

Senate Bill 256

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SUMMARY

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Requires that two Multnomah County judges hold court in City of Gresham.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to courts; amending ORS 3.014.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** ORS 3.014 is amended to read:

5 3.014. (1) [*One*] **Two** of the judges of the fourth judicial district shall hold court in the City of
6 Gresham, Multnomah County, as directed by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court but in no event
7 less than one day a week. All proceedings resulting from alleged state traffic offenses or
8 misdemeanors occurring east of 122nd Avenue extended to the north and south boundaries of
9 Multnomah County shall be conducted in the court in Gresham unless the accused at first appear-
10 ance in each action requests trial in Portland.

11 (2) A proceeding to be conducted in Gresham as provided in subsection (1) of this section shall
12 be transferred without further order of the court to a court facility in Portland for all purposes if:

13 (a) The accused person is in the custody of a county sheriff or the Department of Corrections
14 at the time set for any scheduled proceeding; or

15 (b) A circuit court in the fourth judicial district issues a bench warrant or a warrant of arrest
16 against the accused for any criminal action pending before the court.

17 (3) Multnomah County shall provide facilities in the City of Gresham for [*a court judge*] **the**
18 **judges** to hold court as described under subsection (1) of this section.

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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.