

# House Bill 3124

Sponsored by COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, LAND USE, NATURAL RESOURCES, AND WATER (at the request of Representative Ken Helm)

## 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**.

Requires Water Resources Department to study drought. Directs department to submit findings to interim committees of Legislative Assembly related to water no later than September 15, 2024.

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

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Relating to drought.

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

**SECTION 1. The Water Resources Department shall study drought. The department shall submit a report in the manner provided by ORS 192.245, and may include recommendations for legislation, to the interim committees of the Legislative Assembly related to water no later than September 15, 2024.**

**SECTION 2. Section 1 of this 2023 Act is repealed on January 2, 2025.**

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**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.