

Senate Bill 15

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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**.

Expands authority of Superintendent of State Police to appoint Department of Corrections employees as special state police officers to assist in all department transport functions and duties.
Declares emergency, effective on passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to special state police officers; amending ORS 181A.060; and declaring an emergency.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** ORS 181A.060 is amended to read:

5 181A.060. (1) Notwithstanding ORS 181A.055, the Superintendent of State Police may appoint
6 employees of the Department of Corrections as special state police officers if the superintendent
7 deems it necessary or advisable to assist the Department of Corrections in the discharge of the
8 Department of Corrections' [*medical*] transport functions and duties. To be eligible for appointment
9 under this subsection, an employee must be currently certified as a corrections officer under ORS
10 181A.355 to 181A.670. The superintendent and the Department of Corrections shall enter into an
11 intergovernmental agreement that specifies the terms, conditions and duration of appointments made
12 under this subsection.

13 (2) A person appointed as a special state police officer under subsection (1) of this section may
14 not receive any separate or additional compensation from the Department of State Police for per-
15 formance of the person's duties.

16 **SECTION 2.** **This 2017 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public**
17 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2017 Act takes effect**
18 **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.