House Bill 2880

Sponsored by Representative BAILEY

SUMMARY

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Creates Jobs Creation Strategies Commission. Appropriates moneys to Legislative Administration Committee for purposes of commission. Sunsets on date of convening of next regular biennial legislative session.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

2 Relating to the Jobs Creation Strategies Commission; appropriating money; and declaring an emer-3 gency.

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

5 <u>SECTION 1.</u> (1) The Jobs Creation Strategies Commission is created, consisting of six 6 members appointed as follows:

7 (a) The President of the Senate shall appoint two members from among the members of

the Senate. One member shall be a member of the Democratic Party and one member shall
be a member of the Republican Party.

(b) The Speaker of the House of Representatives shall appoint two members from among
the members of the House of Representatives. One member shall be a member of the Democratic Party and one member shall be a member of the Republican Party.

13 (c) The Governor shall appoint two members.

- 14 (2) The commission shall:
- (a) Evaluate the amount of state funding given to businesses during the preceding dec ade;

(b) Identify those businesses receiving money from the state that are locally owned
 businesses;

(c) Identify the amount of state funding described in paragraph (a) of this subsection that
 was received by locally owned businesses;

(d) Identify the quantity and types of jobs created by locally owned businesses as a result
 of the funding described in paragraph (c) of this subsection; and

(e) Make recommendations on how the information described in paragraphs (a) to (d) of
 this subsection can continue to be gathered in future biennia and publicly disseminated.

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(3) The commission shall elect one of its members to serve as chairperson.

(4) The commission shall meet at such times and places as specified by the call of the
 chairperson or a majority of the members of the commission.

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(5) The commission may adopt rules necessary for the operation of the commission.

29 (6) The commission may consult with and may receive testimony from persons know-

30 ledgeable in and representing diverse viewpoints on economic development and jobs creation.

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(7) The commission shall submit a report containing the results of its evaluations and its
 recommendations, which may include recommendations for legislation, to interim commit tees of the Legislative Assembly having jurisdiction over matters of economic development
 no later than October 1, 2010.
 (8) The Legislative Administrator shall provide staff support to the commission.
 (9) Members of the commission who are not members of the Legislative Assembly are

not entitled to compensation or reimbursement for expenses and serve as volunteers on the
 commission.

9 (10) All agencies of state government, as defined in ORS 174.111, are directed to assist 10 the commission in the performance of its duties and, to the extent permitted by laws relating 11 to confidentiality, to furnish such information and advice as the members of the commission 12 consider necessary to perform their duties.

13 <u>SECTION 2.</u> Section 1 of this 2009 Act is repealed on the date of the convening of the next
 regular biennial legislative session.

15 <u>SECTION 3.</u> There is appropriated to the Legislative Administration Committee, for the 16 biennium beginning July 1, 2009, out of the General Fund, the amount of \$_____ for the 17 purpose of carrying out the duties of the Jobs Creation Strategies Commission.

18 <u>SECTION 4.</u> This 2009 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public 19 peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2009 Act takes effect 20 on its passage.

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