

A-Engrossed
House Bill 2661

Ordered by the House April 23
Including House Amendments dated April 23

Sponsored by Representative FREDERICK (Presession 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.

Requires Oregon Criminal Justice Commission to study and [*report on racial, ethnic and economic disparities in citizen interactions with police officers and on recruitment and retention of minorities by certain institutions related to law enforcement*] **evaluate disparities in race and ethnicity of persons stopped, arrested and subjected to use of force by police officers.**

Sunset January 2, 2015.

Appropriates, for biennium beginning July 1, 2013, moneys from General Fund to commission for purposes of conducting study.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to police officer interactions with the public; appropriating money; and declaring an emer-
3 gency.

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

5 **SECTION 1. (1) The Oregon Criminal Justice Commission shall conduct a study and**
6 **evaluation of disparities in race and ethnicity of persons stopped, arrested and subjected to**
7 **the use of force by police officers.**

8 **(2) The commission may enter into an agreement with the Criminal Justice Policy Re-**
9 **search Institute at Portland State University for the purpose of conducting the study de-**
10 **scribed in subsection (1) of this section. If the commission enters into such an agreement,**
11 **the commission shall provide the institute with arrest data and other data as is necessary**
12 **for the institute to prepare a report on the results of the study.**

13 **(3) The commission shall report the results of the study to the interim committees of the**
14 **Legislative Assembly related to crime and general government on or before November 1,**
15 **2014.**

16 **SECTION 2. Section 1 of this 2013 Act is repealed on January 2, 2015.**

17 **SECTION 3. There is appropriated to the Oregon Criminal Justice Commission, for the**
18 **biennium beginning July 1, 2013, out of the General Fund, the amount of \$82,500 for the**
19 **purposes of conducting the study and entering into the agreement described in section 1 of**
20 **this 2013 Act.**

21 **SECTION 4. This 2013 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public**
22 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2013 Act takes effect**
23 **on its passage.**

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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.