

A-Engrossed
Senate Bill 919

Ordered by the Senate April 11
Including Senate Amendments dated April 11

Sponsored by COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY (at the request of Judge Michael Marcus)

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.

Directs Oregon Criminal Justice Commission to study feasibility of incorporating consideration of reduction of criminal behavior and crime rate into sentencing guidelines.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to Oregon Criminal Justice Commission.

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

4 **SECTION 1. (1) The Oregon Criminal Justice Commission shall conduct a study to de-**
5 **termine whether it is possible to incorporate consideration of reducing criminal conduct and**
6 **the crime rate into the commission's sentencing guidelines and, if it is possible, the means**
7 **of doing so. The commission shall, to the greatest extent possible, conduct the study using**
8 **commission staff and resources.**

9 **(2) The chairperson of the commission shall establish a committee pursuant to ORS**
10 **137.658 to assist the commission in conducting the study required by subsection (1) of this**
11 **section.**

12 **(3) The commission shall report the status of the study to the appropriate interim legis-**
13 **lative committee no later than June 30, 2006.**

14 **(4) The commission shall submit a final written report on the study containing its**
15 **findings and recommendations to the Seventy-fourth Legislative Assembly no later than**
16 **January 15, 2007.**

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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.