

House Bill 3277

Sponsored by Representative KENNEMER

SUMMARY

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Requires Department of Environmental Quality to conduct study of addition of ethanol to gasoline. Requires department to report to Legislative Assembly.
Sunsets January 2, 2012.

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Relating to ethanol.

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

SECTION 1. (1) The Department of Environmental Quality shall conduct a study on the consequences of the addition of ethanol to gasoline.

(2) The study must focus on any new scientific studies that show any harmful effects of the addition of ethanol to gasoline as well as scientific studies that show the beneficial effect of the addition of ethanol to gasoline.

(3) The study must also examine the possibility that ethanol may be harmful to marine engines and fuel lines.

(4) The department shall report the results of its study to the Seventy-sixth Legislative Assembly on or before March 1, 2011, in the manner required under ORS 192.245.

SECTION 2. Section 1 of this 2009 Act is repealed on January 2, 2012.
