

House Bill 2339

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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**.

Establishes pilot program of Cyber Awareness, Responsibility and Ethics to help students become safe and responsible citizens of cyber community. Allows Department of Education to accept contributions of funds from certain sources. Allows school districts to apply for grants from Department of Education to pay for participation in pilot program.

Sunset June 30, 2007.

Declares emergency, effective July 1, 2005.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to pilot program of Cyber Awareness, Responsibility and Ethics; and declaring an emer-
3 gency.

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

5 **SECTION 1. (1) There is established for the 2005-2006 and 2006-2007 school years the pilot**
6 **program of Cyber Awareness, Responsibility and Ethics (CARE).**

7 **(2) The goal of the pilot program is to help students who are 12 to 14 years of age become**
8 **safe and responsible citizens of the cyber community. To meet this goal, the pilot program**
9 **shall encourage:**

10 **(a) Partnerships between school districts and local law enforcement agencies to have**
11 **members of local law enforcement agencies act as mentors and provide focus, oversight and**
12 **guidance in the classroom; and**

13 **(b) Peer teaching among students.**

14 **(3) A school district may notify the Department of Education that the school district**
15 **would like to participate in the pilot program. A notice provided by a school district under**
16 **this subsection must include the following information:**

17 **(a) How the school district will implement the pilot program;**

18 **(b) How the activities of the school district under the pilot program will help the school**
19 **district implement the Children's Internet Protection Act (P.L. 106-554);**

20 **(c) How the school district will encourage students to participate in the pilot program;**
21 **and**

22 **(d) Which local law enforcement agencies will form partnerships with the school district.**

23 **(4) After receiving notice from a school district under subsection (3) of this section, the**
24 **department shall provide information to the school district about instructional materials**
25 **that may be used in conjunction with the pilot program.**

26 **(5) At the end of the 2005-2006 school year, each school district participating in the pilot**
27 **program shall report to the department on the progress of the pilot program. The report**
28 **shall include:**

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.

1 (a) The number of students participating in the pilot program;

2 (b) The local law enforcement agencies that formed a partnership with the school dis-
3 trict; and

4 (c) An assessment of student attitudes toward the cyber community.

5 (6) Prior to February 1, 2007, the department shall report to the Seventy-fourth Legisla-
6 tive Assembly on the results of the pilot program.

7 **SECTION 2.** (1) For purposes of the pilot program established under section 1 of this 2005
8 Act, the Department of Education may accept contributions of funds and assistance from the
9 United States Government and its agencies or from any other source, public or private, and
10 agree to conditions placed on the funds not inconsistent with the purposes of the pilot pro-
11 gram.

12 (2) The department may retain no more than 10 percent of the moneys received by the
13 department under this section to pay for expenses incurred by the department in the ad-
14 ministration of the pilot program.

15 (3) All funds received by the department under this section shall be paid into the De-
16 partment of Education Account established in ORS 326.115 to the credit of the pilot program.

17 (4) From the moneys received by the department under this section, the department shall
18 award grants to school districts to participate in the pilot program and to purchase any
19 materials required for the pilot program.

20 (5) Each school district may apply for a grant under this section.

21 (6) The State Board of Education shall adopt rules:

22 (a) To establish the criteria for awarding grants based on the goals of the pilot program;

23 (b) To determine the amount of each grant, which may not exceed \$40,000 per school
24 district per school year; and

25 (c) That are necessary for the administration of the pilot program.

26 **SECTION 3.** Sections 1 and 2 of this 2005 Act are repealed on June 30, 2007.

27 **SECTION 4.** This 2005 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public
28 peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2005 Act takes effect
29 July 1, 2005.

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