## House Bill 3377

Sponsored by COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

## **SUMMARY**

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Allows Department of Transportation to discipline vehicle dismantler for violation using probation.

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

2 Relating to dismantlers; amending ORS 819.010 and 822.145.

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

**SECTION 1.** ORS 819.010 is amended to read:

- 819.010. (1) A person commits the offense of failure to comply with requirements for destruction of a vehicle if the person wrecks, dismantles, disassembles or substantially alters the form of any vehicle that is or is required to be registered or titled under the vehicle code or under ORS chapter 826 and the person does not comply with all of the following:
- (a) The person must give notice to the Department of Transportation, in a form specified by the department, of the person's intention to dismantle, disassemble, wreck or substantially alter the form of the vehicle at least seven days prior to commencement thereof.
- (b) If the vehicle is visible from a public right of way, the person must complete the wrecking, dismantling, disassembling or substantial alteration of form within 30 days from the commencement thereof.
- (c) If the vehicle is registered by this state, the person must deliver or mail to the department the registration card, certificate of title, if one has been issued, and registration plates of the vehicle within 30 days after the person wrecks, dismantles, disassembles or substantially alters the form of the vehicle.
- (d) If no certificate of title has been issued for the vehicle, the person must notify the department in a manner determined by the department by rule within 30 days after the person wrecks, dismantles, disassembles or substantially alters the form of the vehicle.
- (e) If required to do so under ORS 819.016, the person shall apply for a salvage title for the vehicle.
- (2) [Subsection (1)(a) and (b) of this section do not apply] **This section does not apply** to persons who are acting within the scope of a dismantler certificate issued under ORS 822.110.
- (3) The offense described in this section, failure to comply with requirements for destruction of vehicle, is a Class A misdemeanor.

**SECTION 2.** ORS 822.145 is amended to read:

822.145. (1) The Department of Transportation may [revoke] discipline any person holding a dismantler certificate issued under ORS 822.110 or identification card issued under ORS 822.125 if the department determines at any time for due cause that any of the following have occurred:

**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.

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- (a) The person holding the certificate has failed to comply with any requirements for registration of vehicles under the vehicle code.
- (b) The person holding the certificate has violated ORS 803.140, 819.010, 819.012, 819.016, 819.040 or 822.135.
- (c) The person holding the certificate has caused or suffered or is permitting the unlawful use of the dismantler certificate.
  - (d) The person holding the certificate has violated any regulation adopted under ORS 822.135.
- (e) The person holding the certificate has failed to allow the department to conduct inspections 9 as provided under ORS 822.130.
  - (f) The person holding an identification card has unlawfully used or permitted unlawful use of the card.
    - (2) The department shall cancel or suspend any dismantler certificate immediately:
    - (a) Upon receipt of legal notice that the bond described under ORS 822.120 is canceled; or
    - (b) For failure to pay any penalty imposed under ORS 822.137.
    - (3) Upon revocation, cancellation or suspension of a dismantler certificate or identification card under this section, the department shall recall and demand the return of the certificate or identification card.
    - (4) If the department has reason to believe that a person has engaged in or is engaging in any activity prohibited under ORS 822.100, the department may issue an order directed at the person to cease the activity.
    - (5) In disciplining a person as authorized by subsection (1) of this section, the department may do any or all of the following:
      - (a) Revoke a dismantler's certificate.
      - (b) Suspend a dismantler's certificate.
  - (c) Place a dismantler on probation.
- (6) The department may adopt rules to carry out the provisions of this section. 26

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