

# House Bill 2967

Sponsored by Representatives GOMBERG, WHISNANT

## 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 Legislative Policy and Research Director to provide small business impact statement if statement is requested in writing by two members of Legislative Assembly, each member from different major political party. Provides that statement describe likely effects of proposed legislative measure on small businesses that employ fewer than 50 employees. Requires director to prepare and deliver statements to requesters within 14 calendar days of request and to thereafter monitor and report effects of subsequent amendments to measure.

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to small business impact statements.

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

**SECTION 1.** **(1)** The Legislative Policy and Research Director shall prepare a small business impact statement for any legislative measure pending before a session of the Legislative Assembly when so requested in writing by two members of the Legislative Assembly, each member from a different major political party.

**(2)** If the director receives a request under subsection **(1)** of this section, the director shall prepare a small business impact statement that describes the effects of proposed legislation on Oregon employers with fewer than 50 employees, including but not limited to reporting the proposed measure's likely effects on:

- (a)** Costs borne by small businesses;
- (b)** The economy; and
- (c)** Labor markets.

**(3)** The director shall prepare and deliver the small business impact statement within 14 calendar days after receipt of the request.

**(4)** The director shall continue to monitor each legislative measure for which a small business impact statement has been prepared and shall review and revise the statement as the measure is amended.

**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.