

House Bill 3394

Sponsored by COMMITTEE ON RULES (at the request of Representative Ben Bowman)

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

Digest: Tells DOJ to study public meetings and report back. (Flesch Readability Score: 75.5).

Requires the Department of Justice to study public meetings. Directs the department to submit findings to the interim committees of the Legislative Assembly related to rules not later than September 15, 2026.

Sunset on January 2, 2027.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to public meetings.

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

4 **SECTION 1. The Department of Justice shall study public meetings. The department shall**
5 **submit a report in the manner provided by ORS 192.245, and may include recommendations**
6 **for legislation, to the interim committees of the Legislative Assembly related to rules no**
7 **later than September 15, 2026.**

8 **SECTION 2. Section 1 of this 2025 Act is repealed on January 2, 2027.**

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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.