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SUMMARY

Requires Department of Environmental Quality to study certain issues related to reduction of carbon dioxide emissions.

Sunsets January 2, 2015.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

- 2 Relating to carbon dioxide emissions; and declaring an emergency.
- 3 Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:
- 4 SECTION 1. (1) The Department of Environmental Quality shall
- 5 undertake a study of issues related to the reduction of carbon dioxide
- 6 emissions in this state. The study must include an analysis of the 10
 - most cost-efficient methods to reduce carbon dioxide emissions from:
 - (a) The generation of electricity.
 - (b) Automobiles, trucks and other motor vehicles.
- 10 (2) The department shall report the results of the study to the in-
- 11 terim committees of the Legislative Assembly related to environment
- 12 and natural resources on or before November 1, 2013.
- 13 <u>SECTION 2.</u> Section 1 of this 2013 Act is repealed on January 2, 2015.
- SECTION 3. This 2013 Act being necessary for the immediate pres-
- 15 ervation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is de-
- 16 clared to exist, and this 2013 Act takes effect on its passage.

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