

 **House Bill 1990** 

Sponsored by Representative Smith

SUMMARY

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Changes the legal voting age for Oregon elections to 16 years of age.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to changing the Oregon statute for determining eligibility to vote.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:

Section 1 ORS Chapter 247 is amended to include 247.212 which reads as follows: All voting on elected officials and legislation in the state of Oregon shall be open to persons ages 16 and over.

Section 2 Those voters of the ages of 16 and 17 shall not be eligible for jury service. This bill does not change laws referring to the necessary age to run and be elected into office.

Section 3 This 2007 act to take effect on January 1, 2009