Senate Bill 1530

Sponsored by Senator DEBOER; Senators BENTZ, GIROD, HANSELL, MANNING JR, STEINER HAYWARD, Representatives BOONE, GREENLICK, LEWIS (Presession filed.)

SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure as introduced.

Establishes Task Force on Public Education Planning. Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

1 A BILL FOR AN ACT

- 2 Relating to the development of a public education plan; and prescribing an effective date.
- 3 Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:
- SECTION 1. (1) The Task Force on Public Education Planning is established.
 - (2) The task force consists of 16 members appointed as follows:
 - (a) The President of the Senate shall appoint two members from the majority party of the Senate and two members from the minority party of the Senate.
 - (b) The Speaker of the House of Representatives shall appoint two members from the majority party of the House of Representatives and two members from the minority party of the House of Representatives.
 - (c) The Governor shall appoint eight members as follows:
 - (A) Two representatives from an organization that represents educators in this state;
 - (B) Two representatives from an organization that represents school district boards in this state;
 - (C) Two representatives from an organization that represents educational employees in this state; and
 - (D) Two at-large members who are residents of this state.
 - (3) The task force shall develop a 10-year plan for public education in kindergarten through grade 12. The plan must include measures that may improve student outcomes, including measures that:
 - (a) Reduce class sizes;
 - (b) Increase teacher retention; and
 - (c) Provide stable funding.
- 24 (4) A majority of the members of the task force constitutes a quorum for the transaction of business.
 - (5) Official action by the task force requires the approval of a majority of the members of the task force.
 - (6) The task force shall elect one of its members to serve as chairperson.
- 29 (7) If there is a vacancy for any cause, the appointing authority shall make an appoint-30 ment to become immediately effective.
 - (8) The task force shall meet at times and places specified by the call of the chairperson

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- (9) The task force may adopt rules necessary for the operation of the task force.
- (10) The task force shall submit a report in the manner provided by ORS 192.245, and may include recommendations for legislation, to an interim committee of the Legislative Assembly related to education no later than November 30, 2018.
- (11) The Legislative Policy and Research Director shall provide staff support to the task force.
- (12) Members of the task force who are not members of the Legislative Assembly are not entitled to compensation or reimbursement for expenses and serve as volunteers on the task force.
- (13) All agencies of state government, as defined in ORS 174.111, are directed to assist the task force in the performance of the task force's duties and, to the extent permitted by laws relating to confidentiality, to furnish information and advice the members of the task force consider necessary to perform their duties.
 - SECTION 2. Section 1 of this 2018 Act is repealed on December 31, 2018.
- SECTION 3. This 2018 Act takes effect on the 91st day after the date on which the 2018 regular session of the Seventy-ninth Legislative Assembly adjourns sine die.
