

House Bill 2484

Sponsored by Representative BENTZ (Presession filed.)

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**.

Defers annual minimum wage increases in Baker and Malheur Counties by two years.
Declares emergency, effective on passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to a deferred minimum wage increase for certain counties that border Idaho; and declaring
3 an emergency.

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

5 **SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2017 Act is added to and made a part of ORS chapter 653.**

6 **SECTION 2. (1) Notwithstanding ORS 653.025, an employer located in Baker County or**
7 **Malheur County may defer by two years each annual minimum wage rate otherwise required**
8 **under ORS 653.025 (3)(b) to (g).**

9 **(2) After June 30, 2025, an employer described in subsection (1) of this section may not**
10 **employ or agree to employ any employee at wages computed at a rate lower than the rate**
11 **provided in ORS 653.025 (3)(h).**

12 **SECTION 3. Section 2 of this 2017 Act is repealed on July 1, 2025.**

13 **SECTION 4. This 2017 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public**
14 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2017 Act takes effect**
15 **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.