

# House Bill 2244

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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**.

Repeals certain statutes regarding State Department of Agriculture inspection of grain at warehouse and repeals statutes regarding department inspection of grain and other commodities at transit points selected by department.

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to State Department of Agriculture commodity inspections; amending ORS 561.144, 586.710,  
3 586.730, 586.990 and 632.985; and repealing ORS 586.570, 586.580, 586.590, 586.600, 586.610,  
4 586.630, 586.640, 586.650, 586.660, 586.670 and 586.680.

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

6 **SECTION 1. ORS 586.570, 586.580, 586.590, 586.600, 586.610, 586.630, 586.640, 586.650, 586.660,**  
7 **586.670 and 586.680 are repealed.**

8 **SECTION 2.** ORS 561.144 is amended to read:

9 561.144. (1) The State Treasurer shall establish a Department of Agriculture Service Fund, which  
10 shall be a trust fund separate and distinct from the General Fund. The State Department of Agri-  
11 culture shall deposit all license and service fees paid to it under the provisions of the statutes  
12 identified in subsection (3) of this section in the Department of Agriculture Service Fund. The State  
13 Treasurer is the custodian of this trust fund, which shall be deposited by the treasurer in such de-  
14 positories as are authorized to receive deposits of the General Fund, and which may be invested by  
15 the treasurer in the same manner as authorized by ORS 293.701 to 293.820.

16 (2) Interest received on deposits credited to the Department of Agriculture Service Fund shall  
17 accrue to and become a part of the Department of Agriculture Service Fund.

18 (3) The license and service fees subject to this section are those described in ORS 561.400,  
19 561.740, 570.710, 571.057, 571.063, 571.145, 571.305, 583.004, 583.046, 583.445, 583.510, 583.610, 585.050,  
20 586.270, [586.580, 586.650,] 596.030, 596.100, 596.311, 599.235, 599.269, 599.406, 599.610, 601.040,  
21 602.090, 603.025, 603.075, 616.706, 618.115, 618.136, 619.031, 621.072, 621.166, 621.266, 621.297, 621.335,  
22 621.730, 622.080, 625.180, 628.240, 632.211, 632.425, 632.600, 632.720, 632.730, 632.741, 632.940, 632.945,  
23 633.015, 633.029, 633.318, 633.362, 633.461, 633.471, 633.680, 633.700, 633.720, 634.016, 634.116, 634.122,  
24 634.126, 634.132, 634.136, 634.212 and 635.030.

25 **SECTION 3.** ORS 586.710 is amended to read:

26 586.710. Except for fees paid under ORS 586.270[, 586.580 and 586.650], all fees collected by the  
27 State Department of Agriculture under this chapter shall be paid into the State Treasury to the  
28 credit of the Department of Agriculture Account. Such moneys constitute a continuing appropri-  
29 ation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this chapter. The fees paid to the department  
30 under ORS 586.270[, 586.580 or 586.650] shall be deposited in the Department of Agriculture Service

**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 Fund, and such funds are continuously appropriated to the department for the purpose of adminis-  
 2 tering and enforcing this chapter.

3 **SECTION 4.** ORS 586.730 is amended to read:

4 586.730. (1) No warehouseman shall violate, or procure, aid, or abet any violation by any  
 5 warehouseman, of any provision of ORS 586.210 to 586.300, 586.315 to 586.380, 586.400, 586.410,  
 6 586.520, 586.525, 586.530, 586.550[, 586.570 to 586.630 and] **or** 586.650 to 586.730, or fail to comply  
 7 with any order of the State Department of Agriculture, or procure, aid or abet any warehouseman  
 8 in failure to comply with any such order.

9 (2) No person, individually or acting as an official or agent of any corporation other than a  
 10 warehouseman, shall violate any provisions of ORS 586.210 to 586.300, 586.315 to 586.380, 586.400,  
 11 586.410, 586.520, 586.525, 586.530, 586.550[, 586.570 to 586.630 and] **or** 586.650 to 586.730, or fail to  
 12 comply with any order made by the department under those sections so long as the order remains  
 13 in force, or procure, aid or abet any such corporation, in its violation of those sections, or in its  
 14 failure to comply with any such order.

15 **SECTION 5.** ORS 586.990 is amended to read:

16 586.990. (1) Violation of ORS 586.250 is a Class B misdemeanor.

17 (2) Violation of ORS 586.730 is a Class A misdemeanor.

18 (3) Violation of any of the provisions of ORS 586.210 to 586.300, 586.315 to 586.380, 586.400,  
 19 586.410, 586.520, 586.525, 586.530, 586.550[, 586.570 to 586.630 and] **or** 586.650 to 586.720, or failure  
 20 to comply with any order, rule, direction, demand or requirement of the State Department of Agri-  
 21 culture made pursuant to those sections, is a specific fine violation punishable by a fine not ex-  
 22 ceeding \$3,000 for each offense. Each violation is a separate and continuing offense. In case of a  
 23 continuing violation, every day's continuance of the violation is a separate and distinct offense.

24 (4) Violation of ORS 586.382, 586.385 and 586.395 is a Class A misdemeanor.

25 **SECTION 6.** ORS 632.985 is amended to read:

26 632.985. (1) [No] **An** operator or person in charge of any motor vehicle [*shall*] **may not** transport  
 27 on the streets or highways of this state[, ] any [*hay, grain or potatoes, of*] **agricultural or**  
 28 **horticultural products for** which inspection is required by law, out of, into or through any in-  
 29 spection district, so designated by the State Department of Agriculture, or out of, into or through  
 30 any city [*which*] **that** has been declared an inspection point, unless the operator or person has given  
 31 notice by mail or in person to the nearest office or inspector of the department, that such products  
 32 or any thereof are available for inspection as required by law.

33 (2) Every person receiving any shipment, load or lot of such products, [*which*] **that** has not been  
 34 inspected, for the purpose of sale or storage in such quantities and in such places as would require  
 35 inspection, shall give notice within 24 hours by mail or in person, to the nearest office or inspector  
 36 of the department that the products have been received and are being held for inspection.