

**B-Engrossed**  
**Senate Bill 536**

Ordered by the House June 4  
Including Senate Amendments dated April 3 and House Amendments  
dated June 4

Sponsored by COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES

**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.

Permits state agency[, *by rule, to implement program*] to locate, on premises that state agency owns or controls, devices or facilities to deliver electricity to public for motor vehicles that use electricity for propulsion and contract with vendor that will distribute, dispense or make available electricity from devices or facilities.

Limits number of devices or facilities that certain state agencies may install during each biennium.

Requires state agency to set price for using devices or facilities at level that does not subsidize operations of private entity or cost of electricity to public or substantially exceed costs to state agency of making electricity available.

Extends until January 2, 2018, sunset for Oregon Department of Administrative Services program to make compressed natural gas available for use in motor vehicles.

**A BILL FOR AN ACT**

1  
2 Relating to state provision of energy for motor vehicles; creating new provisions; and amending  
3 section 14, chapter 30, Oregon Laws 2010.

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

5 **SECTION 1. (1) A state agency may:**

6 (a) **Locate, on premises the state agency owns or controls, devices or facilities that the**  
7 **state agency installs, or has installed, specifically to deliver electricity to the public for mo-**  
8 **tor vehicles that use electricity for propulsion; and**

9 (b) **Contract with a vendor that will distribute, dispense or otherwise make available**  
10 **electricity from devices or facilities described in paragraph (a) of this subsection.**

11 (2)(a) **The Oregon Department of Administrative Services may install or have installed**  
12 **devices or facilities described in subsection (1)(a) of this section at not more than 10 lo-**  
13 **cations during a biennium.**

14 (b) **A state agency other than the department may install or have installed devices or**  
15 **facilities described in subsection (1)(a) of this section at not more than five locations during**  
16 **a biennium.**

17 (c) **Notwithstanding paragraphs (a) and (b) of this subsection, a state agency may install**  
18 **or have installed devices or facilities described in subsection (1)(a) of this section at more**  
19 **than the number of locations specified in paragraph (a) or (b) of this subsection if the state**  
20 **agency obtains a grant to support the installations at each additional location.**

21 (3) **A state agency that contracts with a vendor under subsection (1) of this section shall**  
22 **require in the contract that the vendor:**

**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       **(a) Indemnify the state agency against any claim related to or arising out of the vendor's**  
2 **operations on premises that the state agency owns or controls; and**

3       **(b) Obtain a policy of liability insurance in an amount sufficient to pay foreseeable claims**  
4 **that relate to or arise out of the vendor's operations, name the state agency as an insured**  
5 **party in the policy and maintain coverage under the policy during the term of the contract**  
6 **and for two years after the contract term expires.**

7       **(4) A state agency may by order establish and adjust prices for using devices or facilities**  
8 **described in subsection (1)(a) of this section that are located on premises the state agency**  
9 **owns or controls. The state agency shall set the price for using the devices or facilities at**  
10 **a level that does not:**

11       **(a) Subsidize the operations of a private entity or the cost of electricity to the public; or**

12       **(b) Substantially exceed the costs to the state agency of making the electricity available**  
13 **to the public.**

14       **SECTION 2.** Section 14, chapter 30, Oregon Laws 2010, is amended to read:

15       **Sec. 14.** Section 13 [*of this 2010 Act*], **chapter 30, Oregon Laws 2010**, is repealed on January  
16 2, [2014] **2018.**