

House Bill 2364

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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**.

Directs Oregon Law Commission to conduct analysis and determine appropriate individuals or entities to be granted standing to defend enacted state initiative or referendum.

Requires commission to submit report to Legislative Assembly.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to ballot measures; and declaring an emergency.

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

4 **SECTION 1. (1) The Oregon Law Commission shall conduct an analysis and determine the**
5 **individuals or entities who should be granted standing to defend a successfully enacted state**
6 **initiative or referendum in federal or state court.**

7 **(2) The commission shall submit a report, in the manner provided by ORS 192.245, on the**
8 **analysis described in subsection (1) of this section to the interim committees of the Legisla-**
9 **tive Assembly related to rules no later than September 15, 2015.**

10 **SECTION 2. This 2015 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public**
11 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2015 Act takes effect**
12 **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.