

# Senate Bill 505

Sponsored by Senator GOLDEN (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**.

Requires State Forestry Department to study local government discretion concerning regulation of wildfire risk. Directs department to submit findings to interim committees of Legislative Assembly related to natural resources no later than September 15, 2024.

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to local government discretion concerning the regulation of wildfire risk.

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

4 **SECTION 1. The State Forestry Department shall study local government discretion**  
5 **concerning the regulation of wildfire risk. The department shall submit a report in the**  
6 **manner provided by ORS 192.245, and may include recommendations for legislation, to the**  
7 **interim committees of the Legislative Assembly related to natural resources no later than**  
8 **September 15, 2024.**

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 Section 1 of this 2023 Act is repealed on January 2, 2025.**

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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.