

Senate Bill 114

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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**.

Creates task force to identify and develop proposals for improvements to Oregon law regarding commercial activities at wineries.

Sunsets task force on date of convening of 2015 regular legislative session.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

1
2 Relating to commercial activities at wineries; and declaring an emergency.

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

4 **SECTION 1. (1) The Task Force on Winery Commercial Activity is established, consisting**
5 **of five members appointed as follows:**

6 (a) **The President of the Senate shall appoint one member who has expertise regarding**
7 **wineries or commercial activities.**

8 (b) **The Speaker of the House of Representatives shall appoint one member having ex-**
9 **pertise regarding wineries or commercial activities.**

10 (c) **The Governor shall appoint three representatives having expertise regarding wineries**
11 **or commercial activities.**

12 (2) **The task force shall conduct a study to identify and develop proposals for improve-**
13 **ments to Oregon law regarding commercial activity at wineries.**

14 (3) **A majority of the voting members of the task force constitutes a quorum for the**
15 **transaction of business.**

16 (4) **Official action by the task force requires the approval of a majority of the members**
17 **of the task force.**

18 (5) **The task force shall elect one of its members to serve as chairperson.**

19 (6) **If there is a vacancy for any cause, the appointing authority shall make an appoint-**
20 **ment to become immediately effective.**

21 (7) **The task force shall meet at times and places specified by the call of the chairperson**
22 **or of a majority of the voting members of the task force.**

23 (8) **The task force may adopt rules necessary for the operation of the task force.**

24 (9) **The task force shall submit a report in the manner provided in ORS 192.245, and may**
25 **include recommendations for legislation, to an interim committee of the Legislative Assem-**
26 **bly related to economic development no later than October 1, 2014.**

27 (10) **The Oregon Liquor Control Commission shall provide staff support to the task force.**

28 (11) **Members of the task force are not entitled to compensation, but may be reimbursed**
29 **for actual and necessary travel and other expenses incurred by them in the performance of**

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1 **their official duties in the manner and amounts provided for in ORS 292.495. Claims for ex-**
2 **penses shall be paid out of funds appropriated to Oregon Liquor Control Commission for**
3 **purposes of the task force.**

4 (12) **All agencies of state government, as defined in ORS 174.111, are directed to assist**
5 **the task force in the performance of its duties and, to the extent permitted by laws relating**
6 **to confidentiality, to furnish such information and advice as the members of the task force**
7 **consider necessary to perform their duties.**

8 **SECTION 2. Section 1 of this 2013 Act is repealed on the date of the convening of the 2015**
9 **regular session of the Legislative Assembly as specified in ORS 171.010.**

10 **SECTION 3. This 2013 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public**
11 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2013 Act takes effect**
12 **on its passage.**

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