

## SENATE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 3494

By COMMITTEE ON RULES

July 13

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, delete lines 6 through 29 and insert:

2 **“SECTION 2. The Legislative Assembly declares that rules adopted by the Water Re-**  
3 **sources Commission for the Deschutes basin ground water study area and certified effective**  
4 **by the Secretary of State on September 27, 2002, satisfy the requirements relating to miti-**  
5 **gation under ORS 390.805 to 390.925, 537.332 to 537.360 and 537.505 to 537.795.”.**

6 In line 30, after the period insert “(1)”.

7 On page 2, line 2, after the period insert “The report may include information on the progress  
8 on restoring stream flows in the Deschutes River Basin to a point sufficient to support anadromous  
9 fish and information on any statutory changes necessary to accomplish the needed stream flow res-  
10 toration.”.

11 In line 4, after the period insert “The department shall work with basin water users and or-  
12 ganizations with an interest in water use in the basin to seek funding for a facilitated process to  
13 develop the report required by this section and to evaluate the ground water mitigation and miti-  
14 gation bank programs.

15 “(2) The report prepared pursuant to this section shall include a summary of:

16 “(a) The cumulative rate of water appropriated under all ground water permits approved in the  
17 Deschutes River Basin after the effective date of this 2005 Act;

18 “(b) The volume of water, in acre-feet, provided for mitigation; and

19 “(c) The measured stream flow of the Deschutes River and its major tributaries.”.

20 After line 10, insert:

21 **“SECTION 5. (1) The Water Resources Commission shall repeal the rules referred to in**  
22 **section 2 of this 2005 Act on January 2, 2014.**

23 **“(2) Ground water permits and mitigation projects approved before the repeal remain**  
24 **valid and effective.”.**

25 In line 11, delete “5” and insert “6”.

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