House Bill 3084

Sponsored by Representative CLEM

SUMMARY

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Prohibits tax on use of suitable material other than virgin material for daily cover at disposal site.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT

2 Relating to alternative daily cover; amending ORS 459.235.

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

SECTION 1. ORS 459.235 is amended to read:

5 459.235. (1) Applications for permits shall be on forms prescribed by the Department of Envi-6 ronmental Quality. An application shall contain a description of the existing and proposed operation 7 and the existing and proposed facilities at the site, with detailed plans and specifications for any 8 facilities to be constructed. The application shall include a recommendation by each local govern-9 ment unit having jurisdiction and such other information the department deems necessary in order 10 to determine whether the site and solid waste disposal facilities located at the site and the operation 11 will comply with applicable requirements.

12 (2) The Environmental Quality Commission shall establish a schedule of fees for disposal site 13 permits. Consistent with the policies in ORS 459.015, moneys collected under this section shall be 14 used to fund oversight activities related to solid waste disposal sites, including but not limited to 15 policy development, permitting, inspecting, monitoring, enforcement, training, technical assistance, 16 responding to complaints, rulemaking and any other activities that support the safe management of 17 solid waste.

(3) Notwithstanding any other fee or surcharge imposed under ORS 459.005 to 459.437 or 459A.005 to 459A.120, for the disposal of solid waste, in order to encourage the use of suitable material other than virgin material for daily cover at a disposal site, the only fee or tax that may be charged for the disposal of substitute material that is also used for daily cover is the permit fee established under this section.

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