

# Senate Bill 522

Sponsored by Senator GIROD

## 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**.

Authorizes hunters to use certain decoys to hunt game birds.

### A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to hunting decoys.

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

**SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2009 Act is added to and made a part of ORS chapter 498.**

**SECTION 2. (1) A person who holds the appropriate licenses, tags and permits under the wildlife laws to hunt game birds may use decoys to hunt those game birds.**

**(2) As used in subsection (1) of this section, "decoy" means a simulation or replication of game birds, in whole or in part, that is used in hunting game birds and that is powered by:**

**(a) Battery;**

**(b) Motor;**

**(c) Wind; or**

**(d) Human action via a cable, cord, pull string or other device.**

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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.