HB 3135-1 (LC 1943) 4/26/19 (ASD/ps)

Requested by HOUSE COMMITTEE ON REVENUE (at the request of Representative Nancy Nathanson)

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 3135

- Delete lines 5 through 16 of the printed bill and insert:
- 2 "SECTION 1. (1) For the purpose of enforcing the state transient
- 3 lodging tax, the Department of Revenue shall purchase access to raw
- 4 metadata scraped from the Internet that relates to the sale, service
 - or furnishing of transient lodging.
- 6 "(2)(a) The department shall implement an enhanced data-scraping
- 7 pilot program for the purpose of enforcing the state and local transient
- 8 lodging taxes.

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- 9 "(b) The pilot program shall include at least two and not more than
- 10 four units of local government for which the department enforces the
 - local transient lodging tax pursuant to agreements entered into under
- 12 **ORS 305.620.**
- 13 "(c) The department shall prescribe the data that may be made
- 14 available to the units of local government.
- 15 "(3) Notwithstanding ORS 320.335, in order to fund the purchase
- described in subsection (1) of this section and the pilot program de-
- 17 scribed in subsection (2) of this section, the department shall withhold
- 18 state transient lodging tax moneys that would otherwise be transferred
- 19 to the Oregon Tourism Commission under ORS 320.335 (2) until such
- 20 funding is complete.
 - "(4) As used in this section, 'local transient lodging tax,' 'state

transient lodging tax' and 'unit of local government' have the meanings given those terms in ORS 320.300.

"SECTION 2. This 2019 Act takes effect on the 91st day after the date on which the 2019 regular session of the Eightieth Legislative Assembly adjourns sine die.".

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