

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
SENATE BILL 851**

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, line 2, delete the comma.

2 In line 3, delete “776.123, 776.126”.

3 On page 2, delete lines 26 through 45 and delete pages 3 and 4 and insert:

4 **“SECTION 2. Sections 3 and 4 of this 2013 Act are added to and**
5 **made a part of ORS chapter 776.**

6 **“SECTION 3. (1) Except as provided in subsection (2) of this section,**
7 **each licensee under this chapter shall collect a board operations fee**
8 **from each vessel using the services of a licensee. The purpose of the**
9 **fee is to allow the Oregon Board of Maritime Pilots to carry out its**
10 **duties, functions and powers under this chapter. The fee may not ex-**
11 **ceed the amount described in section 4 of this 2013 Act.**

12 **“(2) The fee described in subsection (1) of this section shall be col-**
13 **lected in the following manner:**

14 **“(a) For vessels entering or leaving the Columbia River, licensees**
15 **for the Columbia River bar pilotage ground shall collect the fee from**
16 **inbound vessels and licensees for the Columbia and Willamette River**
17 **pilotage ground shall collect the fee from outbound vessels.**

18 **“(b) For vessels entering or leaving Coos Bay or Yaquina Bay,**
19 **licensees for the Coos Bay or Yaquina Bay pilotage ground shall collect**
20 **the fee from inbound and outbound vessels.**

21 **“(3) The board shall prescribe the procedures for collecting and**
22 **remitting the fee imposed under this section.**

1 “(4) Each quarter the board shall review the amount of the fee. If
2 the board determines that the fee should be adjusted, then the board
3 may adjust the fee subject to:

4 “(a) Prior approval of the Oregon Department of Administrative
5 Services; and

6 “(b) A report to the Emergency Board.

7 “SECTION 4. (1) Subject to subsection (2) of this section, the max-
8 imum board operations fee for a vessel is \$100.

9 “(2) The Oregon Board of Maritime Pilots shall adjust the amount
10 of the maximum board operations fee for a vessel each biennium be-
11 ginning July 1, 2015, by a proportional amount equal to the percentage
12 change in the 24-month period prior to the beginning of the biennium
13 in the Portland-Salem, OR-WA, Consumer Price Index for All Urban
14 Consumers for All Items, as published by the Bureau of Labor Statis-
15 tics of the United States Department of Labor.

16 “SECTION 5. ORS 776.365 is amended to read:

17 “776.365. The Pilot Account is established in the State Treasury, separate
18 and distinct from the General Fund. All moneys received by the Oregon
19 Board of Maritime Pilots under this chapter shall be deposited in the ac-
20 count. All moneys in the account are continuously appropriated to the board
21 and the board may use the moneys only **to carry out the duties, functions**
22 **and powers of the board**, for the administration and enforcement of this
23 chapter and for expenses incurred by the Public Utility Commission in its
24 oversight of the board.

25 “SECTION 6. **This 2013 Act being necessary for the immediate**
26 **preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is**
27 **declared to exist, and this 2013 Act takes effect July 1, 2013.”.**

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