

# Senate Bill 165

Sponsored by Senator WHITSETT (Pre-session filed.)

## 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**.

Eliminates Citizens' Initiative Review Commission.  
Declares emergency, effective on passage.

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to the Citizens' Initiative Review Commission; amending ORS 182.454 and 251.185; repealing  
3 ORS 250.137, 250.139, 250.141, 250.143, 250.147 and 250.149 and sections 3 and 11, chapter 365,  
4 Oregon Laws 2011; and declaring an emergency.

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

6 **SECTION 1.** (1) **ORS 250.137, 250.139, 250.141, 250.143, 250.147 and 250.149 and section 3,**  
7 **chapter 365, Oregon Laws 2011, are repealed.**

8 **(2) Section 11, chapter 365, Oregon Laws 2011, as amended by section 18, chapter 722,**  
9 **Oregon Laws 2013, is repealed.**

10 **SECTION 2.** ORS 182.454, as amended by section 19, chapter 722, Oregon Laws 2013, and sec-  
11 tion 3, chapter 72, Oregon Laws 2014, is amended to read:

12 182.454. The following semi-independent state agencies are subject to ORS 182.456 to 182.472:

- 13 (1) The Appraiser Certification and Licensure Board.
- 14 (2) The State Board of Architect Examiners.
- 15 (3) The State Board of Examiners for Engineering and Land Surveying.
- 16 (4) The State Board of Geologist Examiners.
- 17 (5) The State Landscape Architect Board.
- 18 (6) The Oregon Board of Optometry.
- 19 (7) The Oregon Patient Safety Commission.
- 20 (8) The Oregon Wine Board.
- 21 (9) The State Board of Massage Therapists.
- 22 (10) The Physical Therapist Licensing Board.
- 23 (11) The State Landscape Contractors Board.

24 *[(12) The Citizens' Initiative Review Commission.]*

25 **SECTION 3.** ORS 251.185, as amended by section 20, chapter 722, Oregon Laws 2013, and sec-  
26 tion 4, chapter 72, Oregon Laws 2014, is amended to read:

27 251.185. (1) The Secretary of State shall have printed in the voters' pamphlet for a general  
28 election or any special election a copy of the title and text of each state measure to be submitted  
29 to the people at the election for which the pamphlet was prepared. The pamphlet must include the  
30 procedures for filing a complaint under ORS 260.345. Each measure shall be printed in the pamphlet  
31 with:

**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.

- 1 (a) The number and ballot title of the measure;
- 2 (b) The financial estimates and any statement prepared for the measure under ORS 250.125;
- 3 (c) The explanatory statement prepared for the measure;
- 4 (d) Arguments relating to the measure and filed with the Secretary of State; **and**
- 5 (e) Any racial and ethnic impact statement prepared for the measure under section 3, chapter
- 6 600, Oregon Laws 2013.[: *and*]
- 7 [*f*] *Any statement submitted for the measure by a citizen panel under ORS 250.141.*]

8 (2) A county measure or measure of a metropolitan service district organized under ORS chapter  
9 268, and ballot title, explanatory statement and arguments relating to the measure, filed by the  
10 county or metropolitan service district under ORS 251.285 shall be included in the voters' pamphlet  
11 described in subsection (1) of this section if required under ORS 251.067.

12 **SECTION 4.** ORS 251.185, as amended by section 8, chapter 600, Oregon Laws 2013, section 20,  
13 chapter 722, Oregon Laws 2013, and section 5, chapter 72, Oregon Laws 2014, is amended to read:

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16 to the people at the election for which the pamphlet was prepared. The pamphlet must include the  
17 procedures for filing a complaint under ORS 260.345. Each measure shall be printed in the pamphlet  
18 with:

- 19 (a) The number and ballot title of the measure;
- 20 (b) The financial estimates and any statement prepared for the measure under ORS 250.125;
- 21 (c) The explanatory statement prepared for the measure; **and**
- 22 (d) Arguments relating to the measure and filed with the Secretary of State.[: *and*]
- 23 [*e*] *Any statement submitted for the measure by a citizen panel under ORS 250.141.*]

24 (2) A county measure or measure of a metropolitan service district organized under ORS chapter  
25 268, and ballot title, explanatory statement and arguments relating to the measure, filed by the  
26 county or metropolitan service district under ORS 251.285 shall be included in the voters' pamphlet  
27 described in subsection (1) of this section if required under ORS 251.067.

28 **SECTION 5. This 2015 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public**  
29 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2015 Act takes effect**  
30 **on its passage.**