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Senate Bill 283

Sponsored by Senator MONNES ANDERSON, Representatives KENY-GUYER, PILUSO, Senator BOQUIST, Senator RILEY, Representatives GREENLICK, HAYDEN, HERNANDEZ, NERON, NOSSE, SANCHEZ (Presession filed.)

CHAPTER ................................................

AN ACT

Relating to exposure to radiation in schools in this state; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. (1)(a) The Oregon Health Authority shall:

(A) Review peer-reviewed, independently funded scientific studies of the health effects of exposure to microwave radiation, particularly exposure that results from the use of wireless network technologies in schools or similar environments; and

(B) Report the results of the review to an interim committee of the Legislative Assembly related to education not later than January 2, 2021.

(b) The review described in paragraph (a) of this subsection must, at a minimum, consist of a literature review of peer-reviewed, independently funded scientific studies that examine the health effects of exposure to microwave radiation on children.

(2) The Department of Education shall develop recommendations to schools in this state for practices and alternative technologies that would reduce students’ exposure to microwave radiation that the review described in subsection (1) of this section identifies as harmful.

SECTION 2. This 2019 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2019 Act takes effect on its passage.
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Lori L. Brocker, Secretary of Senate

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Peter Courtney, President of Senate

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