

# House Bill 2822

Sponsored by Representative EVANS (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**. The statement includes a measure digest written in compliance with applicable readability standards.

Digest: The Act tells an agency to study certain effects on wolf populations. The Act tells the agency to report on the study. (Flesch Readability Score: 64.9).

Requires the State Department of Fish and Wildlife to submit a report on the effects on Oregon wolf populations of changes in certain protections for the gray wolf during the last 10 years.

Declares an emergency, effective on passage.

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to a report on *Canis lupus*; and declaring an emergency.

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

4 **SECTION 1. (1) The State Department of Fish and Wildlife shall produce a report on the**  
5 **effects on Oregon wolf populations of changes made during the last 10 years in protections**  
6 **for *Canis lupus*, commonly known as the gray wolf, under the state lists of threatened spe-**  
7 **cies or endangered species established pursuant to ORS 496.172 (2).**

8 **(2) On or before September 15, 2026, the department shall submit the report identified in**  
9 **subsection (1) of this section to a committee or interim committee of the Legislative As-**  
10 **sembly related to natural resources.**

11 **SECTION 2. This 2025 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public**  
12 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2025 Act takes effect**  
13 **on its passage.**

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