

Requested by SENATE COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
SENATE BILL 1511**

1 On page 3 of the printed bill, line 11, delete “and”.

2 In line 13, delete the period and insert “; and”.

3 After line 13, insert:

4 “(c) The project complies with local floodplain regulations if the project
5 is located within an area subject to floodplain management.”.

6 In line 39, delete “(8)” and insert “(9)”.

7 On page 4, after line 2, insert:

8 “(8)(a) Before authorizing a proposed voluntary project, the State De-
9 partment of Fish and Wildlife shall coordinate with the Department of
10 Transportation to consider any potential impacts of the project on transpor-
11 tation infrastructure or planned transportation infrastructure, including but
12 not limited to potential impacts on roads, culverts and bridges.

13 “(b) The State Department of Fish and Wildlife, in coordination with the
14 Department of Transportation, may at any time require the person engaging
15 in the authorized voluntary restoration project to modify environmental
16 restoration weirs if the environmental restoration weirs are found to ad-
17 versely impact transportation infrastructure or planned transportation
18 infrastructure.”.

19 In line 3, delete “(8)” and insert “(9)”.

20 In line 13, delete “(9)” and insert “(10)”.

21 In line 16, delete “(10)” and insert “(11)”.

1 On page 11, delete lines 4 through 12 and insert:

2 “(2) No later than September 15, 2031, the State Department of Fish and
3 Wildlife shall submit a report, in the manner provided by ORS 192.245, to the
4 interim committees of the Legislative Assembly related to environment and
5 natural resources on voluntary projects authorized under the program es-
6 tablished by the department pursuant to section 3 of this 2020 Act. The re-
7 port shall include:

8 “(a) Assessments of the conditions of qualifying streams affected by au-
9 thorized voluntary projects, which assess stream conditions prior to con-
10 struction of environmental restoration weirs as well as after construction
11 of environmental restoration weirs; and

12 “(b) Recommendations, which may include recommendations for legis-
13 lation, regarding potential amendment of section 3 (2) of this 2020 Act to
14 allow the department to authorize voluntary projects in which construction
15 of environmental restoration weirs will commence on or after January 2,
16 2035.”.

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