

House Bill 2428

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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**.

Removes members of Oregon State Defense Force from status as qualified emergency service volunteers.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to qualified emergency service volunteers; amending ORS 401.358.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** ORS 401.358 is amended to read:

5 401.358. As used in ORS 401.358 to 401.368:

6 (1) "Emergency service activities" means:

7 (a) The provision of emergency services; and

8 (b) Engaging in training under the direction of a public body, whether by reason of the training
9 being conducted or approved by a public body, for the purpose of preparing qualified emergency
10 service volunteers to perform emergency services.

11 (2) "Qualified emergency service volunteer" means a person who is:

12 (a) Registered with the Office of Emergency Management or other public body to perform
13 emergency service activities; **or**

14 (b) Acknowledged in writing as a qualified emergency service volunteer, at the time the person
15 offers to volunteer during an emergency, by the Office of Emergency Management or by another
16 public body[; *or*]

17 [*c*] *A member of the Oregon State Defense Force*.
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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.