

## SENATE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 1511

By COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES AND WILDFIRE

February 15

1 On page 2 of the printed bill, line 13, after “section” insert “to”.

2 In line 20, delete “exposure” and insert “risk”.

3 After line 22, insert:

4 “(8) The State Fire Marshal may adopt rules to implement this section, including rules defining  
5 ‘neighborhood’ for purposes of this section.”.

6 In line 24, after “before” delete the rest of the line and line 25 and insert “January 1, 2025.”.

7 On page 3, delete lines 17 through 33 and insert:

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9 **“HOMEOWNER INSURANCE RISK REDUCTION CERTIFICATION PROGRAM REPORT**

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11 **“SECTION 5. (1) As used in this section:**

12 **“(a) ‘Homeowner insurance’ has the meaning given that term in ORS 746.600.**

13 **“(b) ‘Wildfire risk mitigation action’ has the meaning given that term in ORS 742.277.**

14 **“(2) In consultation with representatives from the insurance industry, with the Depart-  
15 ment of the State Fire Marshal and with the State Forestry Department, the Department  
16 of Consumer and Business Services shall develop a plan and implementation timeline for es-  
17 tablishing a homeowner insurance risk reduction certification program that:**

18 **“(a) Identifies wildfire risk mitigation actions, including actions taken under the neigh-  
19 borhood protection cooperative grant program described in section 1 of this 2024 Act, that  
20 may result in lower costs, or better terms, for homeowner insurance policies.**

21 **“(b) Is informed by discussion with decision makers in the insurance industry.**

22 **“(3) On or before December 1, 2024, the Department of Consumer and Business Services  
23 shall submit a preliminary report to committees or interim committees of the Legislative  
24 Assembly relating to natural resources, in the manner prescribed in ORS 192.245, and to the  
25 Governor, that:**

26 **“(a) Describes actions taken under subsection (2) of this section; and**

27 **“(b) Suggests a date for submission of a subsequent, more complete report on actions  
28 described in subsection (2) of this section.”.**

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