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SUMMARY

Establishes Task Force on Workforce Development.
Sunsets task force on December 31, 2018.
Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to workforce development; and prescribing an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. (1) The Task Force on Workforce Development is established, consisting of nine members appointed as follows:

(a) The President of the Senate shall appoint one member from the Senate.

(b) The Speaker of the House of Representatives shall appoint one member from the House of Representatives.

(c) The Governor shall appoint seven members as follows:

(A) Two members from the Oregon State Chamber of Commerce with demonstrated experience in workforce development.

(B) Two members from the Oregon Department of Administrative Services with demonstrated experience in workforce development.

(C) One member from the Higher Education Coordinating Commission with demonstrated experience in workforce development.

(D) One member from the Oregon Community College Association with demonstrated experience in workforce development.

(E) One member from the State Workforce Investment Board with demonstrated experience in workforce development.

1 **(2) The task force shall analyze and determine how to efficiently**
2 **solicit input and efficiently involve business interests in Oregon to**
3 **build market-driven workforce development systems.**

4 **(3) Members of the Legislative Assembly appointed to the task force**
5 **are nonvoting members of the task force and may act in an advisory**
6 **capacity only.**

7 **(4) The task force may work with any entity it considers necessary**
8 **to complete the duties set forth in subsection (2) of this section.**

9 **(5) A majority of the voting members of the task force constitutes**
10 **a quorum for the transaction of business.**

11 **(6) Official action by the task force requires the approval of a ma-**
12 **jority of the voting members of the task force.**

13 **(7) The task force shall elect one of its members to serve as chair-**
14 **person.**

15 **(8) If there is a vacancy for any cause, the appointing authority**
16 **shall make an appointment to become immediately effective.**

17 **(9) The task force shall meet at times and places specified by the**
18 **call of the chairperson or of a majority of the members of the task**
19 **force.**

20 **(10) The task force may adopt rules necessary for the operation of**
21 **the task force.**

22 **(11) The task force shall submit a report in the manner provided**
23 **by ORS 192.245, and may include recommendations for legislation, to**
24 **the interim committees of the Legislative Assembly related to business**
25 **and labor no later than November 15, 2018.**

26 **(12) The Legislative Policy and Research Director shall provide staff**
27 **support to the task force.**

28 **(13) Members of the task force who are not members of the Legis-**
29 **lative Assembly are entitled to mileage expenses but are not entitled**
30 **to compensation or reimbursement for other expenses and serve as**
31 **volunteers on the task force.**

1 **(14) All agencies of state government, as defined in ORS 174.111, are**
2 **directed to assist the task force in the performance of its duties and,**
3 **to the extent permitted by laws relating to confidentiality, to furnish**
4 **such information and advice as the members of the task force consider**
5 **necessary to perform their duties.**

6 **SECTION 2.** **Section 1 of this 2017 Act is repealed on December 31,**
7 **2018.**

8 **SECTION 3.** **This 2017 Act takes effect on the 91st day after the date**
9 **on which the 2017 regular session of the Seventy-ninth Legislative**
10 **Assembly adjourns sine die.**

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