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## SUMMARY

Digest: The Act directs the OJD to study options to make probate proceedings simpler in this state. (Flesch Readability Score: 67.5).

Requires the Judicial Department to study options for simplifying probate proceedings in this state. Directs the department to submit findings to the interim committees of the Legislative Assembly related to the judiciary not later than September 15, 2026.

Sunsets on January 2, 2027.

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

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Relating to probate.

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

**SECTION 1. The Judicial Department shall study options for simplifying probate proceedings in this state. The department shall submit a report in the manner provided by ORS 192.245, and may include recommendations for legislation, to the interim committees of the Legislative Assembly related to the judiciary no later than September 15, 2026.**

**SECTION 2. Section 1 of this 2025 Act is repealed on January 2, 2027.**

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