

House Bill 3230

Sponsored by Representative HOYLE (at the request of Oregon Dental Association)

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**.

Increases penalty for practicing dentistry without license to five years' imprisonment, \$125,000 fine, or both.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to unlicensed practice of dentistry; amending ORS 679.991.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** ORS 679.991 is amended to read:

5 679.991. (1) Violation of any provision of ORS 679.020 or 679.025 (1)[,] is a Class [A
6 *misdemeanor*] **C felony**.

7 (2) Violation of ORS 679.170 or 679.176 is a Class B misdemeanor.

8 (3) In the event of a second or subsequent conviction under subsection (1) of this section, it is
9 mandatory upon the part of the court to sentence the convicted person to imprisonment in the
10 county jail for not less than 10 days in addition to the maximum fine or imprisonment permitted.

11 (4) In any prosecution for violation of subsection (1) or (2) of this section, it [*shall be*] **is** suffi-
12 cient to sustain a conviction to show a single act of conduct in violation of any of the provisions
13 of this chapter and it [*shall*] **is** not be necessary to show a general course of such conduct.
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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.