

Senate Bill 125

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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**.

Replaces Oregon Heritage Commission member designated by Oregon Business Development Department with member designated by Oregon Tourism Commission.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

1
2 Relating to membership of the Oregon Heritage Commission; creating new provisions; amending ORS
3 358.570 and 358.575; and declaring an emergency.

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

5 **SECTION 1.** ORS 358.570 is amended to read:

6 358.570. (1) To [*assure*] **ensure** the conservation and development of Oregon's heritage there is
7 established in the State Parks and Recreation Department the Oregon Heritage Commission con-
8 sisting of nine voting members appointed by the Governor and eight [*ex officio*] **advisory** members
9 as described in ORS 358.575.

10 (2) The term of office of each **voting** member is four years, but a member serves at the pleasure
11 of the Governor. Before the expiration of the term of a member, the Governor shall appoint a suc-
12 cessor whose term begins on July 1 next following. A member is eligible for reappointment. If there
13 is a vacancy for any cause, the Governor shall make an appointment to become immediately effec-
14 tive for the unexpired term.

15 (3) A **voting** member of the commission is entitled to actual and necessary travel and other
16 expenses as provided in ORS 292.495.

17 **SECTION 2.** ORS 358.575 is amended to read:

18 358.575. (1) The voting members of the Oregon Heritage Commission shall be [*composed of*] rep-
19 resentatives of heritage interests, including Indian tribes with federal recognition, that reflect the
20 cultural and geographic diversity of this state as well as the heritage interests reflected in commu-
21 nity institutions, libraries, museums, architecture, archaeology and historic preservation.

22 (2) The [*ex officio*] **advisory** members of the commission shall be [*designees of the following*]:

23 (a) **One member designated by the Director of the Department of Land Conservation and**
24 **Development;**

25 (b) **One member designated by the Trustees of the State Library;**

26 (c) **One member designated by the State Board of Higher Education;**

27 (d) **One member designated by the Oregon [*Business Development Department*] **Tourism****
28 **Commission;**

29 (e) [*The Department of Education*] **One member designated by the Superintendent of Public**
30 **Instruction;**

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.

1 (f) The Executive Director of the Oregon Historical Society **or a designee of the executive**
2 **director;**

3 (g) The State Archivist **or a designee of the archivist;** and

4 (h) The State Historic Preservation Officer **or a designee of the officer.**

5 **SECTION 3. (1) Except as provided in subsection (2) of this section, the amendments to**
6 **ORS 358.575 by section 2 of this 2011 Act do not affect the terms of office of the current**
7 **members of the Oregon Heritage Commission and apply to membership positions on the**
8 **commission only as vacancies occur.**

9 (2) Pursuant to ORS 358.575 (2)(d), as amended by section 2 of this 2011 Act, the Oregon
10 Tourism Commission shall designate a member of the Oregon Heritage Commission to begin
11 service no later than January 1, 2013.

12 **SECTION 4. This 2011 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public**
13 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2011 Act takes effect**
14 **on its passage.**

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