develop a plan to reform**  
5 **operation of department-operated fish hatcheries on the Oregon coast.**

6 **(2) The plan shall include provisions for:**

7 **(a) Evaluation and prioritization of deferred maintenance at fish hatcheries;**

8 **(b) Reduction of chemical effluent and fish waste outfall at hatcheries that may be af-**  
9 **fecting native and wild fish;**

10 **(c) Reduction of disease outbreaks in hatchery-raised salmon, steelhead and trout; and**

11 **(d) Consolidation of hatchery production.**

12 **(3) The department shall also plan for reconstruction of department-operated coastal**  
13 **hatcheries that will allow for:**

14 **(a) Raising multiple groups of fish simultaneously;**

15 **(b) Sorting and holding returning adults of multiple broodstocks simultaneously;**

16 **(c) Reducing density of fish in hatchery facilities; and**

17 **(d) Reducing the holding mortality of wild capture broodstock.**

18 **(4) The department shall complete the plan and submit it to an interim committee related**  
19 **to environment and natural resources for review on or before October 1, 2010.**

20 **SECTION 2. This 2009 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public**  
21 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2009 Act takes effect**  
22 **on its passage.**

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