

# Senate Bill 338

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## SUMMARY

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Adds consumer finance company licensee to list of entities that are exempt from application of laws that govern guaranteed asset protection waivers.

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

1  
2 Relating to exemptions from the application of laws that govern guaranteed asset protection waiv-  
3 ers; amending section 2, chapter 523, Oregon Laws 2015.

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

5 **SECTION 1.** Section 2, chapter 523, Oregon Laws 2015, is amended to read:

6 **Sec. 2.** (1)(a) A guaranteed asset protection waiver is not insurance and is not subject to the  
7 provisions of the Insurance Code. A person, other than an insurer, that sells a guaranteed asset  
8 protection waiver in compliance with sections 1 to 7, **chapter 523, Oregon Laws 2015**, [*of this 2015*  
9 *Act*] does not become subject to the Insurance Code by reason of the sale.

10 (b) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, any cost for a guaranteed asset protection  
11 waiver into which a borrower enters, whether in compliance with the Truth in Lending Act, 15  
12 U.S.C. 1601 et seq., and regulations promulgated under the Truth in Lending Act, or not, must be  
13 stated separately in the finance agreement and is not a finance charge or interest.

14 (2) Sections 1 to 7, **chapter 523, Oregon Laws 2015**, [*of this 2015 Act*] do not apply to:

15 (a) An insurance policy that an insurer offers under the provisions of the Insurance Code;

16 (b) A debt cancellation contract or debt suspension agreement offered in compliance with 12  
17 C.F.R. 37.2 or 12 C.F.R. part 721, both as in effect on [*the effective date of this 2015 Act*] **January**  
18 **1, 2016**; or

19 (c) A state bank, as defined in ORS 706.008, [*or*] a credit union, as defined in ORS 723.008, **or**  
20 **a licensee, as defined in ORS 725.010.**

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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.