

SB 1597-2  
(LC 260)  
2/9/26 (VSR/DJ/ps)

Requested by Senator SMITH DB

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO  
SENATE BILL 1597**

1 After line 15 of the printed bill, insert:

2     **“SECTION 3. Section 4 of this 2026 Act is added to and made a part**  
3     **of ORS 469.590 to 469.601.**

4     **“SECTION 4. (1) As used in this section:**

5         **“(a) ‘Small modular reactor’ means an advanced nuclear reactor:**  
6         **“(A) With a nameplate capacity of 300 electrical megawatts or less;**  
7         **“(B) That is made up of components that are factory fabricated and**  
8         **transported to location for on-site assembly; and**

9         **“(C) That may be constructed and operated in combination with**  
10         **similar reactors at a single site.**

11         **“(b) ‘Small modular reactor energy facility’ means an energy facil-**  
12         **ity that produces power from using one or more small modular reac-**  
13         **tors at a single site.**

14         **“(2) ORS 469.595, 469.597 and 469.599 do not apply to a small modular**  
15         **reactor energy facility.”.**

16         In line 16, delete “3” and insert “5”.  
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