

Requested by Senator NASH

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
SENATE BILL 1019**

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, line 3, delete “and”.

2 In line 5, before the period insert “; and declaring an emergency”.

3 On page 11, after line 31, insert:

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5 **“MODERNIZATION TASK FORCE**

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7 **“SECTION 18. The Legislative Policy and Research Director shall**
8 **conduct a comparative analysis of how other states administer brand**
9 **inspection programs. The director shall submit a report to the Task**
10 **Force on Modernizing Oregon’s Brand Inspection Program established**
11 **under section 19 of this 2025 Act no later than October 30, 2025.**

12 **“SECTION 19. (1) The Task Force on Modernizing Oregon’s Brand**
13 **Inspection Program is established.**

14 **“(2) The task force consists of 11 members appointed as follows:**

15 **“(a) The President of the Senate shall appoint one member from**
16 **among members of the Senate.**

17 **“(b) The Senate Republican Leader shall appoint one member from**
18 **among members of the Senate.**

19 **“(c) The Speaker of the House of Representatives shall appoint one**
20 **member from among members of the House of Representatives.**

21 **“(d) The House Republican Leader shall appoint one member from**

1 among members of the House of Representatives.

2 “(e)(A) The President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House
3 of Representatives shall jointly appoint members as follows:

4 “(i) Two representatives of livestock organizations;

5 “(ii) Two livestock operations owners; and

6 “(iii) Two dairy farm operations owners.

7 “(B) The Director of Agriculture, or the director’s designee, shall
8 serve as a nonvoting ex officio member of the task force.

9 “(C) Appointing authorities shall ensure, to the extent practicable,
10 that members appointed under subparagraph (A) of this paragraph
11 equally represent the various geographic regions of this state, includ-
12 ing eastern, Willamette Valley, coastal and southern localities.

13 “(3) The task force shall:

14 “(a) Identify challenges related to brand inspection, enforcement
15 and program administration;

16 “(b) Assess the comparative analysis submitted under section 18 of
17 this 2025 Act; and

18 “(c) Consider potential policy changes to modernize the program
19 while maintaining the program’s effectiveness.

20 “(4) The President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of
21 Representatives shall select one member of the task force to serve as
22 chairperson and another to serve as vice chairperson.

23 “(5) If there is a vacancy for any cause, the appointing authority
24 shall make an appointment to become immediately effective.

25 “(6) The task force shall meet at times and places specified by the
26 call of the chairperson or of a majority of the voting members of the
27 task force.

28 “(7) The task force may adopt rules necessary for the operation of
29 the task force.

30 “(8) The task force shall submit a report in the manner provided

1 by ORS 192.245, and may include recommendations for legislation, to
2 an interim committee of the Legislative Assembly related to agricul-
3 ture and natural resources no later than September 15, 2026.

4 “(9) Members of the Legislative Assembly appointed to the task
5 force are nonvoting members of the task force and may act in an ad-
6 visory capacity only.

7 “(10) Members of the task force who are not members of the Leg-
8 islative Assembly are not entitled to compensation or reimbursement
9 for expenses and serve as volunteers on the task force.

10 “(11) All agencies of state government, as defined in ORS 174.111,
11 are directed to assist the task force in the performance of the duties
12 of the task force and, to the extent permitted by laws relating to
13 confidentiality, to furnish information and advice the members of the
14 task force consider necessary to perform their duties.

15 “SECTION 20. Section 19 of this 2025 Act is repealed on January 2,
16 2027.”.

17 In line 35, delete “18” and insert “21”.

18 After line 37, insert:

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20 **“EMERGENCY CLAUSE**

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22 **“SECTION 22. This 2025 Act being necessary for the immediate**
23 **preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is**
24 **declared to exist, and this 2025 Act takes effect on its passage.”.**