

HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 2929

By COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, LAND USE, NATURAL RESOURCES, AND
WATER

April 7

1 In line 2 of the printed bill, delete “; amending ORS 537.781”.

2 Delete lines 4 through 13 and insert:

3 **“SECTION 1. If the Water Resources Department has information that a person has**
4 **engaged in any activity that is in violation of ORS 537.130, 537.535, 540.710 or 540.720, in ad-**
5 **dition to any other available remedies, the department may apply to the Circuit Court for**
6 **Marion County, or to the circuit court for any county in which the activity has occurred, for**
7 **a temporary or permanent injunction requiring the person to:**

8 **“(1) Refrain from the activity; and**

9 **“(2) Take any actions necessary to remedy the violation or any threat to water supplies,**
10 **public health or public safety resulting from the violation.**

11 **“SECTION 2. Section 1 of this 2023 Act is repealed on January 2, 2030.**

12 **“SECTION 3. (1) On or before September 15, 2028, the Water Resources Department shall**
13 **report, in the manner prescribed in ORS 192.245, to a committee or interim committee of the**
14 **Legislative Assembly related to water on the department’s use of injunctive authority pur-**
15 **suant to section 1 of this 2023 Act.**

16 **“(2) The report must describe, but need not be limited to describing, the frequency of the**
17 **department’s pursuit of injunctions pursuant to section 1 of this 2023 Act and the outcomes**
18 **of applying for, and being granted, injunctions pursuant to section 1 of this 2023 Act.**

19 **“SECTION 4. Section 3 of this 2023 Act is repealed on January 2, 2030.”.**

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