

House Bill 2805

Sponsored by Representative FLORES

SUMMARY

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Changes period of time for which charter of public charter school may be renewed by sponsor.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to renewal of charter of public charter school; creating new provisions; and amending ORS
3 338.065.

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

5 **SECTION 1.** ORS 338.065 is amended to read:

6 338.065. (1) Upon approval of a proposal by a school district board under ORS 338.055, the
7 school district board shall become the sponsor of the public charter school. The sponsor and appli-
8 cant shall develop a written charter that contains the provisions of the proposal that have been duly
9 approved by the sponsor and public charter school governing body. The sponsor and the applicant
10 may agree to change elements of the proposal prior to incorporating them into the charter or ex-
11 clude elements of the proposal from the charter. The charter, when duly executed by the sponsor
12 and the public charter school governing body, shall act as the legal authorization for the establish-
13 ment of the public charter school. The charter shall be legally binding on both the sponsor and the
14 public charter school governing body. The charter shall be in effect for a period of not more than
15 five years. [*and may*] **A charter shall be renewed [*upon the authorization of the*] by a sponsor for**
16 **a period of not less than five and not more than 15 years, unless the sponsor finds that there**
17 **are grounds for termination of the charter under ORS 338.105 that have not been remedied.**

18 (2) The sponsor and the public charter school governing body may amend a charter by joint
19 agreement.

20 **SECTION 2. The amendments to ORS 338.065 by section 1 of this 2005 Act apply to**
21 **charters of public charter schools that expire on or after the effective date of this 2005 Act.**

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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.