

**A-Engrossed**  
**House Bill 3008**

Ordered by the House April 14  
Including House Amendments dated April 14

Sponsored by Representative NERON; Representatives GAMBIA, NGUYEN H, WALTERS, Senator GOLDEN (Pre-session filed.)

**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. The statement includes a measure digest written in compliance with applicable readability standards.

Digest: The Act gives more money to different agencies for investment in the child care workforce. (Flesch Readability Score: 61.8).

Appropriates moneys to fund child care workforce investments.

**A BILL FOR AN ACT**

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2 Relating to investments in the child care workforce.

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

4 **SECTION 1. In addition to and not in lieu of any other appropriation, there is appropri-**  
5 **ated to the Higher Education Coordinating Commission, for the biennium beginning July 1,**  
6 **2025, out of the General Fund, the amount of \$9,000,500, for distribution to Portland State**  
7 **University to fund recruitment and retention payments to child care providers working in**  
8 **Oregon through the Oregon Center for Career Development in Childhood Care and Educa-**  
9 **tion.**

10 **SECTION 2. In addition to and not in lieu of any other appropriation, there is appropri-**  
11 **ated to the Oregon Department of Administrative Services, for the biennium beginning July**  
12 **1, 2025, out of the General Fund, the amount of \$6,455,109, for distribution to child care**  
13 **workforce training programs.**

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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.