

House Bill 2996

Sponsored by Representatives PHAM H, JAVADI, BYNUM; Senator STEINER (Pre-session 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**.

Prohibits Oregon Board of Dentistry from requiring applicant for certification as dental assistant to pass written examination for radiological proficiency.
Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

1
2 Relating to dental assistants; and prescribing an effective date.

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

4 **SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2023 Act is added to and made a part of ORS chapter 679.**

5 **SECTION 2. In adopting rules related to the requirements for certification as a dental**
6 **assistant, the Oregon Board of Dentistry may not require an applicant for certification to**
7 **pass a written examination for radiological proficiency.**

8 **SECTION 3. Section 2 of this 2023 Act applies to applications for certification as a dental**
9 **assistant submitted on and after the effective date of this 2023 Act.**

10 **SECTION 4. (1) Section 2 of this 2023 Act becomes operative on January 1, 2024.**

11 **(2) The Oregon Board of Dentistry may take any action before the operative date speci-**
12 **fied in subsection (1) of this section that is necessary to enable the board to exercise, on and**
13 **after the operative date specified in subsection (1) of this section, all of the duties, functions**
14 **and powers conferred on the board by section 2 of this 2023 Act.**

15 **SECTION 5. This 2023 Act takes effect on the 91st day after the date on which the 2023**
16 **regular session of the Eighty-second Legislative Assembly adjourns sine die.**

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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.