

House Bill 2443

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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**.

Directs State Mortuary and Cemetery Board to study possibility of licensing practitioners to assist with death care performed outside of conventional funeral establishment, and to report results of study to legislature.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to family funeral assistants; and declaring an emergency.

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

4 **SECTION 1. (1) The State Mortuary and Cemetery Board shall study the possibility of**
5 **licensing practitioners to provide assistance to persons who wish to control and perform**
6 **death care outside of a conventional funeral establishment.**

7 **(2) The board shall report to an interim committee of the Legislative Assembly related**
8 **to health care on the results of the study performed under subsection (1) of this section on**
9 **or before September 1, 2012.**

10 **SECTION 2. This 2011 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public**
11 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2011 Act takes effect**
12 **on its passage.**

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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.