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SUMMARY

Directs Oregon Education Investment Board to prepare report related to removing barriers to learning caused by poverty.

Requires board to submit report to interim legislative committees no later than April 1, 2014.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to impact of poverty on education; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. (1) The Oregon Education Investment Board shall prepare a report that:

(a) Identifies proven best practices that may be used in schools to remove the barriers to learning caused by poverty.

(b) Calculates the financial costs of the best practices identified in paragraph (a) of this subsection.

(c) Recommends any legislative changes necessary to implement or fund the best practices.

(2) The board shall submit the report described in subsection (1) of this section to the interim legislative committees on education no later than April 1, 2014.

SECTION 2. This 2013 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2013 Act takes effect on its passage.