House Bill 3131

Sponsored by Representative MCINTIRE

SUMMARY

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Requires Department of Transportation to study means of imposing tax on use of electricity to charge electric vehicles at rate equivalent to tax rate imposed per gallon on motor vehicle fuel. Directs department to submit findings to interim committees of Legislative Assembly related to transportation no later than September 15, 2024.

A BILL FOR AN ACT 1 Relating to taxation related to electric vehicles. 3 Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon: SECTION 1. The Department of Transportation shall conduct a study of the means by 4 5 which a tax may be imposed on the use of electricity to charge the battery of an electric 6 vehicle at a rate that is equivalent to the tax rate imposed per gallon on motor vehicle fuel. 7 The department shall submit a report in the manner provided under ORS 192.245, to the in-8 terim committees of the Legislative Assembly related to transportation, no later than Sep-9 tember 15, 2024, and may include recommendations for legislation in the report.

SECTION 2. Section 1 of this 2023 Act is repealed on January 2, 2025.

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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