

**A-Engrossed**  
**House Bill 2997**

Ordered by the House June 8  
Including House Amendments dated June 8

Sponsored by Representative READ, Senators HANSELL, ROBLAN, Representatives HOYLE, PARRISH, SMITH; Representatives BARRETO, BENTZ, BUCKLEY, BUEHLER, CLEM, DAVIS, ESQUIVEL, FREDERICK, GOMBERG, GORSEK, HACK, HELM, HOLVEY, HUFFMAN, JOHNSON, KENNEMER, MCKEOWN, MCLAIN, NEARMAN, OLSON, PILUSO, POST, REARDON, WHISNANT, WILSON, WITT, Senators DEMBROW, EDWARDS, FERRIOLI, GIROD, KNOPP, KRUSE, THOMSEN, WHITSETT, WINTERS

**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.

*[Appropriates moneys from General Fund to Oregon Business Development Department to support cooperative effort to assist western juniper harvesting and related manufacturing businesses and promote liaison efforts regarding concerns and interests of western juniper harvesting and related manufacturing businesses and wildlife management concerns and interests.]*

**Limits biennial expenditures by Oregon Business Development Department from lottery moneys for funding of cooperative efforts of National Policy Consensus Center of Portland State University and community organizations related to western juniper harvesting and related manufacturing.**

Declares emergency, effective July 1, 2015.

**A BILL FOR AN ACT**

Relating to state financial administration; and declaring an emergency.

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

**SECTION 1. Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the amount of \$250,000 is established for the biennium beginning July 1, 2015, as the maximum limit for payment of expenses from lottery moneys allocated from the Administrative Services Economic Development Fund to the Oregon Business Development Department, for business, innovation and trade, for the purpose of funding of cooperative efforts by the National Policy Consensus Center of Portland State University and community organizations to:**

**(1) Provide businesses engaged in western juniper harvesting, or in the manufacturing of products from western juniper, with technical business assistance, market development and supply chain coordination between businesses, other private organizations and governmental entities; and**

**(2) Promote liaison efforts between public and private activities and programs within this state for western juniper harvesting and related manufacturing, and public and private activities and programs for wildlife management in order to address ecological or economic interests and concerns.**

**SECTION 2. This 2015 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2015 Act takes effect July 1, 2015.**

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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.