

Open Government Impact Statement

81st Oregon Legislative Assembly 2021 Regular Session

Measure: HJR 2

Only impacts on Original or Engrossed Versions are Considered Official

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SUMMARY

Proposes amendment to Oregon Constitution to require Legislative Assembly to convene in single regular session each two-year period, during which Legislative Assembly must meet for at least six months during odd-numbered year and for at least six months during even-numbered year. Prohibits Legislative Assembly from adjourning sine die until minimum session duration requirements have been met.

Authorizes each house of Legislative Assembly, with concurrence of other, to adjourn for period longer than existing three-day limit to future date certain. Authorizes each house, with concurrence of other, to convene, deliberate, and enact legislation or adopt other measures using electronic technology that enables virtual sessions.

Authorizes Emergency Board to meet in periods of regular session during which Legislative Assembly is adjourned for more than one month.

Makes conforming changes to redistricting provisions and provisions governing surplus "kicker" procedures.

Refers proposed amendment to people for their approval or rejection at next regular general election.

NOTICE OF NO OPEN GOVERNMENT IMPACT