

SENATE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 1564

By COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES AND WILDFIRE RECOVERY

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- 1 On page 1 of the printed bill, delete lines 5 through 27.
- 2 On page 2, delete lines 1 and 2 and insert:
- 3 **“SECTION 1. (1) As used in this section:**
- 4 **“(a) ‘Grow site’ has the meaning given that term by the State Department of Agriculture**
- 5 **by rule.**
- 6 **“(b) ‘Industrial hemp’ has the meaning given that term in ORS 571.269.**
- 7 **“(c) ‘Research grower license’ has the meaning given that term by the department by**
- 8 **rule.**
- 9 **“(2)(a) The governing body of a county that, pursuant to ORS 401.309, declares a state**
- 10 **of emergency related to cannabis may notify the State Department of Agriculture of the**
- 11 **declaration and request that the department deny the issuance of grower licenses under ORS**
- 12 **571.281, including licenses for applicants that submitted applications for grower licenses un-**
- 13 **der ORS 571.281 on or after January 1, 2022, and prior to the effective date of this 2022 Act,**
- 14 **for grow sites located in an area subject to the jurisdiction of the county.**
- 15 **“(b) A declaration of a state of emergency described in paragraph (a) of this subsection**
- 16 **must:**
- 17 **“(A) Be for a duration that includes the entire growing season for industrial hemp, as**
- 18 **determined by the department; and**
- 19 **“(B) Include a statement that denying the issuance of grower licenses under ORS 571.281**
- 20 **as described in paragraph (a) of this subsection may alleviate the conditions giving rise to**
- 21 **the declaration.**
- 22 **“(c) The notification described in paragraph (a) of this subsection must be:**
- 23 **“(A) Made annually for each year during which the governing body of a county declares**
- 24 **a state of emergency as described in paragraph (a) of this subsection; and**
- 25 **“(B) Received by the department:**
- 26 **“(i) Not later than March 15, 2022, for the 2022 growing season; and**
- 27 **“(ii) Not later than January 1, 2023, for the 2023 growing season.**
- 28 **“(3) When the department receives the notice and request described in this section, the**
- 29 **department shall deny the issuance of grower licenses under ORS 571.281 as described in**
- 30 **subsection (2) of this section.**
- 31 **“(4) Notwithstanding subsection (3) of this section, the department may issue a grower**
- 32 **license under ORS 571.281 for a grow site located in an area subject to the jurisdiction of a**
- 33 **county described in subsection (2) of this section if the applicant held a valid grower license**
- 34 **or registration under ORS 571.281 during the 2020 or 2021 calendar year.**
- 35 **“(5) The department may adopt rules to carry out this section.**

