

# Senate Joint Resolution 8

Sponsored by Senator OLSEN (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**.

Proposes amendment to Oregon Constitution to have administrative rule be subject to sunset upon petition of one or more Senators and one or more Representatives. Sunsets administrative rule at end of next regular session of Legislative Assembly that begins at least six months after petition is made, unless both chambers of Legislative Assembly approve rule on or before date of scheduled sunset of rule.

Refers proposed amendment to people for their approval or rejection at next regular general election.

## JOINT RESOLUTION

**Be It Resolved by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon:**

**PARAGRAPH 1.** The Constitution of the State of Oregon is amended by creating a new section 5 to be added to and made a part of Article III, such section to read:

**SECTION 5. (1) Notwithstanding section 1 of this Article, any administrative rule that is adopted by an Executive Branch agency may be subject to sunset as of the date of adjournment sine die of the next regular session of the Legislative Assembly that begins at least six months after at least one Senator and one Representative have petitioned the Legislative Assembly for review of the administrative rule.**

**(2) An administrative rule that is the subject of a petition described in subsection (1) of this section shall cease to be in effect on the day following adjournment sine die of the regular session of the Legislative Assembly referenced in subsection (1) of this section unless both chambers of the Legislative Assembly adopt a resolution approving the rule in advance of the sunset of the rule.**

**PARAGRAPH 2.** The amendment proposed by this resolution shall be submitted to the people for their approval or rejection at the next regular general election held throughout this state.

**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.