House Bill 3121

Sponsored by COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS AND LABOR (at the request of Bricklayers and Allied Craftworkers Local 1 OR/WA/ID/MT)

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.

Permits Building Codes Structures Board to adopt rules to administer licensing for persons that perform structural masonry in connection with seismic rehabilitation.
Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to licensing for persons performing structural masonry; amending ORS 455.117; and prescribing an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. ORS 455.117 is amended to read:

455.117. (1) Except as provided in subsection (3) of this section, a regulatory body listed in subsection (2) of this section may adopt rules to administer the licensing, certification or registration of persons regulated by the body. The rules adopted under this section may include, but need not be limited to:
   (a) The form and content of an application for issuance or renewal of a license, certificate or registration;
   (b) Training and continuing education requirements to maintain a license, certificate or registration;
   (c) The form and content of and the process for preparing and administering examinations and examination reviews;
   (d) The term of a license, certificate or registration; and
   (e) The creation of a system for combining two or more licenses, certificates or registrations issued to an individual by an advisory board or the Department of Consumer and Business Services into a single license, certificate, registration or other authorization.

(2) Subsection (1) of this section applies to the following:
   (a) Subject to ORS 446.003 to 446.200, 446.225 to 446.285 and 446.395 to 446.420, with the approval of the Residential and Manufactured Structures Board, the Department of Consumer and Business Services for purposes of licenses, certificates and registrations issued under ORS 446.003 to 446.200, 446.225 to 446.285 and 446.395 to 446.420.
   (b) Subject to ORS 447.010 to 447.156 and ORS chapter 693, the State Plumbing Board for purposes of licenses issued under ORS 447.010 to 447.156 and ORS chapter 693.
   (c) Subject to ORS 460.005 to 460.175, after consultation with the Electrical and Elevator Board, the department for purposes of licenses issued under ORS 460.005 to 460.175.
   (d) Subject to ORS 479.510 to 479.945, the Electrical and Elevator Board for purposes of licenses issued under ORS 479.510 to 479.945.

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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(e) Subject to ORS 480.510 to 480.670, the Board of Boiler Rules for purposes of licenses issued under ORS 480.510 to 480.670.

(f) The Building Codes Structures Board for the purposes of licensing persons to perform structural masonry in connection with seismic rehabilitation, as defined in ORS 455.390.

(3) This section does not authorize the adoption of rules regulating:

(a) Building officials, inspectors, plan reviewers or municipalities;

(b) Persons engaged in the manufacture, conversion or repair of prefabricated structures or prefabricated components; or

(c) Master builders certified under ORS 455.800 to 455.820.

SECTION 2. This 2021 Act takes effect on the 91st day after the date on which the 2021 regular session of the Eighty-first Legislative Assembly adjourns sine die.