

House Bill 2972

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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 **as introduced**.

Prohibits public university, community college or Oregon-based private university or college to use threat of student discipline or other sanction to influence decision of victim of alleged incident of sexual assault, domestic violence or stalking regarding whether to report alleged incident or participate in investigation or adjudication of alleged incident.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to investigating misconduct at post-secondary institutions of education.

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

SECTION 1. A public university listed in ORS 352.002, a community college or an Oregon-based private university or college may not use the threat of student discipline or other sanction to influence the decision of a victim of an alleged incident of sexual assault, domestic violence or stalking regarding whether or not the victim will report the alleged incident or participate in an investigation or adjudication of the alleged incident.

SECTION 2. Section 1 of this 2017 Act first applies to the 2018-2019 academic year.

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.