

**Enrolled**  
**Senate Bill 469**

Sponsored by Senator ATKINSON; Senators GEORGE, GIROD, KRUSE, STARR, TELFER, WINTERS, Representatives CAMERON, C EDWARDS

CHAPTER .....

AN ACT

Relating to business activities conducted by minors.

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

**SECTION 1.** Section 2 of this 2009 Act may be cited as the Oregon Young Entrepreneurs Act.

**SECTION 2.** (1) Except as provided in subsection (2) of this section and notwithstanding any other provision of law, the State of Oregon, a political subdivision of the state or an agency of the state or of a political subdivision of the state may not require an individual under 17 years of age who is a resident of this state to obtain a license or permit to engage in a business activity in which the individual operates as a sole proprietor under the individual's own name.

(2) This section does not affect a statute, rule, ordinance or other provision of law that requires a license, certificate, registration, permit or other authorization to conduct a business activity that is subject to regulation for the purpose of protecting the environment or the public health, safety or welfare.

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**Passed by Senate March 25, 2009**

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Secretary of Senate

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President of Senate

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Speaker of House

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