House Bill 2776

Sponsored by Representative SMITH G

SUMMARY

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Increases penalties for crime of riot if, during commission of riot, person conceals person's face with intent to facilitate commission of riot. Punishes by maximum of 10 years' imprisonment, $250,000 fine, or both.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to the concealment of a person's face during a riot; amending ORS 166.015.

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

SECTION 1. ORS 166.015 is amended to read:

166.015. (1) A person commits the crime of riot if while participating with five or more other persons the person engages in tumultuous and violent conduct and thereby intentionally or recklessly creates a grave risk of causing public alarm.

(2)**(a)** Riot is a Class C felony.

(b) Notwithstanding paragraph (a) of this subsection, riot is a Class B felony if, during commission of the crime, the person partially or fully conceals the person's face with the intent to facilitate commission of the crime.

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.