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House Bill 2473

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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.

Authorizes State Board of Licensed Social Workers to adopt rules providing for temporary licensure, certification and registration related to practice of social work.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to the practice of social work; and declaring an emergency.

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

4 **SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2015 Act is added to and made a part of ORS 675.510 to**
5 **675.600.**

6 **SECTION 2. (1) The State Board of Licensed Social Workers may adopt rules providing**
7 **for:**

8 (a) **The temporary licensure of clinical social workers;**

9 (b) **The temporary registration of baccalaureate social workers;**

10 (c) **The temporary licensure of master's social workers; and**

11 (d) **The temporary certification of clinical social work associates.**

12 (2) **The board may establish by rule fees for temporary registration, certification and**
13 **licensure under this section.**

14 **SECTION 3. This 2015 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public**
15 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2015 Act takes effect**
16 **on its passage.**

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NOTE: Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter [*italic and bracketed*] is existing law to be omitted. New sections are in **boldfaced** type.