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House Bill 2141

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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.

[Extends duration of] Repeals sunset on Veteran Educational Bridge Grant Program.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to the Veteran Educational Bridge Grant Program; amending ORS 408.090; and repealing sections 6 and 8, chapter 527, Oregon Laws 2019.

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

SECTION 1. Sections 6 and 8, chapter 527, Oregon Laws 2019, are repealed.

SECTION 2. ORS 408.090, as amended by section 7, chapter 527, Oregon Laws 2019, is amended to read:

408.090. (1) The Director of Veterans' Affairs, acting on behalf of the State of Oregon, is authorized to accept any donation, gift, grant, bequest or devise made in furtherance of the purposes of ORS 408.010 to 408.090 and section 1, chapter 527, Oregon Laws 2019. A donation, gift, grant, bequest or devise that is made in cash or its equivalent or reduced thereto, shall be promptly paid by the director to the State Treasurer, who shall credit the amount so received to the Veterans' Educational Aid Account in the General Fund. The director shall make such disposition of donations, gifts, grants, bequests or devises, not made in cash or its equivalent, as is specified by the donor thereof, and their earnings and proceeds shall inure to said account. All such donations, gifts, grants, bequests or devises accepted by the director are transfers exempt from taxes imposed on inheritances under the laws of this state.

(2) All moneys in the Veterans' Educational Aid Account are continuously appropriated to the director and may be used by the director for the purposes authorized in ORS 408.010 to 408.090 and section 1, chapter 527, Oregon Laws 2019.

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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