Senate Bill 858

Sponsored by COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

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.

Allows any county governing body to enter into intergovernmental agreement with Judicial Department to provide law library services or enter into contract with law library association or corporation owning and maintaining law library convenient to courthouse for use by legal community.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to law library services; amending ORS 9.820.

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

SECTION 1. ORS 9.820, as amended by section 1, chapter 29, Oregon Laws 2018, is amended to read:

9.820. (1) [In all counties containing more than 700,000 inhabitants, according to the latest federal decennial census, the governing body of the county] A county governing body may:

(a) Enter into an intergovernmental agreement with the Judicial Department to provide law library services; or

(b) Enter into a contract with any law library association or corporation owning and maintaining a law library in the county at or convenient to the courthouse, for the use of the library by the judges of the circuit and county courts, county commissioners, district attorney and all members of the bar.

(2) Law library services may include services provided by a family law facilitation program established under ORS 3.428 or a court facilitation program established under section 2, chapter 29, Oregon Laws 2018.

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.

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