

House Bill 3208

Sponsored by Representative CONGER

SUMMARY

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Directs Superintendent of Public Instruction to form advisory committee for purpose of identifying incentives to encourage school districts to sponsor public charter school that specializes in serving economically impoverished communities.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to public charter schools; and declaring an emergency.

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

4 **SECTION 1. (1) The Superintendent of Public Instruction shall form an advisory com-**
5 **mittee for the purpose of identifying incentives to encourage school districts to sponsor a**
6 **public charter school that specializes in serving economically impoverished communities.**
7 **Incentives the advisory committee shall consider include:**

8 (a) Making resources available to the public charter school that will allow the school to
9 address the cultural needs of the students;

10 (b) Adjusting the weighted average daily membership of the public charter school to take
11 into account that 100 percent of the students will be from poverty families; and

12 (c) Providing other financial incentives from the State School Fund or other sources.

13 (2) No later than July 1, 2014, the Department of Education shall submit the following to
14 the interim legislative committees on education:

15 (a) A report that summarizes the findings of the advisory committee under subsection
16 (1) of this section; and

17 (b) Any proposals for legislation needed to implement the findings of the advisory com-
18 mittee.

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

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