

House Bill 2935

Sponsored by Representative BOONE

SUMMARY

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Modifies provision allowing waiver of qualification for registration as professional engineer if applicant has professional engineering experience in another jurisdiction.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to professional engineer registration; creating new provisions; and amending ORS 672.098
3 and 672.103.

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

5 **SECTION 1.** ORS 672.098 is amended to read:

6 672.098. As minimum evidence of qualification for registration as a professional engineer, an
7 applicant must:

8 (1) Except as provided in ORS 672.146, provide evidence of graduation in a college or university
9 engineering program of four years or more approved by the State Board of Examiners for Engi-
10 neering and Land Surveying;

11 (2) Except as provided in ORS 672.103, pass, or provide evidence of having previously passed, a
12 fundamentals of engineering examination approved by the board;

13 (3) **Except as provided in ORS 672.103**, pass, or provide evidence of having previously passed,
14 a practical engineer's examination approved by the board;

15 (4) Have a work record of four years or more of active practice in engineering work satisfactory
16 to the board; and

17 (5) Meet any additional requirements for registration as a professional engineer adopted by the
18 board under ORS 672.255.

19 **SECTION 2.** ORS 672.103 is amended to read:

20 672.103. The State Board of Examiners for Engineering and Land Surveying may waive the
21 fundamentals of engineering examination [*requirement*] **and practical engineer's examination re-**
22 **quirements** for an applicant for registration under ORS 672.098 if the applicant has, for at least
23 [25] **eight** years prior to the date of the registration application, held a registration or license to
24 practice professional engineering in another state, a territory or possession of the United States, the
25 District of Columbia or a foreign country.

26 **SECTION 3.** **The amendments to ORS 672.098 and 672.103 by sections 1 and 2 of this 2017**
27 **Act apply to applications for professional engineer registration evaluated by the State Board**
28 **of Examiners for Engineering and Land Surveying on or after the effective date of this 2017**
29 **Act.**

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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.