House Bill 3255

Sponsored by Representative BYNUM (at the request of University of Oregon)

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.

Appropriates moneys from General Fund to Higher Education Coordinating Commission for distribution to Knight Campus Graduate Internship Program at University of Oregon.
Declares emergency, effective July 1, 2023.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to funding semiconductor training at post-secondary institutions of education; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. In addition to and not in lieu of any other appropriation, there is appropriated to the Higher Education Coordinating Commission, for distribution to the Knight Campus Graduate Internship Program at the University of Oregon, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2023, out of the General Fund, the amount of $2,392,500. Moneys distributed under this section must be used to:

(1) Provide student access to modern semiconductor equipment;
(2) Expand staff;
(3) Provide student scholarships;
(4) Establish a student success advocate for priority populations; and
(5) Host an Inclusion Symposium for the purpose of building community amongst priority populations within the semiconductor industry.

SECTION 2. This 2023 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2023 Act takes effect July 1, 2023.