House Bill 2792

Sponsored by Representative NELSON, Senator MANNING JR; Representative MUNOZ (Presession filed.)

SUMMARY

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Digest: Makes a hospital report on what it spends to replace employees during a strike or lockout. (Flesch Readability Score: 63.6).

Requires a hospital to report the amount the hospital spends for individuals to replace employees involved in a strike or lockout.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to the amount a hospital spends for individuals to replace employees during a labor dispute. 2

Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon: 3

<u>SECTION 1.</u> (1) As used in this section: 4

(a) "Duration of a strike or lockout" means a period of time beginning one month before 5

initiation of a strike or lockout and ending one month after termination of the strike or 6 7 lockout.

(b) "Employee" means any individual who performs services for wages or salary.

(c) "Lockout" means any refusal by an employer to permit employees to work as a result 9

10 of a dispute with such employees affecting wages, hours or other terms or conditions of their employment. 11

12 (d) "Pay" means to pay wages, salary, bonuses, benefits, fringe benefits or equity-based 13 compensation.

(e) "Strike" means any concerted act of employees in a lawful refusal under applicable 14 state or federal law to perform work or services for an employer. 15

(2) A hospital licensed under ORS 441.025 shall report to the Bureau of Labor and In-16 dustries and the Oregon Health Authority the amount of money the hospital spends to re-17 cruit, solicit and advertise and pay for individuals to replace employees involved in a strike 18 or lockout, for the duration of the strike or lockout. 19

20 (3) A hospital shall provide an updated report required under subsection (2) of this section every 30 days for the duration of a strike or lockout and provide a final report within 21 2230 days after the end of the strike or lockout.

(4) A hospital shall report the information described in subsection (2) of this section in 23the form and manner prescribed by the Bureau of Labor and Industries. 24

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