

# Senate Bill 455

Sponsored by Senator WEBER (Presession 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 the economic effects of a conservation plan. The Act tells the agency to report on the study. (Flesch Readability Score: 60.7).

Directs the State Forestry Department to study the economic effects of a certain habitat conservation plan. Directs the department to report to committees or interim committees of the Legislative Assembly related to natural resources no later than September 15, 2026.

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to forest trust land counties.

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

4 **SECTION 1. (1) The State Forestry Department shall study the economic effects on**  
5 **counties, cities and small districts in forest trust land counties that will likely occur as a**  
6 **result of the February 2024 draft final Western Oregon State Forests Habitat Conservation**  
7 **Plan.**

8 **(2) The department shall submit a report on the study in the manner provided by ORS**  
9 **192.245, and may include recommendations for legislation, to the committees or interim**  
10 **committees of the Legislative Assembly related to natural resources no later than September**  
11 **15, 2026.**

12 **SECTION 2. Section 1 of this 2025 Act is repealed on January 2, 2027.**  
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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.