

# Senate Bill 733

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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**.

Allows Director of Department of State Lands to approve, on case-by-case basis, off-site compensatory mitigation in certain watersheds in adjacent states.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to compensatory mitigation; and declaring an emergency.

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

4 **SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2013 Act is added to and made a part of ORS 196.600 to**  
5 **196.655.**

6 **SECTION 2. The Director of the Department of State Lands may, on a case-by-case basis,**  
7 **after determining that no practicable compensatory mitigation options exist in this state,**  
8 **approve off-site compensatory mitigation under which the activities are conducted in a**  
9 **watershed in an adjacent state, if the activities are conducted in a watershed that also exists**  
10 **in this state.**

11 **SECTION 3. Section 2 of this 2013 Act applies to permits first applied for under ORS**  
12 **196.815 on or after the effective date of this 2013 Act and permits renewed on or after the**  
13 **effective date of this 2013 Act.**

14 **SECTION 4. This 2013 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public**  
15 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2013 Act takes effect**  
16 **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.