

House Bill 2637

Sponsored by Representative HARKER (Pre-session filed.)

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**.

Requires Oregon Health Authority to publish and update, at least once every five years, map of this state that identifies each location where *Ixodes pacificus* tick has been identified.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to *Ixodes pacificus* ticks.

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

4 **SECTION 1. (1) The Oregon Health Authority shall publish and update, at least once ev-**
5 **ery five years, a map of this state that identifies each location where an *Ixodes pacificus* tick**
6 **has been identified.**

7 **(2) For the purpose of publishing and updating the map described in subsection (1) of this**
8 **section, the authority shall:**

9 **(a) Publish and disseminate information describing the identifying factors of an *Ixodes***
10 ***pacificus* tick;**

11 **(b) Publish and disseminate information notifying the public of Lyme disease and other**
12 **tick-borne diseases; and**

13 **(c) Prepare and make available for submission an *Ixodes pacificus* tick identification form**
14 **by which a person may inform the authority of the location of an *Ixodes pacificus* tick.**

15 **(3) The authority shall adopt rules necessary to implement this section.**
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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.