

House Bill 3292

Sponsored by Representative J SMITH (at the request of Rich Rodgers)

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 Insurance Surcharge Public Safety Fund.

Establishes surcharge on property and motor vehicle insurance policies issued in this state to be credited to fund.

Continuously appropriates moneys from fund to Oregon Criminal Justice Commission for disbursement to local governments for purposes of public safety.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to local government public safety funding; appropriating money; and providing for revenue
3 raising that requires approval by a three-fifths majority.

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

5 **SECTION 1. (1) For the purposes listed in section 3 of this 2009 Act, there is imposed an**
6 **annual surcharge of \$_____ on every insurance policy for property or motor vehicles issued**
7 **in this state.**

8 **(2) An insurer administering a property or motor vehicle insurance policy in this state**
9 **is responsible for collecting the surcharge under subsection (1) of this section from the**
10 **policyholder. The insurer shall file monthly returns on forms prescribed by the Department**
11 **of Revenue and shall remit the surcharge collected on a monthly basis to the department.**

12 **(3) The department shall adopt rules necessary for the administration and enforcement**
13 **of this section.**

14 **SECTION 2. The Insurance Surcharge Public Safety Fund is established, separate and**
15 **distinct from the General Fund. The Department of Revenue shall deposit surcharges re-**
16 **ceived under section 1 of this 2009 Act into the Insurance Surcharge Public Safety Fund upon**
17 **receipt. All moneys credited to the fund are continuously appropriated to the Oregon Crimi-**
18 **nal Justice Commission for the purposes of section 3 of this 2009 Act.**

19 **SECTION 3. The Oregon Criminal Justice Commission shall disburse moneys from the**
20 **Insurance Surcharge Public Safety Fund in the form of grants to local governments for the**
21 **purposes of enhancing public safety. The commission shall adopt standards for project eligi-**
22 **bility and rules for administration of the grant program.**

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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.