

House Bill 2986

Sponsored by Representative SHIELDS; Senators CARTER, GORDLY

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**.

Requires court, prior to jury deliberations, to inform jury of punishment court may impose if defendant is convicted of charge.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to juries; creating new provisions; and repealing ORS 136.325.

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

4 **SECTION 1. Prior to the jury's retirement for deliberation in a criminal proceeding, the**
5 **court shall inform the jury of any punishment that the court may impose if the defendant**
6 **is convicted of the charge.**

7 **SECTION 2. ORS 136.325 is repealed.**

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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.