House Bill 2173

Sponsored by Representatives SMITH DB, WRIGHT (Presession filed.)

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.

Requires Governor to certify to United States Secretary of Commerce that terms of national marine sanctuary located within seaward boundary of Oregon are unacceptable unless Legislative Assembly confirms designation.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to legislative confirmation of national marine sanctuaries.

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

SECTION 1. If the United States Secretary of Commerce issues notice of designation with respect to a proposed national marine sanctuary that is to be located partially or entirely within the seaward boundary of this state, the Governor must certify to the secretary that the designation is unacceptable, except upon confirmation by the Legislative Assembly that all terms of the national marine sanctuary are acceptable. Legislative confirmation as required by this section shall be by joint resolution of the Legislative Assembly that is in session at the time notice of the designation is made or during the regular or special session of the Legislative Assembly next following the designation.

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.