

Senate Bill 670

Sponsored by Senator BONAMICI; Senators HASS, STARR, Representatives BREWER, GREENLICK, HARKER, LINDSAY, READ

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**.

Provides method of determining type of school where teacher teaches for purpose of federal loan forgiveness programs offered to teachers.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to classification of schools; and declaring an emergency.

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

4 **SECTION 1. For the purpose of federal loan forgiveness programs offered to teachers,**
5 **the type of school where a teacher teaches shall be determined as follows:**

6 (1) **The school shall be considered a secondary school if the school offers instruction in:**

7 (a) **Grades 6 through 12, or any part thereof; or**

8 (b) **Kindergarten through grade 12, or any part thereof, but the teacher is employed for**
9 **the purpose of teaching any grade from grade 6 through 12.**

10 (2) **The school shall be considered an elementary school if the school offers instruction**
11 **in:**

12 (a) **Kindergarten through grade 5, or any part thereof; or**

13 (b) **Kindergarten through grade 12, or any part thereof, but the teacher is employed for**
14 **the purpose of teaching any grade from kindergarten through grade 5.**

15 **SECTION 2. This 2011 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public**
16 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2011 Act takes effect**
17 **on its passage.**

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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.