

# SENATE

## FIRST READINGS LIST

January 29, 2007

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### SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS

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**SJR 11 By Senator DECKERT – Proposing amendment to Oregon Constitution relating to voter registration.**

1-29(S) Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.

Proposes amendment to Oregon Constitution to allow voter registration not later than day of election.

**SJR 20 By Senators MONNES ANDERSON, NELSON (at the request of Oregon Telecommunications Coordinating Council) – Declaring state policy to promote and facilitate development of telecommunications network model for health care and education communities.**

1-29(S) Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.

Declares state policy to promote and facilitate activities by Oregon's health care and education communities and their telecommunications providers to develop network model that provides standards for interoperability and to establish peering point and peering agreements among health care and education networks.

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### SENATE BILLS

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**SB 453 By Senator WESTLUND – Relating to renewable energy; declaring an emergency.**

1-29(S) Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.

Requires public utilities to procure specified minimum percentage of electricity from eligible renewable energy resources.

**SB 454 By Senator WESTLUND – Relating to individual development accounts.**

1-29(S) Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.

Modifies tax credit amount for donations to fiduciary organization for distributions to individual development accounts.

**SB 455 By Senator BROWN (at the request of Oregon Acupuncture Association) – Relating to requirements for license to practice acupuncture.**

1-29(S) Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.

Prohibits Board of Medical Examiners from requiring fingerprints for purposes of requesting criminal records check of person applying for license to practice acupuncture.

**SB 456 By Senator BROWN (at the request of Mark Nelson) – Relating to salaries of elected officials; declaring an emergency.**

1-29(S) Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.

Changes salaries of judges.

**SB 457 By Senator BEYER – Relating to foster care.**

1-29(S) Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.

Requires Department of Human Services to make payments in equal amount, based on age and needs of child, to foster home providers and kinship foster care providers.

**SB 458 By Senator MORRISSETTE; Senators G GEORGE, KRUSE, Representatives BEYER, BOONE, P SMITH – Relating to eligibility of licensed practitioner of chiropractic to serve as attending physician in workers' compensation claim.**

1-29(S) Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.

Modifies period that licensee of State Board of Chiropractic Examiners or similarly licensed chiropractic physician or doctor may serve as attending physician in workers' compensation claim.

**SB 459 By Senator METSGER, Representative P SMITH – Relating to income tax credits.**

1-29(S) Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.

Grants income tax credit to emergency medical technicians, firefighters and first responders who provide volunteer services to rural fire protection districts.

**SB 460 By Senator WESTLUND (at the request of Oregon PTA, Oregon School Boards Association, Confederated Oregon School Administrators, Oregon School Employees Association, Oregon Education Association) – Relating to gift cards.**

1-29(S) Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.

Provides that unused gift cards become abandoned property.

**SB 461 By Senator DECKERT – Relating to low-income electric bill payment assistance; declaring an emergency.**

1-29(S) Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.

Increases amount to be collected from retail electricity consumers for low-income electric bill payment assistance.

**SB 462 By Senator KRUSE – Relating to South Umpqua School District No. 19; declaring an emergency.**

1-29(S) Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.

Directs district boundary board to accept petition to divide South Umpqua School District No.

**SB 463 By COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS, TRANSPORTATION AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT (at the request of Self-Insurers Association) – Relating to processing of workers' compensation claims.**

1-29(S) Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.

Extends period for acceptance or denial of workers' compensation claim from 60 days to 90 days.

**SB 464 By COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY (at the request of Regional Economic Crime Information Center) – Relating to crime.**

1-29(S) Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.

Creates crime of aggravated identity theft.

**SB 465** By COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY (at the request of Drug Free Workplace Legislative Work Group) – Relating to drugs in workplace.

1-29(S) Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.

Expands ability of employer to prohibit use of medical marijuana in workplace.

**SB 466** By COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS, TRANSPORTATION AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT (at the request of Agricultural Cooperative Council of Oregon) – Relating to cooperatives.

1-29(S) Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.

Allows agricultural cooperative to have one or more directors who are not members or who are representatives of members that are not natural persons, if authorized by bylaws of cooperative.

**SB 467** By COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE (at the request of Oregon Landscape Contractors Association) – Relating to the State Landscape Contractors Board.

1-29(S) Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.

Creates licensing system for landscape maintenance businesses and landscape maintenance contractors.

**SB 468** By Senator WESTLUND – Relating to nominating process for partisan public office; declaring an emergency.

1-29(S) Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.

Repeals statute prohibiting elector from participating in more than one nominating process for each partisan public office to be filled at general election.

**SB 469** By Senator L GEORGE, Representative THATCHER; Senator G GEORGE, Representatives FLORES, NELSON – Relating to tollways.

1-29(S) Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.

Prohibits construction or operation of tollway project on existing highways.

**SB 470** By Senators MONNES ANDERSON, NELSON (at the request of Oregon Telecommunications Coordinating Council) – Relating to the Internet.

1-29(S) Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.

Directs Economic and Community Development Department to establish and administer grant program for purpose of improving capacity and accessibility of Oregon's Internet exchanges and Internet web-hosting facilities.

**SB 471** By COMMITTEE ON RULES – Relating to driving while under the influence of intoxicants.

1-29(S) Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.

Creates crime of aggravated vehicular homicide.

**SB 472** By Senator MONNES ANDERSON, Representative LIM – Relating to early childhood education programs; appropriating money; declaring an emergency.

1-29(S) Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.

Appropriates moneys from General Fund to Oregon Department of Administrative Services for distribution to Mt.

**SB 473** By Senator SCHRADER; Senator WALKER (at the request of Dana Baugher) – Relating to crime.

1-29(S) Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.

Creates crime of sexual solicitation of minor.

**SB 474** By Senators SCHRADER, MORSE, DECKERT, WESTLUND, Representatives JENSON, BURLEY, ESQUIVEL, BERGER, BRUUN – Relating to state financial administration; appropriating money.

1-29(S) Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.

Requires Governor's budget to include proposed spending target for General Fund and lottery moneys.

**SB 475** By Senator SCHRADER – Relating to Social Security numbers.

1-29(S) Introduction and first reading. Referred to President's desk.

Prohibits person from disclosing or transferring Social Security numbers.

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#### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

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**HCR 2** By Representatives HUNT, SCOTT, Senators BROWN, FERRIOLI – In memoriam: President Gerald R. Ford.

1-23(H) First reading.  
Rules suspended. Made a Special Order of Business on January 25, 2007 Calendar.

1-25 Read. Carried by Hunt, Scott. Adopted.  
Ayes, 57; Excused, 3--Roblan, Smith G., Speaker Merkley.

1-29(S) First reading. Referred to President's desk.

In memoriam: President Gerald R. Ford.