Requested by Senator SMITH DB

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 221

- In line 2 of the printed bill, after "program" insert "; and declaring an emergency".
- 3 Delete lines 4 through 9 and insert:
- "SECTION 1. The State Department of Fish and Wildlife shall establish and operate a fish incubation nursery program for the rearing of salmonids on salmon-bearing or potentially salmon-bearing waterways located in Coos County and within 100 miles of the Pacific Ocean.
- "SECTION 2. The State Department of Fish and Wildlife shall report on the establishment and operation of the fish incubation nursery program required under section 1 of this 2025 Act, including but not limited to any findings or recommendations of the department regarding the program, to an interim committee of the Legislative Assembly relating to natural resources in the manner provided by ORS 192.245 no later than September 15, 2026.
- "SECTION 3. In addition to and not in lieu of any other appropriation, there is appropriated to the State Department of Fish and Wildlife, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2025, out of the General Fund, the amount of \$470,000, which the department shall expend for establishing and operating the fish incubation nursery program required under section 1 of this 2025 Act.

"SECTION 4. This 2025 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2025 Act takes effect on its passage."

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