

Requested by HOUSE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY (at the request of Representative Williamson)

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO  
HOUSE BILL 3293**

1 In line 2 of the printed bill, after “proceedings” insert “; and declaring  
2 an emergency”.

3 Delete lines 4 through 6 and insert:

4 **“SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2019 Act is added to and made a part  
5 of ORS chapter 12.**

6 **“SECTION 2. (1) Notwithstanding ORS 12.110, 12.115 or 12.160, an  
7 action based on conduct that constitutes sexual assault or conduct  
8 knowingly allowing, permitting or encouraging sexual assault that  
9 occurs when a person is 18 years of age or older must be commenced  
10 within seven years from the date the person discovers, or in the ex-  
11 ercise of reasonable care should have discovered, the causal con-  
12 nection between the sexual assault and the injury.**

13 **“(2) As used in this section, ‘sexual assault’ includes, but is not  
14 limited to, any of the following:**

15 **“(a) The commission or attempted commission of any type of sexual  
16 contact or behavior without the explicit consent of the recipient, re-  
17 gardless of whether the contact or behavior is committed for the pur-  
18 pose of arousing or gratifying the sexual desire of any party;**

19 **“(b) Rape, which includes but is not limited to rape, sodomy, un-  
20 lawful sexual penetration and incest, as those acts are defined in ORS  
21 chapter 163;**

1       “(c) Sexual abuse, as that act is defined in ORS chapter 163; or

2       “(d) Sexual exploitation, which includes but is not limited to traf-  
3       ficking in persons and subjecting another person to involuntary  
4       servitude, as those acts are defined in ORS chapter 163.

5       “(3) Nothing in this section creates a new cause of action or en-  
6       larges any existing cause of action.

7       “SECTION 3. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, section  
8       2 of this 2019 Act applies to all actions commenced on or after the ef-  
9       fective date of this 2019 Act, including any action that would have been  
10      barred by application of any period of limitations prior to the effective  
11      date of this 2019 Act.

12      “SECTION 4. This 2019 Act being necessary for the immediate  
13      preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is  
14      declared to exist, and this 2019 Act takes effect on its passage.”.

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