Senate Bill 93

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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.

Increases from \$250,000 to \$1 million maximum amount credited to Workers' Memorial Scholarship Account from civil penalties recovered for violations of occupational health and safety standards.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to amount credited to Workers' Memorial Scholarship Account from civil penalties recovered for violations of certain occupational standards; amending ORS 654.200.

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

SECTION 1. ORS 654.200 is amended to read:

654.200. (1) There is established in the Consumer and Business Services Fund the Workers' Memorial Scholarship Account. Only the interest earned on moneys in the account shall be used by the Director of the Department of Consumer and Business Services for the establishment and administration of a scholarship program to pay education related expenses of the spouses and children of workers who are killed or who have received a permanent total disability award from injury on the job. A maximum of [\$250,000] \$1 million to carry out the provisions of this section [shall] may be credited to the account from civil penalties recovered pursuant to ORS 654.086.

(2) The director shall consult with the Safe Employment Education and Training Advisory Committee established pursuant to ORS 654.189 in determining the appropriate scholarship standard and in selecting the recipients.

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