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Absent voters, serviceman's spouse and dependents o.153 A

Requires spouse and dependents of service voters to have been residents of this state in order to vote absentee. Amends ORS 253.530. (H 1084)

Campaign expenses, statements, accounts, generally o.289 A

Changes requirements for statements of campaign contributions and expenditures filed by candidates, political committees, organizations and others. Repeals ORS 260.070 and enacts in lieu. (H 1072)

Campaign expenses, statements, party central committees o.110 A

Requires state and county political party central committees to file statements of contributions and expenditures for previous biennial period with Secretary of State after each biennial general election. Adds to ORS 260.010 to 260.520. (H 1077)

Congressional district boundaries o.1 (s.s.)

Changes congressional district boundaries by moving Linn County from fourth to second district, Marion County from first to second district and west Multnomah County (west of Interstate Highways 405 and 5 and Willamette River) from third to first district. Adjusts other statutes for boundary change purposes. Amends ORS 236.120, 248.070, 248.090, 250.290. Operative for 1966 general election. (H 1901, special session)

County clerks, authority over local election officials A o.527

Requires local election officials to follow directives of county clerk in administration of election laws, and to file results of local district elections with Secretary of State. Amends ORS 246.230. Repeals ORS 246.240. Adds to ORS chapter 246. (H 1092)

Measures, publishing false statements A o.489

Prohibits publication of false statements of material facts regarding ballot measures. Provides penalties. Adds to ORS 260.010 to 260.520. (S 60)

Political parties, assessment of nominees o.320 N

Deletes authority of county central committee to assess party nominees for expenses of committee. Amends ORS 248.150. (S 5)

delegates and alternates to national conventions A o.526

Requires major political party delegates to national conventions to appoint alternates bound by same pledge as delegates. Authorizes delegates to fill vacancies among delegates or alternates. Adds to ORS chapter 248. (H 1008)

Political parties (cont.)

organization of committees A o.407

Revises organization of major political party committees particularly election of precinct committees, officers and organization of county and state central committees and date of state convention. Amends and repeals sections in and adds to ORS chapter 248. Provides penalties. (H 1049)

Precincts, combining for special elections A o.109

Authorizes county clerk to combine precincts for special election called to vote on single public office or on measures only. Limits combined precincts to 2,000 electors. Amends ORS 246.410. (H 1075)

Presidential electors, pledge c.138 A

Requires pledge of presidential electors to be written, signed and filed with Secretary of State. Amends ORS 248.355. (H 1091)

Primary election date N o.417

Changes date of primary election to fourth Tuesday, rather than third Friday, in May. Amends ORS 249.340. (H 1290)

Recounts, demands, notice, procedure A o.124

Extends time allowed for filing supplemental demands for recount. Requires notice of date, time and place of recount to candidate or person filing demand on measure. Prescribes recount procedure. Amends ORS 251.520, 251.550, 251.580. (H 1087)

Registration, residence change, challenges, cancellation H o.583

Requires reregistration if any change of residence. Requires county clerk to process challenged entries within 60 days after election, and decreases to 60 days time for elector to respond to clerk's inquiry before registration canceled. Amends ORS 247.290, 247.560. (H 1335)

standard form H o.464

Directs Secretary of State to prescribe standard form for voter registration cards. Amends ORS 246.120, 247.171. Eff. 1 Jan 66. (H 1231)

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Registration (cont.)

 , voting after move to
new precinct c.174

Permits registered voter, who moves within 60 days before election and fails to reregister, to vote full ballot in new precinct, if he obtains certificate of registration from proper county clerk. Amends ORS 250.520, 250.375, 250.631. Repeals ORS 247.151, 247.161. Adds to ORS chapter 247. (H 1093)

Voters' pamphlet,
explanatory statements c.290

Requires committees preparing impartial measure statements to be appointed at least 40 days before special election not held on general or primary election date, and statements to be filed at least 35 days before election. Amends ORS 254.210, 254.220. (H 1080)

 , portrait cuts c.39

Redefines "portrait cut." Amends ORS 255.011. (H 1076)

 , time for filing
arguments c.350

Fixes 35 days before special election as deadline for filing arguments on ballot measures when election not held on general or primary election date. Changes amount of space set aside in pamphlet for arguments. Amends ORS 255.421. (H 1079)

Voting machines and tally
systems, generally c.586

Revises law on voting machines to permit Secretary of State to examine, for approval, more types of machines, including vote tally systems. Modifies regulation of acquisition and use of voting machines and vote tally systems. Repeals sections in and adds to ORS chapter 258. (H 1591)

 , rental to counties c.139

Authorizes Secretary of State to rent voting machines and vote tally systems to counties, and to purchase such machines and systems for rental. Adds to ORS chapter 258. (H 1094)

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Ballots, form for write-ins c.26
HB 1074

Eliminates requirement for
voting squares on blank lines of
ballots and of making any mark
before a write-in candidate's
name. a

samples, furnishing c.340
HB 1102

Directs county clerk to furnish
sample ballots at cost to candi-
dates, parties or committees upon
request. a x

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titles, procedure c.364
HB 1077
Establishes new procedure for preparation and review of titles for ballot measures and provides for an appeal.

Campaign expense statements, covering deficit c.379
HB 1098
Requires supplemental statement of contributions received or expended after an election to reduce a deficit balance in a previous statement. Requires political committees to keep account records six months after last supplemental statement.

supplemental c.469
HB 1252
Requires political organizations, candidates and committees, except state and county central committees, to file supplemental statements every 60 days as long as statement shows either a deficit or unexpended balance.

Candidates, filing, effect of more than one c.126
HB 1099
Prohibits filing for more than one public office without withdrawing first filing. Determination of dual filings, without proper withdrawal, prior to primary election makes all filings invalid.

filing, time c.228
SB 184
Permits declarations, petitions and other documents, that must be filed by 5 p.m. of last day for filing, to be received if person is physically in proper office awaiting his turn to deliver the documents.

minor parties, withdrawal c.85
HB 1096
Requires withdrawal of nomination of independent candidate or candidate for a minor party by 67th, instead of 69th, day before election.

non-partisan office c.65
SB 140
Prohibits candidate for a non-partisan office defeated at primary from becoming candidate for same office at succeeding general election unless vacancy in nomination occurs prior to election.

Corrupt Practices, false statements, by candidates c.85
HB 1073
Prohibits candidate from publishing false statement about himself. Deletes minimum penalty.

false statements, prior experience as legislator c.593
SB 554
Prohibits candidate for State Senator or State Representative from offering ballot or voters' pamphlet statement suggesting he has served in legislature unless he has. Requires Secretary of State to reject such statement if offered. Eff. 30 Jun. 67.

political activities by public employes and corporate officers and employes c.630
HB 1663
Limits prohibition against political activities by regulated corporations to activity regarding candidates; deletes prohibition against activities by officers and employes; permits incidental activity on company time. Repeals prohibition against political activity by public employes, including employes of Oregon Liquor Control Commission; prohibits coercion of such employes or solicitation of such employes on the job.

political material, identification, address c.618
HB 1101
Permits use of postal, office or temporary addresses on political material if candidate or a responsible officer of organization using such address first files his name and residence address with Secretary of State.

Districts, hours for voting; contested school election c.609
SB 171
Fixes 8 p.m. as closing hour for polls in district elections and 2 p.m. as opening hour unless otherwise provided by order calling election. Changes hours in certain districts. Provides procedure for review and setting aside a school election in which illegal votes are cast.

Initiative and referendum, broadcast as supplement to voters' pamphlet; public notices, broadcasts of c.63
SB 132
Authorizes radio and television broadcasts of public notices as supplement to publication thereof. Permits Secretary of State to cause broadcast of initiative and referendum information as supplement to voters' pamphlet. Specifies procedure and compensation for broadcast. Provides proof of broadcast form.

petitions, verification after filing c.141
HB 1100
Requires filing officers to accept initiative and referendum petitions for filing without verification of signatures. Requires verification of signatures by county clerk and return to filing officer within 15 days after filing deadline.

Political parties, precinct committeemen, abolished districts c.124
SB 137
Provides that a committeeman shall continue as a member of county central committee until next regular election for precinct committeeman when his precinct is combined, consolidated or abolished.

precinct committeemen, filling vacancy, qualifications; recall c.540
HB 1408
Modifies provisions for determining vacancy in office of committeeman. Permits vacancy to be filled by a person from an adjoining precinct. Provides procedure for recall of committeeman. Fixes term of committeeman elected or appointed by central committee. Makes person who is a member of any other political party ineligible for office of committeeman.

regulation, eliminating conflict c.227
SB 138
Deletes two provisions of law relating to political parties which conflict with similar provisions enacted in 1965.

Returns, time for releasing count c.338
HB 1075
Prohibits release of election results until polls are closed, as that time is fixed for the Pacific zone under the Uniform Time Act. Provides penalties.

Voter registration, cancellation time c.64
SB 136
Changes time for purge of register of electors to before instead of after elections. Provides new cancellation procedure.

name change c.25
HB 1071
Eliminates re-registration at polling place when an individual votes on a "proof of name change". Requires re-registration under new name to be eligible to vote thereafter.

Voters' pamphlet, candidate's material, furnishing copies to opponent c.309
HB 1072
Directs Secretary of State to furnish, upon request of any candidate, his opponent's voters' pamphlet material. Prohibits use of material submitted by candidate for voters' pamphlet in proceeding to restrain or enjoin publication of such pamphlet.

Voting machines, rental agreements c.384
HB 1472
Reduces from five years to one year term of voting machine rental agreements made between Secretary of State and county.

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PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES;
SPECIAL DISTRICTS

Absentee, ballots ¹²⁶ c.676

Permits any voter physically unable to vote to obtain absentee ballot and return ballot to election clerk prior to 8 p.m. of election day.

voters, service ¹²⁸⁸ c.261

Includes in such group all citizens of this state temporarily residing outside territorial limits of U.S. or District of Columbia. Revises provisions on absentee voting.

Ballots, design ¹⁰⁹¹ c.104

Permits election ballots to contain double columns for listing of candidates for same office.

multi-county district ¹⁷⁰⁹ c.299

Requires Secretary of State to designate ballot numbers for measures submitted to voters of multi-county districts at request of district officer.

recording ¹⁷⁹⁶ c.537

Requires that voting machines and systems record votes cast by each voter on separate papers or cards. Eff. 1 Jul. 71.

Contests, constitutional amendment HJR 51

Proposes constitutional amendment, barring incumbent defeated for reelection from serving in office after end of term. Provides for filling of vacancy created if successor cannot serve.

Contests
(cont.)

vacancy ¹²⁸⁴ c.617

Requires circuit court, when its judgment sets aside nomination or election, to declare nomination or office vacant. Requires vacancy to be filled as provided by law. Requires circuit court to declare measure rejected, when voter rejection or approval of such measure is set aside. Requires resubmission of measure to voters. Limits causes for setting aside measures. Eff. 16 Jun. 69.

Convention delegates, commitment ¹⁰⁹⁴ c.245

Requires persons seeking election or nomination as delegate specify in petition or ballot statements candidate they support for President of U.S. or use "uncommitted".

procedure ¹¹¹⁷ c.603

Revises procedures for election of delegates to national political party conventions. Provides for apportionment of delegate positions allotted to state by national party committee among state's congressional districts.

Corrupt practices, financial statements, ballot measures ¹⁰⁶⁸ c.243

Requires persons or groups supporting or opposing ballot measures to file such statements.

financial state-ments, candidates ¹⁴⁸⁰ c.279

Requires candidates for non-salaried public offices and committees supporting or opposing such candidates to file contribution and expenditure reports only if expenditures exceed \$100.

Initiative or referendum, petitions ⁷² c.42

Requires initiative and referendum petitions to include names and addresses of three chief petitioners. Requires county clerk to return signature sheets to chief petitioner or his designate.

Precinct committeeman ¹⁵¹⁴ c.282

Requires election of precinct committeewoman and committeeman for every 500 registered voters, or major fraction, in each election precinct, but at least one woman and man for each precinct.

Presidential HJM 16

Memorializes Congress to propose abolition of electoral college and provide for direct election of the President of the United States.

Primary, Presidential preference ¹²⁴ c.101

Deletes provisions permitting statement of disavowal by Presidential candidates and provisions requiring preference on Vice Presidential candidates. Requires petitions for nomination of Presidential candidates to include signatures of at least 4,000 registered electors, 1,000 from each congressional district.

Recounts, costs ¹³⁷⁰ c.272

Specifies recoverable costs for election recount.

watchers ¹⁸⁵⁰ c.462

Requires persons authorized to watch election recounts to be registered electors of this state.

Special election, June 3, 1969, costs ¹¹²³ c.37

Provides for special election to be held on June 3, 1969 on HJR 8. Provides that day of such election shall not be legal holiday.

Appropriates \$300,000 to Secretary of State for expenses of such election. Eff. 21 Mar.69.

Special election
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materials ¹⁰⁸¹ c.127

Requires that certain explanatory material for special election on June 3, 1969 be filed with Secretary of State on or before 35th day before such election. Eff. 29 Apr. 69.

Vote abstracts, filing period ¹⁰⁹⁰ c.81

Reduces period during which county clerks must file abstracts of votes with Secretary of State from 25 to 20 days after election.

Voters' pamphlets, distribution ¹⁰⁹² c.83

Requires Secretary of State to place voters' pamphlets in mail, rather than distribute them by mail, not later than 15 days prior to any primary, general or special election.

fees ¹²⁰ c.329

Increases from \$15 to \$50 fees for candidates for delegate to national convention and multi-county district offices.

material ¹⁰⁹⁷ c.401

Grants public access to such material after 65th day prior to election.

primary election material ¹⁰⁹¹ c.82

Changes deadline for filing of material for primary election with Secretary of State from 66 days to 68 days prior to election day.

Voters, registration, certificate ⁴¹³ c.337

Permits voter changing residence within county 60 days prior to election to vote during closed registration period after obtaining

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Voters, registration,
certificate (cont.)

registration certificate for
each election. Eff. 3 Jun. 69.

lists, registration,
lists

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c.421

Makes lists public records.
Requires Secretary of State to
supply lists to county and state
central committees without
charge and to candidates at
cost. Prohibits commercial use
of lists.

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special, registration,
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c.153

Requires persons eligible to
vote only for nomination or
election of President, Vice
President or electors to apply
for special registration before
5 p.m. on day prior to election.

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Voting age

HJR 19

Lowers voting age to 19 years,
subject to voter approval.

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Absentee voting c. 27
HB 1143

Permits registered voter who moves from state 30 days or less prior to primary or general presidential election, and who may not vote in new state, to vote in Oregon.

Ballot statements, tax levy measures c. 646
HB 1016

Permits taxing district to submit 150-word explanation of reasons for presenting question of increasing district tax levy to be printed on ballot in lieu of submitting certificate of reasons to county clerk. Directs that explanation avoid use of technical language and not advocate yes or no vote on question. Requires districts to submit explanation of question of increasing levy over constitutional limit requiring vote of people. Deletes requirement that measure contain statement of maximum rate of levy in terms of dollars and cents per thousand dollars of value of property. Requires that measure state dollar amount by which levy differs from levy of prior year.

Conduct of elections, national offices, ballots, poll books c. 29
HB 1149

Requires preparation of ballots for national offices for use of 18-20 year-old voters and maintenance in regular or separate poll books of names of such registered voters. Eff. 25 Mar. 71.

Election offenses, financing, conduct c. 749
SB 20

Revises regulations of election campaign financing and conduct. Increases maximum contributions and expenditures by candidate for nomination and election. Separates contributions and

Election offenses, financing, conduct (cont.)

expenditures of candidate's family, except those of spouse, from those of candidate. Requires candidates and political committees to appoint single political treasurer, through whom all contributions received and expenditures made. Authorizes candidate to be his own political treasurer. Regulates out-of-state contributions. Requires treasurer of candidates and political committees to keep financial accounts subject to inspection by treasurer of opponents. Requires filing of statement of contributions and expenditures both before and after elections. Increases amounts for itemized reporting from \$5 to \$25. Requires reporting of expenditures by agents of candidate or political committee. Repeals political-criminal libel provisions. Requires special finding of deliberate and material violation of election law in criminal proceeding before deprivation of nomination or office of candidate. Directs that prosecution of violations of election laws be only by Secretary of State and Attorney General. Prohibits acceptance of employment with understanding that any compensation received will be contributed for or against candidates or measures. Deletes prohibition against electioneering on election days. Eff. 2 Jul. 71.

Political parties, congressional committees c. 627
SB 573

Extends vote to county congressional committee chairman and vice chairman.

Political parties, national convention delegates c. 685
HB 1723

Permits political party to decide whether national committeeman and committee-woman and chairman and vice-chairman of party central committee shall be delegates to national convention of party.

offices, qualification c. 590
SB 552

Permits person 18 years of age or older to vote for and hold party offices.

Qualification and registration of voters, age c. 30
HB 1150

Provides registration procedures for and requires maintenance of separate registration records for voters 18-20 years of age. Eff. 25 Mar. 71.

requirements c. 241
HB 1151

Permits county clerk to inquire as to validity of voter registration at any time, upon notice. Repeals literacy test requirement and provision allowing additional registration requirement by cities.

voter lists, special districts c. 660
HB 1145

Requires county clerk to prepare poll books for all school district elections and clerks of counties having population of less than 300,000 to prepare poll books for special district elections. Requires that notice of boundary change in school or special district be sent to clerk of affected county. Revises procedures for challenge of voters. Eff. 1 Jan. 72.

Qualification and registration of voters, voter lists, supplying c. 32
HB 1148

Requires that lists be provided to state and county party central committees only upon written request.

validation c. 150
SB 551

Validates registrations of individuals 18-20 years of age accepted by county clerks on and after 9 Nov. 70. Eff. 7 May 71.

voting age, U. S. Constitution HJR 47

Ratifies proposed amendment to U. S. Constitution to prohibit denial of right of U.S. citizens, 18 years of age or older, to vote on account of age.

Reapportionment, congressional districts c. 767
SB 730

Reapportions Oregon Congressional Districts according to 1970 Federal Decennial Census. Operative for 1972 regular general election.

Voters' pamphlets, city officers c. 94
HB 1502

Permits candidates for office in cities of over 50,000 population to submit portraits and statements to Secretary of State for printing in voters' pamphlet.

candidate's statement c. 733
HB 1144

Lists specific information required in candidate's statement for inclusion in pamphlet. Reduces allowable age of portrait from five to three years. Requires that portrait and campaign statement for all candidates for national office be filed by 70th day before election. Establishes fee for voters' pamphlet space for city office candidates.

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Ballots, write-in candidate c. 154
HB 3012

Prohibits use of stickers and

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other devices, except writing or printing, for purpose of voting for write-in candidate. Provides that ballots on which stickers or other devices are used shall not be counted.

Candidates, filing fees A c. 152
HB 2755

Increases filing fee for declaration of candidacy for State Senator or Representative from \$10 to \$25 and certain county offices from \$20 to \$50. Increases filing fee for declaration of candidacy for certain district offices within county from \$5 to \$10.

U. S. Representative, nomination vacancy N c. 527
SB 784

Establishes procedure to fill vacancy in nomination of candidate for, in election of, or office of Representative in Congress. Provides for special primary and special general election, and for convention to fill vacancy in certain instances. Eliminates authority of congressional committee to fill vacancy in nomination or to nominate person to fill vacancy in office of Representative in Congress.

Clerks, compensation N c. 588
HB 2994

Increases minimum compensation for election board clerks from \$1 to \$1.60 per hour and from \$6 to \$9 per day.

Election offenses, financing, conduct A c. 744
HB 3077

Revises provisions relating to election campaign financing and election offenses. Makes candidates personally responsible for filing and accuracy of financial statements. Eliminates dual filing of certain statements. Permits political committees and individuals to make expenditures in support of or opposition to candidates only with consent of candidate; or opposing candidate provides for treatment of

Election offenses, financing, conduct (cont.)

contributions received and expenditures made and allocation thereof in certain cases. Authorizes Secretary of State to adopt rules for determining and reporting expenditure limitations. Requires that name and address of publisher appear on campaign publication and makes candidates responsible for publication of false political statements. Removes criminal penalty for false political statements and substitutes civil action by aggrieved candidate or political committee. Retains potential forfeiture of nomination or election by candidate who makes false political statement. Provides that Attorney General or other prosecutor determine whether to prosecute election law violation. Authorizes Secretary of State to impose civil penalty up to five percent of total contributions or expenditures per day for late filing of financial statement. Provides penalties. Eff. 1 Sep. 73.

financing, limitations N c. 623
SB 541

Limits contributions and expenditures for campaigns for designated political offices. Repeals provision prescribing limitations on contributions and expenditures by candidates. Exempts certain contributions made prior to effective date of Act from gift tax.

Petitions, signature sheets, requirements A c. 283
HB 3021

Requires Secretary of State to design signature sheets used in circulation of petition of nomination, initiative, referendum, recall and nonpartisan petitions. Authorizes printed, as well as written name, on petitions of nomination, initiative, referendum and recall and petitions under District Boundary Procedure Act.

verification and number of signatures c. 392
HB 2753

Requires that Secretary of State use statistical sampling techniques

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Petitions, verification and number of signatures (cont.)

to verify signatures on initiative, referendum or recall petitions. Prescribes procedures for filing of such petitions. Prohibits acceptance of initiative, referendum or recall petitions for filing unless they contain at least 105 percent of required number of signatures. Requires that each signature sheet of initiative or referendum petition be verified by signed statement instead of affidavit.

Precincts, size c. 662
HB 3076

Requires county clerk, not later than January preceding primary election, to divide precincts having more than 750, rather than 500, registered voters residing therein. Prohibits precinct from including territory from more than one representative district. Limits size of certain election precincts combined for purpose of using voting machines or vote tally systems to 1,500 registered voters.

Publications, identification of source, date c. 483
SB 773

Requires that copies of previously published campaign material be clearly identified as to source and date of publication. Requires that date of publication, as well as name and address of publisher, be included in published campaign material.

Recounts c. 657
HB 3017

Requires Secretary of State to order recount of any primary or general election to public office or on measure when specified election official reports that difference in votes cast for or against candidate or measure is not more than one-fifth of one percent of total votes cast, or if outcome of the election was within 25 votes. Requires elections official of county or city to notify Secretary of State of any election subject to recount provisions. Requires that city, county or state pay costs of such recount dependent upon public office involved and unit of government proposing measure.

Referendum, petitions, ballot title c. 481
SB 761

Deletes requirement that Secretary of State transmit referendum petition to Attorney General for preparation of ballot title. Requires Secretary of State to allow circulation of referendum petition with title supplied by legislative body or person or organization presenting petition. Requires use of official title on ballot and in voters' pamphlet.

Registration, independent candidates, voters c. 841
SB 162

Requires candidate who runs for office as independent to be registered as not affiliated with any political party during at least 180 days prior to date petition or certificate of nomination is filed. Adds requirement that elector requesting registration supply precinct and county of his previous registration in this state.

voters between 18 and 21 c. 125
HB 3008

Eliminates requirement for separate registration and separate registration lists for voters between ages of 18 and 21.

voters, national elections, residency c. 150
HB 2723

Reduces from six months to 30 days maximum period of time for residency within state, immediately preceding nomination or election of persons for President and Vice President of the United States, which entitles elector to vote in election for candidates for nomination or election as President and Vice President by means of special registration certificate.

School districts, voter challenges, contests c. 467
SB 579

Requires that challenge to person's right to vote in school election be conducted in same manner as provided in general election laws. Revises procedure for the contest of school district election.

Special and school districts, dates, procedure c. 796
HB 2037

Establishes first Tuesday in May, or date of special election for tax levy in excess of limitation, as date for regular election of school board members (except Portland School District No. 1, Multnomah County Intermediate Education District and certain community college district boards) and members of other special district boards; fixes six specific dates during year for school or special district special elections. Makes county clerk election officer for all special and school district elections. Changes residency requirement for voters in school board elections from six months to 30 days. Makes uniform provisions on nominations, voter qualifications and election administration procedure for special district elections apply to all elections of school boards and two additional kinds of special districts. Requires districts holding elections on same day to use precincts established by county clerk for state-wide elections. Provides for annual instead of biennial election of board members in certain community college districts. Prohibits election of more than two school board members at annual election in school district which conducts annual elections, except for requirements for filling vacancies in unexpired terms; establishes procedure. Eff. 1 Sep. 73.

Voters' pamphlets, candidates, city offices c. 264
HB 3018

Defines "city office" for purposes of voters' pamphlet.

candidates, district and legislative offices c. 658
HB 3020

Eliminates from voters' pamphlet candidate statements for district offices. Authorizes inclusion in voters' pamphlet of statements and portrait cuts of candidates for legislative office.

candidates, portrait cuts, standards c. 155
HB 3015

Prescribes standards for portrait cuts submitted by candidates for inclusion in voters' pamphlet. Pro-

Voters' pamphlets, candidates, portrait cuts, standards (cont.)

hibits candidate from submitting portrait cut which was taken more than one year before submission. Provides penalties.

general voting information c. HB

Authorizes Secretary of State include certain information related to senatorial and representative district boundaries and rights of voters in every voters' pamphlet. Requires that location of address polling place be printed on mail label of voters' pamphlet, if possible.

measures, explanation, arguments c. HB

Provides for five-member committee to prepare explanatory statement, supporting argument and opposing argument for any measure to be submitted to people by initiative or referendum. Changes deadline from 120 to 130 days prior to election day for Secretary of State to appoint four members. Changes deadline from 100 to 120 days prior to election day for four members to choose fifth member. Requires that sponsor of measure be included as member. Changes deadline from 90 to 110 days before election day for committee to file explanatory statement of measure with Secretary of State. Provides for Secretary of State hearing in Salem between 10 and 100 days before election day for purpose of receiving from public suggested changes for statements. Requires any revised statement be submitted by committee not later than 95 days before election day. Provides for Supreme Court review of statement in certain cases. Eliminates provision for submission of inclusion in voters' pamphlet of arguments for and against measure prepared by persons other than members of committee.