

House Bill 2237

Sponsored by Representative WILDE (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**.

Directs Office of Emergency Management to create and maintain roster of individuals available for temporary emergency-related work.

Requires students at post-secondary institution of education who receive certain amount of grants or scholarships to fulfill requirements related to emergency preparedness. Prohibits Higher Education Coordinating Commission from awarding grants or scholarships to students who do not fulfill requirements.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to emergency preparedness.

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

SECTION 1. (1) The Office of Emergency Management shall create and maintain:

(a) A roster of individuals who are available for emergency-related work and who meet the prerequisites established under subsection (2) of this section; and

(b) A system for contacting individuals on the roster with opportunities for part-time or temporary emergency-related work.

(2) The office shall establish training or education prerequisites for individuals included on the roster. The prerequisites must include, at a minimum, completion of the Federal Emergency Management Agency ICS-100 course, or an equivalent course designated by the office.

(3) The office may include individuals on the roster only if the individual affirmatively agrees to be included on the roster.

(4) An individual on the roster is not obligated to apply for or accept work opportunities as a condition of remaining on the roster.

(5) The office shall adopt rules necessary to administer the provisions of this section.

SECTION 2. (1) Each student at a post-secondary institution of education who is awarded \$1,000 or more in grants or scholarships from the Higher Education Coordinating Commission during an academic year must:

(a) Complete the Federal Emergency Management Agency ICS-100 course, or an equivalent course designated by the Office of Emergency Management, unless the student has completed such a course in the past;

(b) Complete such additional training or education related to emergency preparedness as may be required by the office or post-secondary institution of education, if the required additional training or education does not exceed 40 hours per academic year; and

(c) Provide contact information to the office that is sufficient, in the determination of the office, to enable the office to inform the student about the roster described in section 1 of this 2021 Act.

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.

- 1 **(2) The commission, the office and a post-secondary institution of education:**
2 **(a) May not pay or otherwise compensate a student for completing the requirement im-**
3 **posed by subsection (1)(a) of this section; and**
4 **(b) May pay or otherwise compensate a student for completing the requirement imposed**
5 **by subsection (1)(b) of this section.**
6 **(3) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the commission may not award a grant**
7 **or scholarship to a student who:**
8 **(a) Was required to meet the requirements of subsection (1) of this section during a**
9 **previous academic year; and**
10 **(b) Has not completed all of the requirements of subsection (1) of this section that were**
11 **imposed during a previous academic year.**
12 **(4) The commission and the office may adopt rules necessary to administer the provisions**
13 **of this section.**
- 14 **SECTION 3. (1) Section 1 of this 2021 Act becomes operative July 1, 2022.**
15 **(2) Section 2 of this 2021 Act first applies to the 2022-23 academic year.**
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