

House Bill 2672

Sponsored by Representative WITT; Representatives BARKER, BARNHART, BOONE, BUCKLEY, CANNON, DALLUM, GREENLICK, RILEY, SHIELDS, TOMEI

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**.

Prohibits telecommunications utility from charging customer for telecommunications service after service is canceled. Requires proration of monthly charge if service is canceled during billing period.

Requires that telecommunications utility cancel customer's telecommunications service within two days after request for cancellation.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to telecommunications utilities.

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

4 **SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2007 Act is added to and made a part of ORS chapter 759.**

5 **SECTION 2. (1) A telecommunications utility may not charge a customer for telecom-**
6 **munications service after the service has been canceled. If a monthly charge is made for**
7 **telecommunications service, and the service is canceled during a billing period, a telecom-**
8 **munications utility must prorate the monthly charge payable by the customer.**

9 **(2) A telecommunications utility shall cancel a customer's telecommunications service**
10 **within two days after receiving an oral or written request from the customer for the can-**
11 **cellation. A telecommunications utility may not condition the provision of telecommuni-**
12 **cations services on a waiver of the requirements of this subsection.**

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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.