Senate Bill 621

Sponsored by Senator LIEBER, Representative NOSSE (Presession filed.)

SUMMARY

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Appropriates moneys to Oregon Health Authority to allocate to community mental health programs for oversight of residential facilities and for conducting abuse investigations.

Declares emergency, effective July 1, 2023.

A BILL FOR AN ACT 1 Relating to community mental health programs; and declaring an emergency. 2 Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon: 3 SECTION 1. In addition to and not in lieu of any other appropriation, there is appropriated to the Oregon Health Authority, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2023, out of the 5 General Fund, the amount of \$_____, which shall be allocated to community mental health 6 programs for residential facility oversight activities under ORS 430.630 and for conducting 8 investigations of abuse in residential facilities under ORS 430.735 to 430.765. SECTION 2. This 2023 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public 9 10 peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2023 Act takes effect July 1, 2023. 11 12