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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 3364

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, line 2, delete "and" and delete "452.010,". 2 In line 3, delete "634.122," and after "634.665" insert "; and declaring an

3 emergency".

4 Delete lines 5 through 25 and delete pages 2 through 8 and insert:

5 "<u>SECTION 1.</u> Sections 2 and 3 of this 2013 Act are added to and 6 made a part of ORS 634.650 to 634.665.

"SECTION 2. The Dean of the College of Agricultural Sciences of
Oregon State University shall appoint a faculty member of the college
who has administrative and technical experience in integrated pest
and production management matters to act as the State Integrated
Pest Management Coordinator. The coordinator shall serve at the
pleasure of the dean.

"<u>SECTION 3.</u> (1) There is established an Integrated Pest Manage ment Coordinating Committee, consisting of:

15 "(a) The State Integrated Pest Management Coordinator;

"(b) The integrated pest management coordinator for each state
 agency listed in ORS 634.660;

"(c) A representative of the Oregon University System, appointed
 by the State Board of Higher Education; and

"(d) The integrated pest management coordinator for each public
 university listed in ORS 352.002.

22 "(2) The State Integrated Pest Management Coordinator shall chair

the committee. The committee may elect a vice chair. The committee may assign duties to the chair and vice chair and provide them with the powers necessary to perform those duties.

4 "(3) A majority of the committee members is a quorum for the
5 purpose of conducting business. Action by the committee requires ap6 proval by a majority of the committee members.

7 "(4) The committee shall meet three times per year at the call of
8 the chair for the purposes of:

9 "(a) Sharing information concerning the latest methods and ap-10 proaches to integrated pest management used to reduce the risks 11 posed by pests and concerning strategies related to pest management; 12 "(b) Sharing information concerning program successes and 13 knowledge gained in the implementation of integrated pest manage-14 ment programs;

"(c) Developing an adaptive management approach to the improve ment of integrated pest management by state agencies and public
 universities;

"(d) Identifying issues regarding risk reduction and evolving inno vative approaches to addressing the issues;

"(e) Reporting on, and developing a set of performance metrics to
 adequately describe, state agency and public university progress in
 implementing integrated pest management;

"(f) Sharing information concerning the integrated pest management programs of each state agency or public university in order to foster information exchange concerning the latest technological advances and protocols and to promote a consistent format for the programs;

"(g) Achieving reductions in risks from pests and from strategies
 relating to pest management; and

30 "(h) Evaluating the need for notification of pesticide use and the

policies for notification as part of state agency and public university
integrated pest management programs.

"(5) In addition to the meetings required under subsection (4) of this section, the committee may convene as the committee deems appropriate for the purpose of coordinating state integrated pest management efforts with the work of the Invasive Species Council. The committee and the council shall jointly address the technical and management approach challenges shared by programs to reduce risks from pests and reduce threats from invasive species.

10 "(6) The committee may identify threats of common interest to the 11 committee and the council, determine the resources needed for ad-12 dressing the threats and provide the information to state agencies and 13 public universities.

"(7) The committee shall prepare a biennial report to an interim 14 committee of the Legislative Assembly relating to pest management 15 matters. The report shall describe the status of state agency and 16 public university integrated pest management programs. The com-17 mittee shall biennially provide an opportunity for public comment and 18 input for the report. The report on the state agency and public uni-19 versity integrated pest management programs shall include, but need 20not be limited to: 21

"(a) A description of the meetings, if any, between the State Inte grated Pest Management Coordinator and state agencies or public
 universities;

²⁵ "(b) A description of the meetings of the committee;

"(c) A description of advances, innovations and training activities
 in methodologies for reducing risks from pests;

"(d) A description of key problem matters, the approaches taken to
 address the matters and concerns remaining outstanding;

30 "(e) Performance metric results for the implementation of inte-

grated pest management, including but not limited to state agency and public university progress toward the goal of protecting the economy, ecosystems and water quality of this state and protecting the health and welfare of children, the elderly and other members of the public;

"(f) The integrated pest management program status of each state
 agency and public university that uses state-owned or leased property;
 "(g) Examples of cost-savings and expenditures resulting from in-

8 tegrated pest management program implementation; and

9 "(h) Any recommendations for integrated pest management pro-10 gram improvements, including but not limited to any proposals for 11 revising the definition of 'integrated pest management.'

12 "(8)(a) The committee may seek funding from public or private 13 sources to enable the committee to develop pest risk and integrated 14 pest management metrics or to develop new technologies, strategies 15 and approaches for addressing specific pest threats. Unless restricted 16 by the donor, the committee may use moneys donated under this 17 subsection for any purpose described in this subsection.

18 "(b) The State Department of Agriculture may accept funds donated 19 under this subsection on behalf of the committee. The moneys shall 20 be credited to a subaccount within the Department of Agriculture 21 Service Fund and, notwithstanding ORS 561.144 and 634.326, shall be 22 dedicated for funding activities of the committee. The Director of Ag-23 riculture shall draw warrants for the issuance of payments from the 24 account as authorized by vote of a majority of the committee.

²⁵ "SECTION 4. ORS 634.650 is amended to read:

²⁶ "634.650. As used in ORS 634.650 to 634.665:

²⁷ "[(1) 'Integrated pest management' means a coordinated decision-making ²⁸ and action process that uses the most appropriate pest control methods and ²⁹ strategy in an environmentally and economically sound manner to meet agency ³⁰ pest management objectives. The elements of integrated pest management in-

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2 "[(a) Preventing pest problems;]

³ "[(b) Monitoring for the presence of pests and pest damage;]

4 "[(c) Establishing the density of the pest population, which may be set at 5 zero, that can be tolerated or correlated with a damage level sufficient to 6 warrant treatment of the problem based on health, public safety, economic or 7 aesthetic thresholds;]

8 "[(d) Treating pest problems to reduce populations below those levels es-9 tablished by damage thresholds using strategies that may include biological, 10 cultural, mechanical and chemical control methods and that shall consider 11 human health, ecological impact, feasibility and cost effectiveness; and]

¹² "[(e) Evaluating the effects and efficacy of pest treatments.]

"(1) 'Integrated pest management' means a science-based decision making process that:

15 "(a) Identifies and reduces risks from pests and from pest
 16 management-related strategies;

17 "(b) Coordinates the use of pest biology, environmental information 18 and comprehensive technology to prevent unacceptable levels of pest 19 damage by economical means and poses the least possible risk to peo-20 ple, property, resources and the environment; and

"(c) Uses a pest management approach that focuses on the prevention of pests through a combination of techniques that may include, but need not be limited to:

24 "(A) Surveillance and monitoring;

25 **"(B) Early detection and rapid response;**

- 26 "(C) Mechanical control;
- 27 **"(D) The selective use of pesticides;**
- 28 **"(E) Cultural practices;**
- 29 "(F) Modified land management;
- 30 "(G) Biological controls;

"(H) Evaluation of the effects and efficacy of pest treatments; and "(I) Control practices selected and applied to achieve desired pest management objectives in a manner that minimizes risks to human health, nontarget organisms, native fish and wildlife habitat, watersheds and the environment.

6 "(2) 'Pest' means any vertebrate or invertebrate animal, pathogen, 7 parasitic plant, weed or similar or allied organism which can cause disease 8 or damage to crops, trees, shrubs, grasses or other plants, humans, animals 9 or property.

¹⁰ "SECTION 5. ORS 634.660 is amended to read:

"634.660. Each of the following state agencies or public universities shall implement integrated pest management practices when carrying out [*the agency's*] duties of the agency or public university related to pest control:

"(1) State Department of Agriculture[, including the control of noxious
weeds].

17 "(2) State Department of Fish and Wildlife.

18 "(3) Department of Transportation.

¹⁹ "(4) State Parks and Recreation Department.

- 20 "(5) State Forestry Department.
- 21 "(6) Department of Corrections.
- ²² "(7) Oregon Department of Administrative Services.
- ²³ "(8) [*The*] Department of State Lands.
- ²⁴ "(9) Department of Environmental Quality.
- 25 "(10) Oregon Health Authority.
- ²⁶ "[(9)] (11) Each public university listed in ORS 352.002, for the public ²⁷ university's own building and grounds maintenance.
- ²⁸ **"SECTION 6.** ORS 634.665 is amended to read:
- "634.665. (1) Each state agency or [*institution*] public university listed
 or referred to under ORS 634.660 shall provide integrated pest management

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"(2) Each state agency or [*institution*] public university listed or referred to under ORS 634.660 shall designate an integrated pest management
coordinator. The integrated pest management coordinator:

5 "(a) Must be a state or public university employee;
6 "(b) Shall manage the integrated pest management program of the agency

7 or [institution.] public university; and

8 "(c) May serve more than one state agency or public university.

9 "<u>SECTION 7.</u> The Integrated Pest Management Coordinating Com10 mittee shall submit the first biennial report required under section 3
11 (7) of this 2013 Act no later than December 1, 2014.

"SECTION 8. This 2013 Act being necessary for the immediate
 preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is
 declared to exist, and this 2013 Act takes effect on its passage.".

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