

House Bill 3307

Sponsored by COMMITTEE ON HIGHER EDUCATION, INNOVATION, AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

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**.

Requires public universities to enter into agreement to continue to grant to certain employees of public universities ability to take courses at reduced rate and transfer ability to take reduced rate courses to family members.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to tuition benefits for public university employees; and declaring an emergency.

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

4 **SECTION 1. Notwithstanding ORS 352.102, 352.107 or any other provision of law, all public**
5 **universities listed in ORS 352.002 shall enter into an agreement to ensure that individuals**
6 **employed by public universities who would have been eligible to receive reduced rate tuition**
7 **at any public university under the framework that existed immediately before August 14,**
8 **2013:**

9 (1) **Are offered the ability to register for courses at each public university at the same**
10 **reduced rate, calculated as a percentage of the standard rate, that existed immediately be-**
11 **fore August 14, 2013; and**

12 (2) **Are offered the ability to transfer the reduced rate privileges to family members, in-**
13 **cluding the domestic partner, of the university employee under the same terms and condi-**
14 **tions that existed immediately before August 14, 2013.**

15 **SECTION 2. This 2015 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public**
16 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2015 Act takes effect**
17 **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.