

✓ CORRECTIONS

See also JUVENILES

Inmates, female, transfers c.242
HB 1171 A

Authorizes Corrections Division to transfer female inmates to federal or county facilities and to accept inmates from federal institutions.

female, Women's Correctional Center c.212
HB 1168 A

Creates Oregon Women's Correctional Center and position of superintendent of center.

hobby, recreation programs c.275
HB 1169 A

Authorizes sale of inmate-produced products made in hobby or recreation programs or on own time without labeling as "prison-made" and without limits on place of sale. Requires proceeds of sales to be paid to inmate upon release.

release c.290
HB 1420 A

Requires release of inmates from county or city jails on day preceding expiration of sentence if release would otherwise occur on Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday, unless sentence limited to weekends.

Regional facilities c.636
SB 708 A

Authorizes counties and cities to establish regional correctional facilities for misdemeanants operated by them or by Corrections Division upon agreement. Authorizes establishment of matching

Regional facilities
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fund agreements between state and counties or cities.

Sentence, credit, county jail c.196
SB 326 A

Makes good time and work credit in county jails applicable to sentences of not less than 10 nor more than 30 days.

credit, penitentiary c.619
SB 343 A

Requires that number of days defendant was imprisoned after his arrest and prior to his delivery to Corrections Division custody be credited toward sentence. Requires that sheriff, rather than clerk of committing court, sign statement of time.

✓ CRIMES AND CRIMINAL PROCEDURE

Animals, cruelty to

c. 596
SB 593

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Prohibits cruelty to any animal. Prohibits confining animal for 36 hours without adequate food or water. Allows peace officer to enter premises and impound animal so confined. Establishes exemptions and defense to charge of violation. Provides penalties.

Appeals, pre-trial orders

c. 644
HB 1003

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Authorizes state to appeal from pre-trial order dismissing indictment and, in district and justice courts, to appeal from pre-trial order dismissing complaint or information, sustaining plea of former conviction or acquittal, arresting judgment or suppressing evidence.

Bench warrants

c. 423
HB 1535

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Requires that bench warrant be addressed to any peace officer in state rather than to sheriff. Authorizes justice courts to cause bail forfeiture and to issue warrant for arrest for failure to appear.

ELECTIONS

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. A

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. A

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. A

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. A

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. A

_____ , offices, qualification c. 590
SB 552

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

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. A

_____ , 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. A

_____ , 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. A

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. A

_____ , 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. A

_____ , 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. N

Reapportionment, congressional districts c. 767
SB 730

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

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. A

_____ , 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. A

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FAMILY LAW

Adoption, parental rights, waiver c. 26 SB 48

Authorizes concurrent as well as subsequent parental waiver of right to appear in court in adoption proceedings when child released to child-caring organization for adoption and without adoption proceedings having been initiated. Makes such waiver irrevocable upon placement of child in physical custody of adoptive parents unless fraud or duress is affirmatively proved. Eff. 24 Mar. 71. EXCUSED

payments to parents c.129 HB 1072

Authorizes Public Welfare Division to make payments to adoptive parents on behalf of children with special needs. A

Child support, notice c.314 HB 1816

Requires parent having custody of minor child to notify parent required to contribute to child's support when child receives income from employment, marries or enters military service. Authorizes court to enter judgment requiring repayment of support payments by parent who fails to give required notice. Authorizes satisfaction of all or part of accrued judgment to accomplish repayment. A

Child support, stepchild c.703 HB 1983

Establishes liability of stepparents for support of stepchild 18 years of age or younger when child and stepparent reside in same home. N

Divorce and annulment, fees c. 61 HB 1189

Increases divorce filing fee from \$10 to \$25. Eff. 1 Jul. 71. A

, without fault c.280 HB 1239

Revises divorce law. Establishes grounds for dissolution as fraud, incapacity or irreconcilable differences. Abolishes doctrine of fault as grounds for dissolution or annulment. Makes other appropriate procedural changes. Validates certain marriages. Eff. 1 Oct. 71. A

Filiation proceedings, costs c.137 HB 1421

Requires award of costs to prevailing rather than initiating party in filiation proceedings, and redefines reasonable costs to include attorney fees. A

, jury c.191 HB 1649

Restricts issue before jury in filiation proceedings to that of paternity. Deletes time limit on citation return. A

Legitimacy, presumptions c.127 HB 1132

Makes sterility an exception to conclusive presumption of legitimacy. A

Marriage, premarital examinations c.282 HB 1285

Revises requirements for premarital medical examination and directs A

Marriage, premarital examinations (cont.)

Board of Health to prescribe tests and procedures for communicable venereal disease. Makes other procedural changes.

, waiting period c.456 HB 1356

Authorizes certain courts to allow county clerk to issue marriage licenses before expiration of usual seven-day waiting period. N

FISH AND GAME

Anadromous fish c.658
HB 1123

Standards terminology in game laws referring to animals, birds and other creatures under regulatory jurisdiction of Game Commission. Requires portion of ocean salmon angling fees to be used for propagation, management and research projects relating to anadromous fish. Re-defines "predatory animal" to include certain animals and to exclude birds determined by commission to be in need of protection.

Commercial fishing, licenses c.540
HB 1763

Establishes fish bait dealer license at fee of \$15. Establishes commercial bait fishing license at fee of \$15 in lieu of \$23 commercial

Commercial fishing, licenses (cont.)

fishing and \$30 boat licenses. Authorizes Fish Commission to designate which species of food fish or parts thereof may not be used for bait. Requires license for each place of business of fish bait dealer and for persons taking food fish for sale to bait dealer. Imposes one-cent per pound fee to be paid for all food fish received by bait dealer. Eff. 28 Jun. 71.

_____ , poundage fees c.243
HB 1187

Increases poundage fees paid by commercial fishermen for salmon or incidental catch of steelhead. Modifies late payment charges on poundage fees. Eff. 1 Jul.71.

_____ , rules c.187
HB 1271

Authorizes emergency rulemaking action by Fish Commission for conservation of food fish resource. Deletes separate rule-making procedure for Columbia River. Eff. 14 May 71.

_____ , violations c.569
SB 106

Authorizes Fish Commission to revoke and refuse to issue any license for up to one year for violation of commercial fishing laws. Eff. 29 Jun. 71.

Fishery, trout, protection c.537
HB 1686

Prohibits use of motor boats on portion of Deschutes River by public.

Fur bearers, kit fox c.517
HB 1091

Designates kit fox as fur-bearing animal for purposes of game laws.

Hatcheries, Metolius Hatchery, sale c.278
HB 1192

Permits Fish Commission to sell Metolius hatchery property for any public recreational use. Requires preference be given in sale to public agency, and that proceeds be used for purchase of property or construction of facilities for salmon propagation. Eff. 4 Jun. 71.

_____ , private, chum salmon c.203
HB 1328

Allows issuance of permits, under certain conditions, to construct privately operated chum salmon hatcheries. Establishes procedures for inspection, fees, enforcement of standards and revocation of permits.

Hunting, trespass c.580
SB 284

Revises prohibition against hunting on lands of another without first obtaining permission.

Licenses, fees, fish propagation program c.446
HB 3010

Increases nonresident angling license fee, 10-day angling license fee, daily angling license fee, and nonresident hunting license fee. Exempts daily anglers from salmon-steelhead tag requirement. Requires deposit of salmon-steelhead tag revenues in Game Fund. Requires that portion of such revenues be made available for contracts between Game and Fish Commissions relating to anadromous fish propagation, management and research projects. Eff. 1 Jan. 72.

Licenses, free c. 62
HB 1487

Requires Game Commission to issue 30 fishing licenses without fee to be used by patients of Veterans' Administration Hospital at Roseburg, Oregon.

_____ , hunting, special c.530
HB 1495

Requires additional hunting license for use of bow and arrow during special season or in special area, and sets fee for such license. Eff. 1 Jan. 72.

_____ , replacement fee c. 55
HB 1290

Increases game commission fee for issuance of certificate to replace lost or destroyed license, tag or permit from 50 cents to one dollar.

Wildlife, habitat, protection c.223
HB 1673

Authorizes Game Commission to enter into agreements with owner or manager of land to restrict use of motor-propelled vehicles damaging wildlife or wildlife habitat.

_____ , property damage c.359
SB 242

Authorizes Game Commission to determine conditions under which wildlife causing property damage may be killed or captured.

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HIGHER EDUCATION

See also APPROPRIATIONS

Administration,
cost of services c.375
SB 288

Authorizes State Board of Higher Education to prescribe and collect charges for services rendered by each institution, division and department under its control. Eff. 10 Jun. 71. A

Construction c.301
SB 289

Defines "structure" for higher education construction purposes. A

Dental students
training c. 48
HB 1055

Authorizes dental students at University of Oregon to engage in clinical studies off campus. A

Generally, records c.566
SB 73

Authorizes Board of Higher Education to promulgate regulations regarding access to student and faculty records which are less than 25 years old. Defines "personal records". A

Law school libraries c.185
SB 671

Designates library of every law school in state as depository library for state documents. A

Private colleges c.693
HB 1864

Authorizes State Scholarship Commission to contract with private colleges for secular undergraduate education at fixed rate of \$250 per 45 quarter hours for resident students. Eff. 1 Jul. 71. A

State board, investments c.339
HB 1691

Authorizes State Board of Higher Education to invest donated or bequeathed funds in stock of any association, company or corporation. Authorizes board and Investment Council to contract for investment by or through council of funds available for investment. Eff. 9 Jun. 71. A

_____ , membership c.485
SB 330

Provides that term of directors of State Board of Higher Education begin on July 1 of year of appointment. Reduces term of office for board members to four years. Prohibits person appointed after 31 Dec. 71 to serve more than two full terms. A/SP.

Students c.577
SB 202

Makes valid student loan to minor only if prior to loan, educational institution certifies minor is accepted or enrolled therein. Exempts parents who have not guaranteed payment from liability for loans. A

_____ , financial aid c.735
HB 1229

Bases student financial aid on financial need or scholarship. Consolidates present aid programs. Phases out certain scholarship programs. Limits non-resident aid. Appropriates money for community college student financial aid, for additional scholarship funds and for scholarships at two-year institutions. Eff. 1 Jul. 71. A

HIGHWAYS AND ROADS

Counties, dedicated roads

c.427
HB 1602

Authorizes counties to accept and maintain as county roads roads dedicated to public less than 50 feet in width.

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Public rights of way, crossing

c.391
SB 357

Restricts exemption from motor vehicle and public utility laws for driver crossing public road to continue use of private road.

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Sign regulation

c.770
HB 1861

Enacts Oregon Motorist Information Act. Creates Travel Information Council of 11 members. Directs Highway Commission to establish travel information centers and authorizes council to make available information sign plazas, publish guidebooks and maps, provide telephone reservation service and emergency telephone service. Prescribes location and description criteria for signs subject to specific regulation by council. Requires permit and fee for sign placement and for annual license for conduct of sign business. Establishes appeal procedure for refusal of applications. Excludes cities from regulation, unless sign is within 660 feet of state highway, except where ordinance authorizes regulation. Phases out use of billboards and other nonconforming signs. Creates subaccount for council in Highway Fund and appropriates \$5,000 from fund to council for purposes of Act. Eff. 2 Jul. 71.

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JUVENILES

Child abuse

c.451
HB 1754

Requires public and private officials to report child abuse. Requires law enforcement agency investigation of reports. Extends immunity to all persons reporting in good faith and upon reasonable grounds. Creates central registry of abuse cases to be maintained by Children's Services Division. Modifies grounds for jurisdiction of juveniles before juvenile court to include cases of unexplained injury.

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Commitments

c.105
HB 1378

Deletes persistent runaway offense as grounds for commitment of juvenile.

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Courts, custodial care

c.698
HB 1930

Requires Children's Services Division to accept child placed in its custody and provides necessary services. Authorizes state placement in youth care centers. Makes other adjustments in juvenile institution law. Eff. 1 Jul. 71.

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limits, custodial

c.571
SB 138

Limits period of custody of juvenile who commits act that would be criminal if committed by an adult to maximum period authorized for sentence of such adult.

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petition

c.151
SB 634

Permits petition in juvenile proceeding to be filed upon information and belief by police officer, juvenile counselor or employe of

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Courts, petition (cont.)

state or county welfare department without prior approval or direction of court.

proof

c. 31
HB 1128

Requires that facts be established beyond reasonable doubt in any juvenile proceeding which could result in juvenile being sent to training school.

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records, access

c. 24
HB 1126

Authorizes attorneys in juvenile proceedings to examine and obtain case records. Limits category of other persons allowed access to case records.

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records, expunging

c.226
HB 1555

Requires order vacating jurisdiction and destroying juvenile court records upon application of person previously alleged or found to be within jurisdiction of court after two years have elapsed since person's final discharge when person has not since been convicted of felony or misdemeanor involving moral turpitude.

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remand authority

c.199
SB 439

Authorizes juvenile court to remand all future cases of juvenile charged with criminal acts where juvenile has previously been remanded to criminal court. Permits court to withdraw remand order. Authorizes court to remand by category all boating or game violations by minors to appropriate adult court. Authorizes juvenile courts to suspend hunting or fishing license and recommend where such violations occur.

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Courts, state aid

c.429
HB 1672

Authorizes all courts having jurisdiction over juveniles, rather than only circuit courts, to receive state aid for court services. Revises distribution formula so as to avoid reducing aid currently received. Transfers state review function to Children's Services Division from Corrections Division. Eff. 20 Jun. 71.

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Law revision, Juvenile Code Committee

c.337
HB 1844

Creates temporary 11-member committee to prepare revision of law relating to juveniles and to submit report to 1973 legislature. Establishes Juvenile Code Committee Account in General Fund. Limits expenditures of committee to \$72,503. Eff. 1 Jul. 71.

A/SP.

Purchase of care

c.457
HB 1228

Authorizes Children's Services Division to enter into purchase of care agreements with licensed child-caring agencies or other appropriate facilities regardless of whether children are wards of division. Requires Director of Human Resources to develop priorities for needed child care services. Authorizes division to enter into agreements with out-of-state agencies where services to child are not available in state. Eff. 25 Jun. 71.

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Training schools, age

c.458
HB 1125

Authorizes placement of persons under age 21 and in custody of Corrections Division in training schools.

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Training schools, assistant superintendent c.722
HB 3053

Authorizes superintendent of training school to appoint assistant superintendent in unclassified service.

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placement, foster

c. 84
HB 1167

Transfers authority for foster home placement of students of training schools from superintendent of school to administrator of division. Requires division to make payments agreed upon to persons providing care.

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LEGISLATURE

See also CRIMES AND CRIMINAL PROCEDURES; STATE AGENCIES

Salaries and expenses,
members

c.465
HB 1813

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Increases salaries and allowance for expenses of legislators during session and interim: Salary \$262.50 monthly from 1 Jan. 71 to 31 Dec. 71; \$275 monthly from 1 Jan. 72 to 7 Jan. 73; \$400 monthly thereafter; \$25 per day during 56th regular or special session, \$30 thereafter; \$125 monthly for interim expenses for 56th session, \$150 thereafter. Part eff. 25 Jun. 71.

LABOR

See also AGRICULTURE; PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY; UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION; WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION

Apprenticeship and training

c.271
HB 1046

Prescribes membership and qualifications for state joint apprenticeship and training committees. Authorizes committees to prescribe standardized courses of instruction and prohibits implementation of nonstandard courses. Subjects prescribed courses to provisions of related interstate agreements.

Civil rights, enforcement

c.322
HB 1662

Authorizes Labor Commissioner to issue subpoenas for production of evidence in enforcement of civil rights provisions.

Civil rights, unfair practices

c.723
HB 3056

Makes discretionary investigation upon complaint and conciliation efforts in civil rights cases involving employment. Authorizes Labor Commissioner to prepare and serve charges of discrimination and to make and file complaint against person believed to have committed unfair labor practice.

Farm labor contractors

c.479
SB 235

Directs Labor Commissioner to enforce laws regulating farm labor contractors and to settle controversies between workers and contractors. Requires contractors to furnish bond, amount scheduled according to number of workers employed. Requires contractor to furnish written statement to workers regarding compensation, loans, housing and safety and terms and conditions of employment. Eff. 1 Jan. 72.

Labor-management relations

c.729
HB 1043

Provides system for regulation of labor-management relations. Authorizes Labor-Management Relations Board and Attorney General to enforce provisions of Act and establishes procedures for enforcement. Exempts individuals employed in agricultural and in building and construction industries. Eff. 1 Jan. 72.

Minors, exceptions

c.625
SB 530

Authorizes Wage and Hour Commission to make exceptions to provisions regulating employment of children under 14 years of age. Requires that notice of confidential access to commission be given to employed children.

regulation

c.626
SB 531

Requires Wage and Hour Commission to adopt rules governing issuance of employment certificates for minors and to require reports from employers employing minors. Requires commission to hold hearing before taking action against employer for failure to comply with employment of minors provisions. Eff. 30 Jun. 71

Places of employment

c.251
HB 1775

Repeals provision authorizing board to sue to enjoin continuance of condition determined to be detrimental to health of employees.

Wages and hours, agricultural employes

c.758
SB 234

Deletes general agricultural employe exception from wage and hour provisions. Limits exception to specified agricultural employes, including hand harvest laborers on piece-rate basis for designated number of hours. Eff. 1 Jan. 72.

Wages and hours, deceased employe

c.448
HB 3030

Increases maximum amount of wages payable directly to surviving spouse within three months of death of employe. Eff. 20 Jun. 71.

pay, overtime

c.492
SB 526

Extends authority of Wage and Hour Commission to include all employes. Revises method of computation of overtime pay. Exempts designated agricultural activities.

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✓ NATURAL RESOURCES

Estuaries c. 608
SB 627

Creates commission to consist of 30 member to study natural resources of coastal zone and to prepare comprehensive plan for use of resources. Divides coastal zone into four districts and establishes coordinating committee for each district. Prescribes membership for committees and commission. Requires commission and committees to advise Governor and state agencies on interim measures to be implemented prior to completion of comprehensive plan. Directs state natural resource agencies to review plans.

Forests, Eastern Oregon, fire protection costs c. 60
HB 1188

Increases maximum per acre assessment for fire protection of Eastern Oregon forest lands from 10 to 12 cents per acre.

Forests
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practices c. 316
HB 1624

Changes title of Oregon Forest Conservation Act to Oregon Forest Practices Act. Revises forest practice requirements. Directs board to promulgate rules relating to operations on forest land. Requires formation of forest practice committees within forest region to recommend forest practice rules to board. Revises procedure for citation of landowner and operator for violation of rules and requirements and revises hearing procedures for violations. Eff. 1 Jul. 72.

state nursery c. 59
HB 1186

Permits operation of state forest nursery by State Forester and State Board of Forestry. Requires that sale of nursery stock cover costs of operation of nursery. Requires nursery revenues to be deposited in State Forestry Department Account for use for forest nursery. Eff. 1 Jul. 71.

Geothermal resources c. 776
HB 3019

Establishes regulation and supervision provisions for location, drilling, re-drilling, operation and abandonment of wells for production of geothermal resources, to be administered by Department of Geology and Mineral Industries. Prohibits owner or operator of well or land within geothermal area from commencing any operation with respect to development or operation of any such resource without approval of State Geologist and governing board of department. Requires that

Geothermal resources (cont.)

owner or operator of well post bond prior to commencing any regulated operation. Requires record keeping. Directs Division of State Lands to fix royalties for well production on state lands.

Mining, claims c. 228
HB 1483

Deletes discovery shaft and discovery work affidavit requirements from mineral lode and placer mining provisions.

surface c. 719
HB 3013

Establishes regulatory and licensing system for surface mining operations to be administered by Department of Geology and Mineral Industries. Exempts public and governmental agencies and landowners and operators party to valid contract to surface mine on effective date of Act from all but permit fee requirements until January 1, 1981. Requires that application for permit contain reclamation plan and that permittees complete reclamation within three years of completion or abandonment of project. Requires bond or security deposit. Provides alternative of obtaining permit from city or county in accord with ordinance approved by department. Prescribes appeal from orders of department. Establishes standards for mining and rehabilitation of lands. Provides penalties. Eff. 1 Jul. 72.

Soil and water conservation c. 147
HB 1537

Declares legislative policy regarding soil and water conservation. Repeals existing policy statement.

Water, filling permits c. 754
SB 224

Authorizes Water Resources Board and Director of Division of State Lands to regulate filling in waters of state. Declares that board may affirm or reverse or modify action by director of division. Prescribes conditions and criteria for issuance of permits to fill. Creates presumption that, if fill permit issued, fill does not infringe upon public rights and public rights to lands created by fill extinguished.

irrigation loans c. 666
HB 1303

Establishes financing program to provide moneys for irrigation loans and loans to acquire easements and rights of way for federal water development projects. Authorizes State Engineer to accept, investigate and approve applications for loans subject to further approval by Governor. Authorizes State Engineer, with approval of State Treasurer, to issue bonds to supply funds for loans and to request additional funds from Emergency Board. Prescribes form of application, qualifications, loan and bond terms and procedures for loans. Requires engineer to submit biennial report. Effective when specified proposed amendment to Oregon Constitution providing irrigation funds becomes effective.

Sandy River, appropriation and use c. 139
HB 1619

Enlarges exceptions to restrictions on withdrawal of water from Sandy River tributaries to permit utilization of storage facilities and use of water for specified purposes.

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MENTAL HEALTH

Administration,
claims c.63
HB 1894

Modifies procedure for payment of claims for supplies, materials and services furnished to institutions administered by Mental Health Division. A

Cost of care
state payment c.33
HB 1197

Authorizes Public Welfare Division to pay cost of care for all patients within Mental Health Division institutions under medical assistance program, rather than only mentally retarded patients. Eff. 31 Mar. 71. A

Children, treatment,
day care c.300
HB 1869

Authorizes comprehensive mental health services for children through Children's Services Division, including day care and residential treatment programs. Permits division to provide financial assistance to private agencies and persons for children's mental health programs. Transfers funds for purpose from Mental Health Division to Children's Services Division. Eff. 1 Jul. 71. A/SP

Drug abuse
committee c.484
SB 283

Authorizes Mental Health Division to employ and compensate members of drug abuse committee. Eff. 1 Jul. 71. A

Mentally ill,
involuntary
commitments c.368
SB 543

Requires citation to appear at hearing for commitment as mentally ill to contain notice of time and place of hearing, right to counsel, right to A

Mentally ill,
involuntary
commitments (cont.)

subpena witnesses and other information. Requires court to inform person of right to counsel at hearing and to allow time to obtain counsel and subpena witnesses. Extends possible time of continuation of hearing.

Mentally retarded,
outpatient departments,
children c.74
SB 237

Authorizes outpatient departments of Mental Health Division for mentally retarded children to be operated outside state institutions. Eff. 1 Jul. 71. A/SP

research
program c.109
HB 1688

Repeals reference to assistance of state agencies in research programs of Clackamas County Child Training Center abolished in 1969. A

State hospitals,
certain, use c.75
SB 238

Expands purpose of Columbia Park and Eastern Oregon Hospitals to include care and training of mentally deficient persons. Deletes requirement that Columbia Park Hospital operate outpatient clinic for tuberculosis. Prohibits admission of person being held in criminal proceeding to Columbia Park or portion of Eastern Oregon Hospital reserved for care and training of mentally deficient persons. A/SP

Air
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motor vehicle,
traffic c.424
HB 1574

Authorizes Environmental Quality Commission and regional air pollution control authorities to regulate, limit or prohibit motor vehicle traffic for control of air pollution which presents imminent, substantial danger to health. Directs agencies and local governments to cooperate in administration and enforcement of rules pursuant to Act. Authorizes police to enforce rules and regulations.

permit system c.406
HB 1066

Authorizes Environmental Quality Commission or regional air quality control authorities to establish permit system, with fees, for classes of air contaminants and contamination sources. Requires compliance with permit system. Continually appropriates fees to carrying out state program.

regional
authorities, bond c.336
HB 1573

Exempts regional air quality control authorities from requirement of furnishing bond or undertaking in any court action.

regional
authorities,
formation c.635
SB 704

Authorizes Environmental Quality Commission to waive minimum population requirement for formation of regional air quality control authority when satisfied that smaller

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regional
authorities,
formation (cont.)

area includes territory necessarily included. Authorizes authority to perform less than powers normally vested in such authorities. Removes limitation on maximum number of members of such boards and makes other adjustments in membership.

regional
authorities, powers c.389
SB 350

Authorizes regional air quality control authorities to petition for restoration or transfer of control over classes of air contamination sources assumed or retained by Environmental Quality Commission as beyond capacities of authority.

Bonds, allocation c.50
HB 1945

Requires Environmental Quality Commission to allocate proceeds of pollution bond sale in specified amounts between grants to local governments and purchase of bonds thereof. Authorizes state to withhold future payments to local government which defaults on payments to state. Limits commission expenditures for project grants to \$13,500,000. Makes refusal of local government to apply for available federal funds grounds to terminate state participation in construction of facility. Eff. 7 Apr. 71.

Bonds
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authorization HJR 18

Authorizes Environmental Quality Commission to sell up to \$50 million in bonds for pollution control and to proceed with distribution if no further legislative directives by 1 Apr. 71.

use of
proceeds c.662
HB 1185

Increases maximum limit on outstanding pollution control bonds from \$50 million to \$100 million. Authorizes Environmental Quality Commission to expend up to \$30 million for grants and to acquire general obligation bonds of political subdivisions of state, not to exceed 75 percent of total project costs, for planning eligible projects of sewage treatment or solid waste disposal. Requires projects to be 75 percent self-supporting and self-liquidating. Eff. 30 Jun. 71.

Environmentally
hazardous wastes c.699
HB 1931

Establishes procedures for control and supervision by Environmental Quality Commission of sites for disposal of environmentally hazardous wastes, as defined in Act. Establishes procedures for issuance and revocation of site licenses. Requires deeding of site to state. Establishes fees to cover costs. Requires public hearings regarding issuance of license. Prohibits issuance if Board of Health disapproves. Authorizes commission to order halt of

Environmentally
hazardous wastes (cont.)

operations and to investigate upon complaint or own motion. Establishes hearing and appeal procedures. Eff. 30 Jun. 71.

Generally, civil
penalties c.420
HB 1504

Imposes civil penalties for certain violations of air, water and solid waste laws. Requires Environmental Quality Commission to classify violations and adopt schedule for civil penalties. Exempts motor vehicle emission standards. Requires generally written notice of violation before imposition of penalty. Requires commission to enter cease and desist order without hearing at direction of Governor when imminent and substantial danger to health of persons exists as result of air or water pollution. Eff. 20 Jun. 71.

Environmental
Quality Department,
director c.253
HB 1887

Deletes requirement that Director of Department of Environmental Quality be an engineer.

law revision HJR 52

Directs Legislative Counsel Committee to have prepared topical revision under supervision of Law Improvement Committee and to submit revision to 1973 legislature. Authorizes payment of expenses for revision from funds appropriated to Department of Environmental Quality.

local variances c.315
HB 1570

Requires variances granted by local governing bodies to be filed with Environmental Quality

Air, field burning (cont.)

program conducted by Oregon Seed Council. Creates temporary committee to certify proposed alternatives. Allocates unexpended funds to Oregon State University for seed research. Eff. 29 Jun. 71.

forest burning c.297
HB 1567

Requires fire permit on forest lands at all times, rather than only during closed season, unless waived by State Forester. Requires formation of smoke management plan by State Forester and Department of Environmental Quality in areas designated restricted under plan. Restricts forest land burning regulation to existing legal authority. Eff. 4 Jun. 71.

injunctive relief c.249
HB 1575

Deletes "materially contributes to an emergency" as prerequisite condition to use of injunctive remedies by Environmental Quality Commission and regional authorities.

motor vehicle, emissions c.454
HB 1067

Requires Environmental Quality Commission to determine and publish criteria regarding vehicle pollution control systems and to prescribe test and license for persons to install systems. Requires vehicles to have either factory-installed or certified pollution control device unless exempted. Establishes revocation procedures. Directs commission to determine county or counties in which vehicles must be equipped with system. Continually appropriates fees for expenses incurred in administering Act. Exempts designated vehicles.

POLLUTION CONTROL

See also AGRICULTURE; STATE AGENCIES

Air, field burning c.563
SB 38

Requires Environmental Quality Commission to adopt rules to limit and prohibit burning of designated crops and materials in areas of state and for phased reduction of burning in specified counties, after feasible alternatives to field burning become available. Prohibits field burning in specified counties after 1 Jan. 75. Establishes permit fee up to 50 cents per acre for field burning, part to be used to certify alternatives to field burning, five cents to be used for smoke management

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PUBLIC EMPLOYES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM

Coverage, firemen,
police officers c.692
HB 1849

Requires that public employers of firemen and police officers become members of system by 1 Jul. 73. Exempts public employers providing equal or better benefits than those of system. Prescribes required life insurance program for firemen and police officers. Eff. 1 Jul. 71. **A**

political subdivisions c.270
HB 1045

Authorizes political subdivisions or certain agencies created by two or more political subdivisions to be members of system. **A**

Pension, benefits, generally c.738
HB 1397

Changes definition of final average salary. Increases percentage figure **A**

Pension benefits, generally (cont.)

in pension computation formula for police officers, firemen and miscellaneous employees. Deletes 25 and 30 years service credit limitations. Allows member to cease contributing to variable annuity program on December 31 of any year. Provides for annual adjustment of retirement benefits based on cost of living increase or decrease as reflected in cost of living index of U.S. Department of Labor, not to exceed one and one-half percent of monthly allowance in any one year. Increases retirement and disability benefits for certain members. Eff. 1 Jan. 72.

retirees, prior c.632
SB 622

Increases pension benefits of persons who continued in employment past compulsory retirement age and who retired after 31 Dec. 67, but before 16 Jun. 69. Eff. 30 Jun. 71. **A**

Repayments c.160
SB 114

Denies withdrawal payment or requires recovery of payment made to employe who does not remain absent from payroll of any participating employer for calendar month following month in which he separates from service. **A**

Generally
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_____, local variances (cont.)

Commission. Requires commission to review and approve or deny variances granted, renewed or extended by local body.

Noise, regulation c.452
HB 1669

Authorizes Environmental Quality Commission to adopt standards relating to control and prevention of excessive noise, including vehicles and aircraft noise. Authorizes commission to institute proceedings to abate noise nuisances. Prohibits emissions of noise in excess of levels set by commission. Eff. 1 Jul. 71.

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Solid waste, beverage containers, refunds c.745
HB 1036

Requires retail beverages containers to have refund value of five cents or two cents on certified, reuseable containers. Requires dealers and distributors to pay refund except where licensed redemption center exists for area. Prohibits retail sale of beverages in metal containers with detachable lids. Authorizes suspension or revocation of licenses of violators. Establishes procedures for certifying reusable containers and redemption centers. Requires report to 1975 legislature regarding economic impact and effectiveness of Act. Op. 1 Oct. 72.

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Solid Waste
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_____, disposal sites c.775
HB 3012

Prohibits Portland from placing or dumping polluting substances without state permit in city or Multnomah County. Provides that violator is ineligible for specified loans and grants from Pollution Control Fund. Eff. 1 Jul. 75.

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_____, regulation c.648
HB 1051

Transfers state authority over solid waste regulation from Board of Health to Environmental Quality Commission. Requires commission to adopt regulations to meet specific needs and conditions within state. Requires state permit for most new disposal sites after 1 Jul. 71 and permit for operation after 1 Jul. 72. Establishes procedure for issuance, renewal, suspension and denial of permits and for variances. Authorizes cities, counties and some districts to adopt and enforce solid waste regulations consistent with state regulations. Eff. 1 Jul. 71.

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Water, detergents c.667
HB 1336

Requires synthetic cleansing agents being sold in state to be able to decompose by biological means or in secondary sewage treatment plant and to be labeled as to percent of phosphorus by weight. Directs Department of Environmental Quality to adopt rules governing labeling.

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Water
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_____, oil spillage c.524
HB 1301

Prohibits discharge of oil and petroleum-related products into waters of state. Imposes strict liability on persons having control for spillage. Requires violators to collect, disperse or contain any spilled oil. Imposes additional maximum penalty for each violation. Establishes Oil Spillage Control Fund within General Fund. Exempts certain spillages.

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Alcoholism, treatment program (cont.)

commitment to facility. Requires that person who is so intoxicated as to endanger own health, presents danger to self or others or is incapacitated be taken to facility. Eff. 1 Jul. 72.

Animals, dog guides c.87
HB 1832

Permits person training dogs as guides for blind to bring dog undergoing training into places of public accommodation or transportation so long as person controls behavior of dog.

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rabies c.413
HB 1226

Requires reporting of animals exhibiting symptoms of rabies. Authorizes Board of Health to promulgate regulations on handling and disposition of animals and to order relinquishment of suspect animals. Establishes inoculation system and authorizes board and department to require counties to adopt and enforce system.

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Buildings c.320
HB 1074

Requires designated government buildings to be accessible to physically handicapped persons and meet specifications of State Fire Marshal. Eff. 1 Jan. 73.

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Child care programs c.533
HB 1601

Appropriates \$125,000 from General Fund to Children's Services Division to be used to

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Child care programs (cont.)

match federal funds for care programs. Establishes grant program for local community coordinated child care (4C) organizations. Limits expenditures from state and federal funds to \$500,000. Eff. 1 Jul. 71.

Drugs, codeine c.477
SB 205

Removes codeine exemption from narcotic laws.

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Explosives c.518
HB 1112

Establishes system for regulation of possession and transfer of explosives under supervision of State Fire Marshal. Establishes Explosives Control Account continuously appropriated for administration and enforcement of Act.

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Family planning services c.396
SB 591

Requires county health departments to offer family planning services to designated persons. Authorizes county welfare departments, singly or with health departments, to offer such services. Requires information to be made available in certain foreign languages if significant segment of population in county does not speak English.

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Firearms c.464
HB 1725

Increases waiting period from 24 to 120 hours after required application before concealable firearm may be delivered to purchaser. Eff. 1 Jan. 72.

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Fire protection, public places c.689
HB 1799

Authorizes State Fire Marshal, his deputies, assistants or other approved authority to close certain public places when occupied by greater than maximum allowable number of persons. Provides judicial review to owners of structures. Eff. 1 Jul. 71.

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Hazardous substances c.409
HB 1108

Authorizes Board of Health to regulate labeling and sale of hazardous substances intended or packaged in form suitable for use in household or by children and to ban sale of extremely hazardous substances for which adequate precautionary labeling cannot be devised. Establishes enforcement, hearing and rulemaking procedures. Eff. 1 Jan. 72.

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Health care facilities, licensing c.730
HB 1052

Transfers licensing and regulatory authority regarding hospitals, inpatient care facilities, long-term care facilities and other health related facilities from Board of Health to Health Division. Revises licensing provisions. Requires certification by Comprehensive Health Planning Authority prior to approval by department of construction or expansion of hospital. Requires \$500 fee on application for expansion or construction. Revises judicial review procedures. Eff. 1 Jul. 71.

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Hospitals, licensing c.274
HB 1116

Subjects to license revocation any hospital which excludes, expels or limits professional privileges of osteopath solely because of school of medicine to which he belongs.

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smoking c.166
HB 1811

Prohibits smoking by hospital visitor in room in which more than one patient is accommodated.

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Medical care, minors c.381
SB 98

Authorizes physician to provide birth control information and services without regard to patient age. Permits minors 15 years of age or older to give consent to furnishing of medical or dental treatment. Authorizes hospital, physician or dentist to disclose treatment to parent or legal guardian of minor patient without consent of minor and without liability for disclosure.

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Outdoor gatherings c.597
SB 611

Prohibits organizers from conducting mass gatherings in open spaces without county permit. Authorizes county governing body to require surety bond of up to \$25,000 and compliance with health and safety rules of State Board of Health. Authorizes district attorneys to seek injunctions for violations of Act. Eff. 29 Jun. 71.

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Sanitation, food establishments c.131
HB 1866

Prohibits denial of food establishment license solely on ground that establishment is part of domestic kitchen. Eff. 6 May 71.

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PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY

Administration,
Medical Investigator c.487
SB 353

Authorizes services of Deputy Chief Medical Investigator to be contracted by board. Excludes contracted services from provisions of state merit system. Eff. 1 Jul. 71.

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_____, records c.37
HB 1159

Authorizes State Health Officer to designate custodians of records for administrative divisions and sections of Board of Health.

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_____, neurological disorders report c.195
SB 306

Requires report on persons over 14 years of age with neurological disorders characterized by momentary or prolonged lapses of consciousness or control be filed with Board of Health, rather than with local health officers. Alters status of such report as to motor vehicle operation.

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Alcoholism, treatment program c.622
SB 431

Repeals criminal statutes on public drunkenness. Establishes alcoholism and intoxication treatment program. Directs Alcohol and Drug Education Council to advise Mental Health Administrator on programs and education. Directs Mental Health Division to provide programs for prevention of alcoholism and treatment and rehabilitation of alcoholics. Specifies facilities approved by division for emergency treatment, diagnosis and medical care. Establishes procedures for voluntary and involuntary

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Medical assistance
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_____, information c.188
HB 1665

Requires public welfare administrators, when giving information concerning medical assistance programs, to provide listing of all healing arts licensed in state.

Recovery, aid to disabled c.335
HB 1520

Authorizes recovery of aid to disabled from estate of recipient's spouse when recipient has no estate. Prohibits such recovery if recipient is survived by child under 21 years of age or child blind or totally and permanently disabled. Declares that transfers by recipient of real property without adequate consideration may be set aside. Eff. 9 Jun. 71.

_____, general assistance c.422
HB 1521

Permits recovery of general assistance from estate of recipient or, if estate of recipient does not have sufficient funds, from estate of spouse of recipient. Prohibits recovery if recipient survived by child under 21 years or child blind or permanently and totally disabled. Eff. 20 Jun. 71.

_____, medical assistance, senior citizens c.334
HB 1518

Authorizes recovery of medical assistance from estate of spouse when recipient over 65 at time of assistance and had no estate. Provides that transfers by recipients of real property without adequate consideration may be set aside. Eff. 9 Jun. 71.

Recovery
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_____, old age c.455
HB 1519

Permits recovery of old-age and medical assistance from estate of recipient's spouse when recipient has no estate. Prohibits such recovery if recipient is survived by child under 21 years or child blind or totally and permanently disabled. Provides that transfers of real property by recipients without adequate consideration may be set aside. Eff. 25 Jun. 71.

Relatives' responsibility, liability, determination c.407
HB 1070

Revises provisions for determining financial responsibility of relatives for support of needy person. Changes definition of gross annual income to that contained in Internal Revenue Code, plus non-taxable, excluded or exempt income. Revises provision granting authority to Department of Revenue to provide income tax information to Public Welfare Division. Eff. 20 Jun. 71.

_____, liability, examination, parents, children c.750
SB 37

Exempts persons from liability for public assistance to relative where such persons would not be liable for cost of care of relative at state mental institution because of duration of residency or age. Exempts resident parents from liability for maintenance at state institution if child is emancipated minor or 21 years of age at time of original commitment. Exempts child from liability if parent is committed to institution for mentally ill during child's minority.

Relatives' responsibility
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_____, liability, exemptions, state institutions c.125
HB 1237

Exempts from liability for public assistance persons liable or exempt for cost of care at state institutions.

_____, liability, extent c.480
SB 240

Subjects responsible relative to liability only for pro rata share rather than total cost of public assistance furnished needy relative whenever there is more than one relative determined liable and total individual liability exceeds total cost. Requires written notice be sent to relative's last known address before imposition of liability. Eff. 1 Jan. 72.

_____, schedule of payments c.651
HB 1071

Enacts new income schedule for relatives' responsibility determination.

Scholarship funds, job training c.227
HB 1538

Authorizes Public Welfare Division to reallocate scholarship funds for recipients to supportive services under job related training program when funds otherwise available therefor are exhausted.

_____, maximum limit c.387
SB 227

Eliminates \$400 per year maximum limit on scholarships and grants to welfare recipients entitled thereto.

Sheltered workshops c.617
SB 278

Requires Vocational Rehabilitation Division to devise subsidy program for sheltered workshops. Authorizes Public Welfare Division to enter into agreements with Vocational Rehabilitation Division for purchase of services from sheltered workshops to train current, former or potential aid recipients.

Support cases c.543
HB 1893

Authorizes Department of Justice to institute pilot project on support enforcement and to prosecute selected non-support cases when district attorney agrees. Requires department to submit plan for project to Emergency Board. Appropriates \$64,505 from General Fund to board for purposes of Act. Eff. 1 Jul. 71.

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Bicycle trails,
footpaths (cont.)

Permits additional expenditure for paths and trails in parks and recreation areas. Excepts areas where such use is contrary to public safety, cost is disproportionate to need or use, or where specific factors indicate no need.

Boating, Crane Prairie Reservoir c.143
HB 1626

Prohibits operation of motorboats at speeds over 10 miles per hour on Crane Prairie Reservoir, Deschutes County.

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_____ , licensing, exemption c.631
SB 601

Deletes license exemption for boats under 3.5 horsepower. Op. after 1 Jan. 72.

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_____ , licensing, fees c.475
SB 154

Revises annual renewal fees for registration or number certificates to conform to fees charged for original certificates. Changes distribution of boating funds to cities and counties. Requires board annually to conduct survey of boat owners. Abolishes State Marine Board Facility Account and creates Boating Safety, Law Enforcement and Facility Account. Part eff. 1 Jul. 71; part eff. 1 Jan. 72.

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_____ , regulation c.534
HB 1627

Authorizes State Marine Board to regulate operation of boats to comply with provisions of federal Wild and Scenic Rivers Act and Oregon Scenic Waterways Act.

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RECREATION

Bicycle trails, footpaths c.376
HB 1700

Requires expenditure of Highway Fund money for establishment of footpaths and bicycle trails along highways, roads and streets when constructed, reconstructed or relocated.

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Trail system c.614
SB 126

Establishes Oregon Recreation Trails System, to include trails designated after public hearing by State Highway Commission. Establishes Oregon Trails Advisory Council to consult with commission for purposes of Act. Prohibits exercise of powers of eminent domain otherwise vested in commission to powers and duties conferred by Act. Allows property tax exemption for trail easements. Authorizes commission to close trails when necessary to protect public safety.

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TAXATION

See also COURTS AND JUDGES

Administration c.215
SB 272

Creates tax lien for unpaid income and corporate excise taxes at time of assessment. Prescribes procedures for filing warrant and execution of lien in same manner as for delinquent income taxes. Provides for foreclosing of lien. Subordinates lien to certain interests, security agreements and subsequent purchases made without actual knowledge of lien. A

Assessments c.436
HB 1842

Authorizes county assessor to collect assessments of nonprofit corporation for use or control of water. A

Cigarette, collection, delinquencies c.417
HB 1320

Provides that warrant for collection of delinquent cigarette taxes becomes lien on taxpayer's property in same manner as judgment. A

Collection, distributor reports c.416
HB 1319

Requires quarterly payment of tax by distributors. Requires monthly report to contain information specified by Department of Revenue. A

Rate increase c.535
HB 1640

Increases cigarette tax from four to nine cents. Imposes dealer floor tax of five cents for cigarettes in possession on 9 Sept. 71. Imposes distributor floor tax and cigarette indicia adjustment tax at rate of five cents per "20" stamp, two and one-half cents for each "10" stamp and 50 cents for each unused A

Cigarette, rate increase (cont.)

meter register unit. Discontinues appropriation of cigarette tax moneys to Local Property Tax Relief Account. Credit tax proceeds to General Fund.

Vending machines c.260
SB 88

Requires cigarette vending machines to have card or decal displaying information regarding owner or operator. Authorizes department to seize machine for failure to display decal. Provides for redemption of seized machines within 60 days of seizure. A

Corporate, excise, administration c.247
HB 1314

Requires personal property tax refunds from county to be reported by corporations to Department of Revenue. Directs department to collect amount equal to offset previously allowed for payment of county tax. Applies to tax refunds after 1 Jan. 71. A

Excise, deductions c.246
HB 1311

Revises small business corporation deduction provisions relating to distributed and undistributed net income and net operating losses. Applies to tax years on and after 1 Jan. 71. A

Excise, exemption c.637
SB 725

Revises provisions granting exemption from excise taxation to designated nonprofit corporations. A

Income, excise, depreciation allowances c.724
HB 3057

Prohibits use for corporation income and excise tax depreciation purposes of changes made after 31 Dec. 70 in federal regulations relating to A

Corporate, income, excise, depreciation allowances (cont.)

depreciation allowance. Applies to tax years beginning after 31 Dec. 70.

Income, excise, generally c.283
HB 1312

Revises corporation excise and income tax provisions to allow shareholder deductions in designated liquidation proceedings. Applies to tax years on and after 1 Jan. 71. A

Fuel, refunds, cities, eligibility c.118
HB 1441

Revises basis for motor vehicle fuel and use tax refunds to cities. Deletes requirement that fuel be used for municipal purposes solely, or on official business and in vehicles owned and operated by cities. A

Refunds, cities, filing c.721
HB 3050

Extends time during which city may apply for motor vehicle fuel tax refund for fuels purchased and used at such time that time for filing application for refund expired between 1 Jan. 71 and 1 Jul. 71. A

Refunds, power take-off units c.163
HB 3015

Authorizes refund of motor vehicle fuel tax paid on fuel used to operate power take-off unit on motor vehicle when use is measured by approved metering device. A

Inheritance and gift, annual exclusions c.525
HB 1360

Prevents loss of annual gift exclusion for gift of income interest in trust, where principal may be invaded solely for benefit of income beneficiary. Applies to gifts made after 31 Dec.70. A

Inheritance and gift, exemptions, federal leased property c.593
SB 575

Exempts from inheritance taxes interests in real property of U.S. held by decedent primarily for purposes of grazing livestock. A

Exemptions, rates c.732
HB 1076

Increases inheritance tax basic exemption from \$15,000 to \$25,000 and modifies rate structure to increase percentages on taxable amounts. Increases collateral class exemption from \$1,000 to \$3,000. Subjcts Public Employees' Retirement Act benefits to inheritance taxation. Deletes provision allowing discount for payment within eight months of accrual. Imposes additional inheritance tax with reference to maximum state tax credit allowable by federal estate tax provisions. A

Exemptions, valuation c.652
HB 1078

Declares that gifts determined to have been made in contemplation of death be valued at date of death of benefactor. Deletes state charitable exemption reciprocity requirement. Applies to estates of decedents who die after 31 Dec. 71. A

Fees c.296
HB 1561

Deletes fee required for recording inheritance tax receipts. Transfers to county clerks from county commissioners duty of providing book for recording receipts. A

Generally c.653
HB 1079

Removes requirement that gift tax receipts be issued. Deletes separate gift tax exemption class of posts or organizations of war veterans and their auxiliary units or societies. Provides A

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Inheritance and gift,
generally (cont.)

that specified exemption categories include foreign posts and organizations. Applies to gifts made after 1 Jan. 72.

Payroll, mass transit
districts

c.600
SB 676

Revises certain definitions in mass district tax provisions.

Personal income,
administration, appeals,
recovery of costs

c.265
HB 1002

Authorizes attorney fees and other expenses to taxpayer in proceedings resulting in allowance of claimed refund or denial of additional assessment claimed due from taxpayer.

administration,
residency status

c.332
HB 1305

Revises computation procedures for transition from nonresident to resident or from resident to nonresident status. Applies to tax years beginning on and after 1 Jan. 71.

deficiencies,
refunds

c.507
SB 95

Revises income tax limitation provisions in which adjustments resulting from carryback of net operating losses may be made and in which proposed assessments may be made or refunds allowed for period during which federal limitations are extended by agreement. Permits Department of Revenue to send notices of assessment, opinion and orders to authorized representative of taxpayer. Changes refund interest time from 120 days to four months from due date of return or date tax was paid. Applies to tax years beginning on and after 1 Jan. 69.

Personal income,
returns, confidentiality c.682
HB 1642

Allows persons other than ordinary employees of Department of Revenue to be given access to income tax information otherwise confidential where necessary in administration of tax laws. Permits taxpayers and authorized representatives to obtain copies of returns and reports.

returns,
correction

c.248
HB 1391

Revises income tax provisions relating to correction of errors otherwise barred and adjustment of returns of related taxpayers. Applies to determinations after 31 Dec. 70.

returns,
examination

c.333
HB 1324

Requires examination as well as audit of return. Provides that notice for correction of mathematical or clerical error need only state reason for proposed adjustment of return. Deletes requirement of refund when less than \$1 is due. Extends time required to elapse after fiduciary's request of certificate of release before court may enter order to close estate. Applies to tax years beginning on and after 1 Jan. 70.

returns,
failure to file

c.354
SB 85

Establishes uniform rule for accrual of penalty and interest for failure to file income tax return or pay tax due, for fractional parts of month.

taxable
income, credits

c.672
HB 1412

Permits nonresidents to claim itemized or standard deductions and personal exemptions allowable under federal law in proportion of income from Oregon sources

Personal income, taxable
income, credits (cont.)

divided by federal adjusted gross income from all sources. Increases tax credit for political contributions and includes in credit contributions made to or against non-partisan candidates. Applies to tax years beginning after 31 Dec. 70.

taxable income,
modification

c.736
HB 1283

Requires subtraction from taxable income of first \$2,400 of retirement benefits for performance of active service in Armed Forces. Limits exclusion to retirees age 65 or older and requires that it be reduced dollar for dollar of earned income. Applies to tax years ending after 9 Sept. 71.

wage with-
holding, claims

c.611
SB 79

Authorizes Department of Revenue to waive, reduce or compromise tax liability which accrued prior to 31 Dec. 71 under employe wage withholding provisions.

wage with-
holding, exemptions

c.690
HB 1822

Exempts movie and television companies from personal income tax withholding from wages of temporary employes who are not state residents and who work in state less than 120 days. Applies to tax years after 31 Dec. 70 until 1 July. 75. Requires Department of Revenue to report to 1973 legislature regarding losses of revenue resulting from exemption.

Property, administration,
assessor's duties c.568
SB 96

Revises provisions relating to assessor's duties regarding preparation of assessment rolls, to filing of personal property returns and to delinquency warrants.

administration,
foreclosures

c.245
HB 1307

Authorizes Department of Revenue to request Attorney General to institute or complete property tax foreclosure proceedings when district attorney fails to do so. Requires county to pay costs and requires that if not paid within 30 days state deduct amount from cigarette and liquor revenues due county.

administration,
mortgage information

c.752
SB 143

Authorizes tax collector to supply information to loan companies by magnetic tapes or punch cards if companies agree. Permits tax collector and mortgagee to agree which of them shall make copy of tax statement for owner.

administration,
refunds, interest

c.737
HB 1304

Requires interest be paid on refunds which result from correction of administrative error of assessor or tax collector or whenever taxes are collected against real or personal property not within jurisdiction of tax levying body.

assessment,
cancellation, livestock

c.610
SB 34

Requires cancellation of assessment on livestock ready for slaughter but not shipped because of restraining order issued by governmental agency. Applies to property assessed on and after 1 Jan. 71.

Property, exemptions
nonprofit corporations c. 584
SB 366

Exempts for 10-year renewable periods real property of nonprofit corporation organized for principal purpose of developing property for public park or public recreation, if corporation is restricted to such use of land by terms of conveyance and articles of incorporation and if governing body of county approves exemption pursuant to established criteria. Provides for revocation of exemption and imposition of prior exempted tax. Provides for appeals from refusal to grant or renew exemptions. A

exemptions,
nursery stock c. 285
HB 1325

Exempts nursery stock, as defined, in hands of grower or wholesaler unless held for sale at retail. A

exemptions,
pollution control
facilities c. 678
HB 1564

Extends exemption from ad valorem taxation for construction of pollution control facilities until 31 Dec. 73. Exempts mobil field incinerators used as alternative to grass seed field burning if purchased within five years of certification as feasible. A

exemptions,
public property,
grazing lands leased c. 431
HB 1738

Exempts public property leased or rented by persons other sublessees where leased or rented for agricultural or grazing purposes for other than cash rental or percentage of crop to taxable owner. A

Property, exemptions,
schools c. 670
HB 1365

Continues exemption of properties of eleemosynary institutions used for educational purposes while leased to political subdivision of state or to another such institution for amount not to exceed cost of repairs and maintenance. Part eff. 1 Jan. 72. A

exemptions,
senior citizens c. 374
SB 140

Requires county assessor to certify amount of exemption by code area instead of by taxing districts. A

exemptions,
student housing, public c. 352
SB 80

Deletes condition that publicly owned school or college must be operated by State Board of Higher Education to be eligible for exemption for student housing facilities. A

exemptions,
veterans c. 338
HB 1850

Deletes exemption of Veterans of Mexican War, Civil War and Indian Wars. A

exemptions,
water associations,
filing c. 258
SB 82

Deletes statutory requirement that associations submit annual list of properties claimed as exempt and grants authority to Department of Revenue to provide by rule for filing requirements for continuation of exemption. A

Property, exemptions,
water associations,
water storage
facilities c. 759
SB 464

Exempts lands owned and used by associations for storage of water, including dikes and dams. Deletes provisions which disqualify from exemption for membership in or furnishing specified portions of water to commercial establishments. Eff. 1 Jan. 72. A

game commission
lands, appraisal c. 474
SB 144

Requires Game Commission lands to be appraised by county assessor at farm use or forest land use, plus percentage of market value declining to zero in 1981, instead of prospective use values in determining value for payments to counties. Requires land on which open field burning takes place to be assessed at full market value. A

game commission
lands, distribution c. 356
SB 142

Requires that in-lieu payments for commission lands be distributed by formula instead of only to taxing districts where land located. A

levy, apportion-
ment, multi-county
taxing districts c. 482
SB 261

Directs assessor who cannot complete valuations for taxing district lying partially within his county by August 25 to estimate valuations with cooperation of Department of Revenue. Eff. 1 Jan. 72. A

Property, levy, offset,
general property,
tax relief c. 353
SB 81

Deletes requirement that county assessor offset general property tax relief against rates of levy of county or other county-wide district or combination of districts. Applies to assessments and tax rolls prepared for fiscal year beginning 1 Jul. 71. A

levy, offset,
multi-county taxing
districts c. 720
HB 3044

Requires that when taxing district lies in two or more counties all offsets be deducted from tax levy certified by district before apportionment of levy. Applies to levies for fiscal year beginning 1 Jul. 71.

mobile homes,
assessment c. 210
HB 1475

Authorizes procedure for computing value of mobile home for tax purposes in county for consecutive months in different years. Operative for tax years after 1 Jan. 71. A

mobile homes,
generally c. 529
HB 1473

Redefines and subjects mobile homes to ad valorem tax laws. Extends homestead exemptions to include mobile homes. Includes travel trailers and motor homes in tax provisions where used as permanent home. Provides refunds for 1972-1973 for persons who pay both license fee and property tax. Revises trip permit provisions for transporting mobile homes. Eff. 1 Jan. 72. A

Property, assessment,
farm lands

c.629
SB 275

Deletes requirement that county assessor carry unzoned farm use property at value for other uses and substitutes requirement of notation of potential additional tax. Requires assessment for additional tax upon occurrence of designated events. Imposes tax lien for additional tax effective day before sale where sale disqualifies land for special assessment. Excepts from disqualification provision of lease or option for non-farm use situations where use is geothermal or other subsurface mining which does not interfere with farm use.

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assessment,
open space land

c.493
SB 541

Establishes procedures for special assessment of open space land at assessment made without reference to alternative uses. Requires county assessor to maintain record of increased assessments for other uses and to reassess property at higher value if withdrawn from special use, including imposition of dollar difference in value of land as specially assessed and at true market value for year of withdrawal.

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assessment,
reduction, destroyed
property

c.497
SB 669

Provides formula for determining reduced tax or refund for property destroyed by fire or act of God. Prescribes hearing procedure for determination, findings of which are not appealable. Applies to property assessed after 1 Jan. 71.

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Property, assessment,
returns, contents

c.574
SB 149

Revises provisions relating to additional assessment of property not reported by taxpayer in return. Revises return content requirements.

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assessment,
rolls, correction

c.472
SB 33

Extends supervisory power of Director of Revenue to allow corrections of assessment rolls for separate assessment of personal property when amount of error is in excess of \$2,000 or five percent of assessed value. Requires notice to taxpayer of increase from any separate assessment of personal property more than \$1,000 or five percent over amount returned as true cash value on personal property tax return.

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assessment,
rolls, sewer
assessments

c.573
SB 145

Provides dates within which delinquent sewer charges must be presented to county assessor in order to be added to tax roll and collected as other taxes. Revises provisions for payment of taxes after assessment and for issuance of receipts.

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collection,
deferred

c.572
SB 141

Revises provisions relating to administration of deferred collection of homestead taxes. Deletes liability for payment of prior deferred taxes of taxpayer who has been granted deferral and who fails to file timely claim for deferral.

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Property, collection,
distribution

c.355
SB 91

Fixes deadline for making tax distribution statement as fifth business day, rather than fifth day, of month.

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collection,
tax statements

c.379
SB 36

Requires that copy of specified statements required by law forwarded from mortgage holder to property owner be sent on or before 15 Jan. of following calendar year.

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collection,
unrecorded

c.384
SB 148

Revises provisions protecting bona fide purchaser from prejudice by assessments on real property not matter of public record at time of purchase.

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collection,
warrants, centrally
assessed property

c.378
SB 35

Authorizes counties to issue warrants for collection of personal property tax for centrally assessed property. Directs state and counties to institute action to collect taxes due from designated transportation companies upon date of delinquency rather than one year thereafter.

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collection,
warrants, personal
property

c.259
SB 83

Makes mandatory execution on warrant docketed for unpaid personal property tax.

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equalization,
local boards,
membership

c.363
SB 375

Authorizes local tax supervising and conservation commission, when there is no local budget

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Property, equalization,
local boards, membership
(cont.)

committee, to designate for membership on board qualified freeholder who possesses qualifications of appraiser.

equalization,
ratio studies

c.377
SB 31

Transfers from county equalization boards to Director of Revenue certain duties regarding supervision of required ratio of value of locally assessed property. Advances time for action by director in supervising ratio. Eliminates April session of county boards of equalization.

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exemptions,
agricultural waste
storage facilities

c.141
HB 1064

Exempts agricultural waste storage facility used to store waste from grass seed or grain crops from ad valorem taxation. Applies to assessment years, 1 Jan. 72 - 1 Jan. 82.

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exemptions,
benevolent, charitable
organizations

c.605
HB 1836

Exempts real and personal property of retail store dealing exclusively in donated inventory of incorporated benevolent or charitable organizations where proceeds are used to support welfare program.

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exemptions,
commercial facilities

c.284
HB 1323

Requires corrected assessment where assessor has improperly granted exemption to commercial facility under construction.

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UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION

Benefits, extended c. 2
HB 1090
Provides for payment of extended benefits after expiration of regular benefits during extended benefit periods. Eff. 27 Jan. 71.

weekly c.521
HB 1265
Increases maximum weekly unemployment benefit from \$55 to \$62 for persons whose benefit year ends with or after week ending 10 Jul.71.

Benefits, weekly (cont.)
Requires that to qualify for benefits person must have earned wages equal to six times weekly benefit amount. Eff. 1 Jul. 71.

Claims c. 77
HB 1097
Deletes limitation that notice of initial determination for unemployment benefits and of potential charge to employer's account be given only where wages paid to claimant in excess of \$100. Authorizes recovery in civil action of amount of excess payment in excess of maximum benefits payable. Eff. 20 Apr. 71.

Generally c.463
HB 1294
Revises unemployment insurance provisions to conform to requirements of federal laws. Creates requirements and disqualifications for compensation. Provides for election by political subdivisions to cover employees in hospitals and institutions of higher education operated by them. Modifies requirements for alternative payment into fund by various employers. Authorizes joint application by two or more employers to establish group accounts. Requires Administrator of Employment Division to participate in multi-state compensation arrangements. Eff. 1 Jan. 72.

Tax, collection c.128
HB 1096
Authorizes collection of unemployment insurance taxes in alternative by warrant for levy and execution upon real and personal property in same manner as upon judgment in any case where civil action may be brought for collection.

Tax, extended benefit c. 56
HB 1295
Requires assessment of extended benefit tax constituting percentage of unemployment tax otherwise payable by employer to finance employer's share of extended unemployment compensation benefits.

Vocational training c. 82
HB 1095
Declares that vocational training, for purposes of unemployment law, may include basic education courses not primarily intended to lead to baccalaureate or higher degree. Lists benefits received which do not make person enrolled in vocational training program ineligible for unemployment benefits. Eff. 22 Apr. 71.

Property, Port of
Portland, property
tax levy

c.701
HB 1967

Deletes from tax levy provisions limit of three-fortieths of one percent of true cash value of taxable property within boundaries of port.

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Local Property Tax
Relief Account

c.544
HB 1941

Abolishes account and transfers funds to General Fund for general governmental purposes. Eff. 1 Aug. 71.

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Low income citizens
tax relief

c.747
HB 1639

Provides low income citizens' property tax relief to extent tax exceeds percentage of household income for designated homeowners and residents of non-profit homes for elderly. Provides zero rate on first \$3,000 of household income for persons born on or before 1 Mar. 96. Appropriates \$2 million to Department of Revenue for proportionate distribution to counties and for expenses of department in carrying out Act. Requires department to promulgate rules for implementation of Act. Establishes procedures for recovery of excess payments to counties and provides penalty and interest assessment therefor. Repeals present senior citizens' property tax relief provisions as of 1 Jan. 72.

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Timber, administration,
late filing

c.272
HB 1084

Requires that late filing penalties be collected with additional tax rather than added to next tax roll.

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Timber, Eastern Oregon
Severance, administration

c.408
HB 1081

Deletes reserve account and distributes account funds to counties as additional property tax offset. Establishes statutory budgetary estimation of severance tax receipts. Eff. 20 Jun. 71.

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Eastern Oregon
Severance, assessment

c.654
HB 1083

Requires that valuation of timberland in eastern Oregon be based upon classification instead of ad valorem taxation. Applies to land assessed after 31 Dec. 71.

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Forest products
harvest, rate

c. 49
HB 1928

Increases by one cent forest products harvest tax rate for 1971-73 biennium.

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Western Oregon,
classification

c.684
HB 1710

Requires land to be used primarily for growing and harvesting trees to qualify for classification as forest land. Imposes minimum acreage for classification. Prescribes contents of application for classification and requires consideration of criteria by State Forester. Transfers duty to compute adjustment tax due to county assessor from State Forester. Deletes exemption from provision requiring removal from designation as forest land situation where land is transferred because of public or private exercise of eminent domain and proceeds are converted into like property within one year. Applies to classifications made on and after 1 Jan. 72.

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WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION

Administration, budget c.725
HB 3061

Includes in administrative budget of state agencies, for purposes of State Accident Insurance Fund dividend distribution, receipts and expenditures attributable to federal payments, higher education construction projects financed under Oregon Constitution and administrative budgets of all self-supporting divisions, boards and commissions within an agency. Revises criteria for declaration of dividend from fund. Op. part 1 Jan. 72.

claims cost recovery c. 72
SB 180

Transfers duty to recover claim costs from noncomplying employers from State Accident Insurance Fund to Workmen's Compensation Board. Provides for Administrative Fund to reimburse fund for any loss. Eff. 1 Jul. 71.

fund, emergency c.357
SB 181

Allows payment of administrative expenses out of Emergency Fund created for use by State Accident Insurance Fund. Eff. 1 Jul. 71.

Administration, examination c.385
SB 184

Requires fund to file rates and financial statement with Insurance Commissioner and subjects fund to examination by commissioner and to certain financial restrictions in the same manner as private insurers. Eff. 1 Jan. 72.

building, office c.262
SB 182

Permits fund to acquire and sell real property and to construct buildings. Permits fund to rent or lease out unneeded space. Establishes limitation for construction and furnishing buildings. Requires fund to submit plans for construction to Emergency Board or to Ways and Means Committee.

Injury Reserve, Second c.768
HB 1722

Authorizes payments to direct responsibility employers from Second Injury Reserve for additional amounts employer pays in compensation or other amounts with respect to subsequent injury. Deletes element of knowledge from definition of "preexisting disability" for administration of Second Injury Reserve. Modifies other uses of Second Injury Reserve. Makes other inter-fund transfers.

Agricultural employees, notice of injury c.386
SB 186

Revises definition of "nonsubject workman" to exclude certain agricultural employees. Revises notice of injury requirements to allow statement by doctor signed by workman. Eff. 1 Jul. 71.

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VETERANS

Home and farm loans

c.221
HB 1452

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Permits Director of Veterans Affairs with advice of advisory committee to fix variable interest rates paid by each applicant on veterans farm and home loans. Sets new limits of interest to be charged transferees by director. Changes amount of loan allowed from 85 to 90 percent of appraised value of security tendered. Increases maximum loan allowed on home to \$24,500, and on farm to \$80,000. Increases maximum loan amortization period to 30 years for homes and to 40 years for farms. Provides for change of interest rate on transfers where former spouse of original borrower is transferee and has remarried. Deletes requirement of assumption of mortgage statement in conveyance when ownership transferred. Eff. 26 May 71.

Benefits, minor children c.415
HB 1279

Increases benefits for minor children. Extends survivor benefits to include child in custody of divorced wife and to include child 19 years old if full-time high-school student. Eff. 1 Jul. 71.

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temporary total disability c.204
SB 345

Increases workmen's compensation benefits for temporary total disability. Eff. 1 Jul. 71.

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Claims, hand injury c.178
SB 290

Revises provision on determination of award for hand injuries. Increases award for designated degrees of permanent partial disability from \$55 to \$70 for each degree. Eff. 1 Jul. 71.

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medical fees c.329
HB 1204

Revises manner of determining payment for medical services to delete standard of "customary" fee for "similar services in the locality where rendered".

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multiple party c. 70
SB 101

Authorizes board to determine party responsible for paying compensation in multiple party or claim situations. Prohibits joinder of employer or insurer in proceedings unless claimant is entitled to request hearing. Requires claimant to be joined as necessary or nominal party. Deletes provision subrogating rights of compensation claimant to paying party.

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Claims, notice, hearing c.155
SB 129

Requires determinations in workmen's compensation claims to contain notice advising claimant of right to hearing and review, right to representation by attorney and of certain limits placed upon fees of attorney.

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Coverage, educational trainees c.634
SB 701

Provides compensation coverage for registered school, community college or area education district apprentices or trainees who incur compensable injuries while performing duties pursuant to related instruction course and who do not receive wages for performing duties.

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vocational rehabilitation trainees c.581
SB 292

Expands workmen's compensation coverage to vocational rehabilitation trainees.

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Tax, employers c. 73
SB 187

Requires State Accident Insurance Fund to send demands for payment of deposits or contributions required of contributing employers to last known address by registered or certified mail. Eff. 20 Apr. 71.

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Public defender c.432
HB 1751

Authorizes county governing body to appoint county public defender. Defines duties and civil service status. Prescribes salary and authorizes representation of indigents at any stage of criminal or other proceedings. Authorizes intergovernmental cooperation and agreement by county with federal government for provision of defender's services.

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Public Employe Relations Board c.695
HB 1902

Directs Administrator of Personnel Division to attend or be represented at all hearings of Public Employe Relations Board. Subjects unclassified service to certain laws and regulations relating to salary plans. Removes requirements for notice of standing on testing lists. Requires notice of standing to be available to each person who successfully completes agency promotion test. Permits delegation of duties by appointing authority. Modifies temporary appointment procedure. Repeals emergency appointments procedure. Transfers duties regarding designated public employes from board to division.

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Retirement age c.317
HB 1907

Requires written justification for continuance of employment of members of State Merit System beyond compulsory retirement age by employer with approval of Personnel Division and annual review of employment. Prohibits continued employment past age 70. Eff. 30 Jun. 72.

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Salaries c.642
HB 3043

Increases annual salaries for specified state officials. Repeals statutory salary for Director of Parole and Probation, Executive Secretary of Public Employes' Retirement Board and Director of Water Resources Board. Eff. 1 Jul. 71.

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Sheriffs c.299
HB 1654

Establishes, subject to voter approval of specified constitutional amendment, qualifications for sheriffs. Exempts sheriffs in office on operative date of Act.

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State Fair c.542
HB 1794

Provides for appointment of State Fair Manager at salary fixed by law. Authorizes one administrative assistant and one secretary in unclassified service. Prohibits overtime and holiday pay for temporary personnel. Eff. 28 Jun. 71.

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Transfers c.500
HB 724

Permits public employes to retain certain benefits, including pension rights, if public facility at which employed is transferred by agreement to Oregon non-profit corporation for maintenance and operation. Eff. 25 Jun. 71.

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Travel expenses c.244
HB 1234

Increases mileage reimbursement rate for use of privately owned vehicle on state business. Gives state prior claim against funds payable for travel advances. Deletes requirement that travel advances not exceed accrued salary and wages. Requires Executive Department to make regulations on such advances. Eff. 1 Jul. 71.

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Health Insurance
0.527
HB 1462
Authorizes state-aided health insurance program for state employees. Creates State Employees' Benefit Account in General Fund and appropriates employe contributions and other funds to account. Requires that board enter into coverage contracts prior to 1 Jul. 72.

Housing, rental values
0.575
SB 152
Establishes procedure for determining fair rental value of housing provided for state employes, including appeal procedures. Requires Department of General Services to establish uniform schedule of rent reductions based on certain factors. Prohibits state agencies from supplying furniture for housing and requires sale of existing furniture before 1 Jul. 72. Exempts furnishings of designated state-owned residences and other furnishings received by state as gift.

Merit pay
0.558
HB 3047
Limits merit pay increases to no more than 85 percent of non-academic employes eligible therefore during 1971-1972 and 75 percent during 1972-1973. Appropriates \$13,090,948 from General Fund to Emergency Board for increases and for medical insurance fringe benefits. Requires salary plans to be submitted to Executive Department and requires department to submit consolidated report to Ways and Means Committee or to Emergency Board during interim. Eff. 1 Jul. 71.

Payroll deductions, credit unions
0.71
SB 125
Allows state payroll deduction for payments chartered public employe credit unions. Requires payments to be made to central depository designed by participating credit unions. Applies to deductions from wages payable after 30 Jun. 72.

Appointments, temporary
0.697
HB 1908
Authorizes appointments of technical or professional persons for maximum of two years within system where employment is subject to continuation of funding for grant or project. Denies layoff rights to such appointees unless appointed from regular status to temporary position.

Merit system, eligibility
0.696
HB 1903
Authorizes removal of names of persons in specified situations from eligibility lists maintained under State Merit System Law.

Labor organizations
0.510
SB 280
Permits discontinuance of payroll deductions upon employe's request if there is no contract to contrary. Substitutes labor organization for employe organization for which deductions may be made. Provides that if no certified employe representative exists, deductions may be made only for two such organizations for which greatest number of deduction requests are made. Eff. 25 Jun. 71.

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PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES
See also PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM

District attorneys, appointment
0.302
HB 1989
Deletes requirement that appointment of non-resident to office of district attorney be preceded by written refusal of appointment from all resident lawyers.

Private practice
0.583
SB 351
Increases to \$13,000 maximum annual salary that district attorney or deputy may receive and still engage in private practice of law. Eff. 29 Jun. 71.

Governors, retirement
0.686
HB 1728
Establishes retirement program for former Governors. Requires public employe Retirement Board to administer program. Prescribes conditions, procedures and benefits for program. Eff. 1 Jul. 71.