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Open Government Impact Statement

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Measure: HB 3532 - B

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SUMMARY

Digest: The Act would have the Oregon Geographic Names Board make a list of offensive geographic names in Oregon. The Act would have the board suggest new names within three years of the Act's passage. The Act would require a report to be turned in to the Legislative Assembly next year. (Flesch Readability Score: 68.0).

Directs the Oregon Geographic Names Board, in consultation with federally recognized Indian tribes, state and local government leaders, local landowners and other interested parties, to compile a list of geographic features in Oregon that bear offensive names. Requires the board to recommend nonoffensive names to the U.S. Board on Geographic Names no later than three years following the effective date of this Act.

Sunsets on January 2, 2029.

Requires the board to submit a report to the interim committees of the Legislative Assembly related to history no later than February 1, 2026.

Declares an emergency, effective on passage.

NOTICE OF NO OPEN GOVERNMENT IMPACT