

Executive Appointments Legislative Review
Compiled by Oregon Legislative Committee Services

OFFICE: Director, Oregon Business Development Department

APPOINTEE: Chris Harder of Portland; New appointment replacing Robbins

APPOINTMENT/CONFIRMATION AUTHORITY: ORS 285A.070

TERM: Beginning: March 22, 2016- serves at pleasure of Governor

ECONOMIC INTEREST FILING (ORS 244.050): Not required.

STATUTORY QUALIFICATIONS: ORS 285A.070

Affirmative action policy: See ORS 182.100. Diversity criteria: See ORS 236.115.

- None listed

DUTIES AND AUTHORITY: ORS 285A.070

- Administrative head of the Economic and Community Development Department
- Administer the laws of the state relating to economic development
- Organize and reorganize the department in whatever manner the director considers necessary to conduct the work of the department properly
- Intervene in the proceedings of state and federal agencies which may substantially affect economic development within Oregon
- Prescribe rules for the government of the department, the conduct of its employees, the assignment and performance of its business and the custody, use and preservation of its records, papers and property
- May delegate to any of the employees of the department the exercise or discharge of any power, duty or function of whatever character vested in or imposed upon the director
- Require a fidelity bond of any officer or employee of the department who has charge of, handles or has access to any state money or property.

Revised May 10, 2016 Erin Seiler