

House Bill 3335

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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**.

Removes entering or remaining unlawfully in or on public transit vehicle or public transit station as manner of committing crime of interfering with public transportation.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to interfering with public transportation; amending ORS 166.116.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** ORS 166.116 is amended to read:

5 166.116. (1) A person commits the crime of interfering with public transportation if the person:

6 [(a) *Intentionally or knowingly enters or remains unlawfully in or on a public transit vehicle or*
7 *public transit station;*]

8 [(b)] (a) Intentionally or knowingly interferes with the provision or use of public transportation
9 services by, among other things, interfering with the movement of, or access to, public transit ve-
10 hicles;

11 [(c)] (b) While in or on a public transit vehicle or public transit station, engages in disorderly
12 conduct in the second degree as defined in ORS 166.025; or

13 [(d)] (c) Subjects a public transportation passenger, employee, agent or security officer or transit
14 police officer to offensive physical contact.

15 [(2)(a)(A) *Interfering with public transportation as provided in subsection (1)(a) of this section is*
16 *a Class C misdemeanor.*]

17 [(B) *Notwithstanding subparagraph (A) of this paragraph, interfering with public transportation*
18 *as provided in subsection (1)(a) of this section is a Class A misdemeanor if the person has three or*
19 *more prior convictions for interfering with public transportation as provided in subsection (1)(a) of this*
20 *section.*]

21 [(b)] (2) Interfering with public transportation [*as provided in subsection (1)(b) to (d) of this sec-*
22 *tion*] is a Class A misdemeanor.

23 (3) As used in this section:

24 [(a) *“Enter or remain unlawfully” has the meaning given that term in ORS 164.205.*]

25 [(b)] (a) “Public transit station” includes all facilities, structures, lands and rights of way that
26 are owned, leased, held or used for the purposes of providing public transportation services.

27 [(c)] (b) “Public transit vehicle” means a vehicle that is used for public transportation or oper-
28 ated by or under contract to any public body in order to provide public transportation.

29 [(d)] (c) “Public transportation” means transportation provided by a city, county, special district
30 or any other political subdivision or municipal or public corporation.
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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.