

House Bill 2976

Sponsored by Representative WHISNANT

SUMMARY

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Prohibits employee who separates from contracting agency, for two years after date of employee's separation, from becoming, or seeking employment with, contractor with which contracting agency enters or has entered into public contract.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

1
2 Relating to public contracts involving former employee of contracting agency.

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

4 **SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2015 Act is added to and made a part of ORS chapter 244.**

5 **SECTION 2. (1) As used in this section:**

6 (a) "Contracting agency" has the meaning given that term in ORS 279A.010.

7 (b) "Public contract" has the meaning given that term in ORS 279A.010.

8 (2)(a) In addition to being subject to the restrictions established by ORS 244.047, an em-
9 ployee of a contracting agency who separates from the contracting agency may not, for a
10 period of two years after the employee's separation, become a contractor, or seek or gain
11 employment with a contractor, with which the contracting agency enters or has entered into
12 a public contract if the employee:

13 (A) Worked for the contracting agency directly on matters related to the public contract
14 or in a field closely related to the public contract; or

15 (B) Would have duties as or for the contractor that involve work related to the public
16 contract.

17 (b) A contracting agency shall require an employee who separates from the contracting
18 agency to sign an agreement to abide by the conditions set forth in paragraph (a) of this
19 subsection. The Oregon Department of Administrative Services by rule shall prescribe the
20 form and content of the agreement.
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