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SUMMARY

Requires Chief Education Officer and members of Oregon Education Investment Board to file verified statements of economic interest.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

1
2 Relating to verified statements of economic interest; creating new provisions;
3 and amending ORS 244.050.

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

5 **SECTION 1.** ORS 244.050 is amended to read:

6 244.050. (1) On or before April 15 of each year the following persons shall
7 file with the Oregon Government Ethics Commission a verified statement of
8 economic interest as required under this chapter:

9 (a) The Governor, Secretary of State, State Treasurer, Attorney General,
10 Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor and Industries, district attorneys and
11 members of the Legislative Assembly.

12 (b) Any judicial officer, including justices of the peace and municipal
13 judges, except any pro tem judicial officer who does not otherwise serve as
14 a judicial officer.

15 (c) Any candidate for a public office designated in paragraph (a) or (b)
16 of this subsection.

17 (d) The Deputy Attorney General.

18 (e) The Legislative Administrator, the Legislative Counsel, the Legislative
19 Fiscal Officer, the Secretary of the Senate and the Chief Clerk of the House
20 of Representatives.

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.



1 (f) The Chancellor and Vice Chancellors of the Oregon University System
2 and the president and vice presidents, or their administrative equivalents, in
3 each public university listed in ORS 352.002.

4 (g) The following state officers:

5 (A) Adjutant General.

6 (B) Director of Agriculture.

7 (C) Manager of State Accident Insurance Fund Corporation.

8 (D) Water Resources Director.

9 (E) Director of Department of Environmental Quality.

10 (F) Director of Oregon Department of Administrative Services.

11 (G) State Fish and Wildlife Director.

12 (H) State Forester.

13 (I) State Geologist.

14 (J) Director of Human Services.

15 (K) Director of the Department of Consumer and Business Services.

16 (L) Director of the Department of State Lands.

17 (M) State Librarian.

18 (N) Administrator of Oregon Liquor Control Commission.

19 (O) Superintendent of State Police.

20 (P) Director of the Public Employees Retirement System.

21 (Q) Director of Department of Revenue.

22 (R) Director of Transportation.

23 (S) Public Utility Commissioner.

24 (T) Director of Veterans' Affairs.

25 (U) Executive director of Oregon Government Ethics Commission.

26 (V) Director of the State Department of Energy.

27 (W) Director and each assistant director of the Oregon State Lottery.

28 (X) Director of the Department of Corrections.

29 (Y) Director of the Oregon Department of Aviation.

30 (Z) Executive director of the Oregon Criminal Justice Commission.

31 (AA) Director of the Oregon Business Development Department.

- 1 (BB) Director of the Office of Emergency Management.
2 (CC) Director of the Employment Department.
3 (DD) Chief of staff for the Governor.
4 (EE) Administrator of the Office for Oregon Health Policy and Research.
5 (FF) Director of the Housing and Community Services Department.
6 (GG) State Court Administrator.
7 (HH) Director of the Department of Land Conservation and Development.
8 (II) Board chairperson of the Land Use Board of Appeals.
9 (JJ) State Marine Director.
10 (KK) Executive director of the Oregon Racing Commission.
11 (LL) State Parks and Recreation Director.
12 (MM) Public defense services executive director.
13 (NN) Chairperson of the Public Employees' Benefit Board.
14 (OO) Director of the Department of Public Safety Standards and Training.
15 (PP) Executive director of the Higher Education Coordinating Commis-
16 sion.
17 (QQ) Executive director of the Oregon Watershed Enhancement Board.
18 (RR) Director of the Oregon Youth Authority.
19 (SS) Director of the Oregon Health Authority.
20 (TT) Deputy Superintendent of Public Instruction.
21 **(UU) Chief Education Officer.**
22 (h) Any assistant in the Governor's office other than personal secretaries
23 and clerical personnel.
24 (i) Every elected city or county official.
25 (j) Every member of a city or county planning, zoning or development
26 commission.
27 (k) The chief executive officer of a city or county who performs the duties
28 of manager or principal administrator of the city or county.
29 (L) Members of local government boundary commissions formed under
30 ORS 199.410 to 199.519.
31 (m) Every member of a governing body of a metropolitan service district

1 and the executive officer thereof.

2 (n) Each member of the board of directors of the State Accident Insurance
3 Fund Corporation.

4 (o) The chief administrative officer and the financial officer of each
5 common and union high school district, education service district and com-
6 munity college district.

7 (p) Every member of the following state boards and commissions:

8 (A) Board of Geologic and Mineral Industries.

9 (B) Oregon Business Development Commission.

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11 (D) Environmental Quality Commission.

12 (E) Fish and Wildlife Commission of the State of Oregon.

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- 3 (AA) Columbia River Gorge Commission.
- 4 (BB) Oregon Health and Science University Board of Directors.
- 5 (CC) Capitol Planning Commission.
- 6 (DD) Higher Education Coordinating Commission.
- 7 (EE) Oregon Growth Board.
- 8 (FF) Early Learning Council.
- 9 **(GG) Oregon Education Investment Board.**
- 10 (q) The following officers of the State Treasurer:
- 11 (A) Deputy State Treasurer.
- 12 (B) Chief of staff for the office of the State Treasurer.
- 13 (C) Director of the Investment Division.
- 14 (r) Every member of the board of commissioners of a port governed by
- 15 ORS 777.005 to 777.725 or 777.915 to 777.953.
- 16 (s) Every member of the board of directors of an authority created under
- 17 ORS 441.525 to 441.595.
- 18 (t) Every member of a governing board of a public university with a
- 19 governing board listed in ORS 352.054.
- 20 (2) By April 15 next after the date an appointment takes effect, every
- 21 appointed public official on a board or commission listed in subsection (1)
- 22 of this section shall file with the Oregon Government Ethics Commission a
- 23 statement of economic interest as required under ORS 244.060, 244.070 and
- 24 244.090.
- 25 (3) By April 15 next after the filing deadline for the primary election,
- 26 each candidate described in subsection (1) of this section shall file with the
- 27 commission a statement of economic interest as required under ORS 244.060,
- 28 244.070 and 244.090.
- 29 (4) Within 30 days after the filing deadline for the general election, each
- 30 candidate described in subsection (1) of this section who was not a candidate
- 31 in the preceding primary election, or who was nominated for public office

1 described in subsection (1) of this section at the preceding primary election
2 by write-in votes, shall file with the commission a statement of economic
3 interest as required under ORS 244.060, 244.070 and 244.090.

4 (5) Subsections (1) to (4) of this section apply only to persons who are
5 incumbent, elected or appointed public officials as of April 15 and to persons
6 who are candidates on April 15. Subsections (1) to (4) of this section also
7 apply to persons who do not become candidates until 30 days after the filing
8 deadline for the statewide general election.

9 (6) If a statement required to be filed under this section has not been re-
10 ceived by the commission within five days after the date the statement is
11 due, the commission shall notify the public official or candidate and give the
12 public official or candidate not less than 15 days to comply with the re-
13 quirements of this section. If the public official or candidate fails to comply
14 by the date set by the commission, the commission may impose a civil pen-
15 alty as provided in ORS 244.350.

16 **SECTION 2.** ORS 244.050, as amended by section 1 of this 2015 Act, is
17 amended to read:

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17 **SECTION 3. The amendments to ORS 244.050 by section 1 of this**
18 **2015 Act apply to verified statements of economic interest filed on or**
19 **after the effective date of this 2015 Act.**

20 **SECTION 4. The amendments to ORS 244.050 by section 2 of this**
21 **2015 Act become operative on March 15, 2016.**

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