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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.

Clarifies amounts required to be included in money award portion of judgment.

Provides that separate record maintained by circuit court administrator for judgments that create liens be called judgment lien record.

**Clarifies provisions relating to motions for summary judgments.**

**A BILL FOR AN ACT**

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2 Relating to judgments; creating new provisions; and amending ORS 18.042, 18.058, 18.075, 18.154,  
3 18.182, 18.200, 18.205, 18.225, 18.228, 18.235, 46.488, 52.635, 87.450 and 416.440 and ORCP 47 C,  
4 47 D and 47 F.

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

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7 **MONEY AWARDS**

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9 **SECTION 1.** ORS 18.042 is amended to read:

10 18.042. (1) The judgment document for a judgment in a civil action that includes a money award  
11 must contain a separate section clearly labeled as a money award. Any judgment in a civil action  
12 that includes a money award, but does not contain a separate section clearly labeled as a money  
13 award, does not create a judgment lien but may be enforced by any other judgment remedy.

14 (2) The separate section required by subsection (1) of this section must include all of the fol-  
15 lowing:

16 (a) The name and address of each judgment creditor and the name, address and telephone num-  
17 ber of any attorney who represents one or more of the judgment creditors.

18 (b) The name of each judgment debtor and, to the extent known by the judgment creditor:

19 (A) The address of each judgment debtor;

20 (B) The date of birth of each judgment debtor;

21 (C) The Social Security number or tax identification number of each judgment debtor;

22 (D) The driver license number of each judgment debtor and the name of the state that issued  
23 the license; and

24 (E) The name of any attorney for each judgment debtor.

25 (c) The name of any person or public body, as defined in ORS 174.109, other than the judgment  
26 creditor's attorney, that is known by the judgment creditor to be entitled to any portion of the  
27 money award.

**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.

1 (d) [*The amount of the money award.*] **The amount of money awarded in the judgment, ex-**  
2 **clusive of amounts required to be included in the separate section under paragraphs (e) to**  
3 **(h) of this subsection.**

4 (e) Any interest owed as of the date the judgment is entered in the register, either as a specific  
5 amount or as accrual information, including the rate or rates of interest, the balance or balances  
6 upon which interest accrues, the date or dates from which interest at each rate on each balance  
7 runs, and whether interest is simple or compounded and, if compounded, at what intervals.

8 (f) Information about interest that accrues on the judgment after entry in the register, including  
9 the rate or rates of interest, the balance or balances upon which interest accrues, the date or dates  
10 from which interest at each rate on each balance runs, and whether interest is simple or com-  
11 pounded and, if compounded, at what intervals.

12 (g) For monetary obligations that are payable on a periodic basis, any accrued arrearages, re-  
13 quired further payments per period and payment dates.

14 (h) If the judgment requires the payment of costs and disbursements or attorney fees, a state-  
15 ment indicating that the award is made, any specific amounts awarded, a clear identification of the  
16 specific requests for relief for which any attorney fees are awarded and the amount of attorney fees  
17 awarded for each request for relief.

18 (3) The information required by subsection (2) of this section must be set forth in the money  
19 award section of the judgment document in the same order as the requirements appear in subsection  
20 (2) of this section.

21 (4) The separate section required by subsection (1) of this section must be placed immediately  
22 above the judge's or court administrator's signature. The separate section must be clearly labeled  
23 at its beginning as a money award. If the judgment includes a support award, the label of the sep-  
24 arate section must so indicate. Except for information described in ORS 24.290, the separate section  
25 of the judgment document may not contain any provision except the information required by this  
26 section.

27 (5) Notwithstanding subsection (2) of this section, in proceedings under ORS 107.085 and 107.485  
28 the Social Security number of a judgment debtor must be provided by the judgment creditor in the  
29 manner established by the State Court Administrator under ORS 107.840.

30 (6) Notwithstanding subsection (2) of this section, a public body, as defined in ORS 174.109, need  
31 not include the Social Security number or driver license number of a judgment debtor if disclosure  
32 of the Social Security number or driver license number violates federal law or any law of this state.

33 (7) The provisions of this section do not apply to foreign judgments that are filed with a court  
34 under ORS 24.115 or 110.405. If a foreign judgment is filed with the court under ORS 24.115, the  
35 separate statement required by ORS 24.125 must be filed with the foreign judgment.

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37 **JUDGMENT LIEN RECORD**

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39 **SECTION 2.** ORS 18.075 is amended to read:

40 18.075. (1) A judgment is entered in circuit court when a court administrator notes in the reg-  
41 ister that a judgment document has been filed with the court administrator.

42 (2) Subject to ORS 18.058 (2), when a judge files a judgment document with the court adminis-  
43 trator, the court administrator shall note in the register:

44 (a) That the judgment document has been filed and the day, hour and minute that the judgment  
45 is entered.

1 (b) Whether the judgment is a limited judgment, a general judgment or a supplemental judgment.

2 (c) Whether the judgment includes a money award.

3 (d) Whether the judgment creates a judgment lien under ORS 18.150.

4 (3) If the court administrator notes in the register that a judgment creates a judgment lien, the  
5 court administrator shall note in a [*separate*] **judgment lien** record maintained by the court admin-  
6 istrator:

7 (a) The name of all judgment debtors.

8 (b) The name of all judgment creditors.

9 (c) The amount of the money award.

10 (d) Whether the money award includes a support award or an award of restitution.

11 (4) If the court administrator makes a notation of judgment in the [*separate*] **judgment lien** re-  
12 cord [*required by subsection (3) of this section*], the court administrator shall thereafter also note in  
13 the [*separate*] **judgment lien** record:

14 (a) The date on which any appeal is filed.

15 (b) Whether a supersedeas undertaking, as defined in ORS 19.005, is filed.

16 (c) The date of any decision on appeal.

17 (d) Any execution issued by the court and the return on any execution.

18 (e) Any satisfaction of the judgment, when entered.

19 (f) Other such information as may be deemed necessary by court order or court rule.

20 (5) The court administrator shall enter a judgment in the register within 24 hours after the  
21 judgment document is filed with court administrator, excluding Saturdays and legal holidays. If the  
22 court administrator is not able to enter the judgment within the time prescribed in this subsection,  
23 or fails to do so, the court administrator shall enter the judgment as soon as practicable thereafter.

24 (6) Except as provided in ORS 18.058, and in ORCP 69 B(1) for judgments by default, the court  
25 administrator shall be subject to the direction of the court in entering judgments in the register.

26 (7) The court administrator shall not delay entry of judgment under ORCP 68 for taxation of  
27 attorney fees or costs and disbursements.

28 (8) Administrative orders entered in the register under ORS 416.440 have the effect provided for  
29 in that section.

30 (9) The State Court Administrator shall ensure that the register[,] and the [*separate*] **judgment**  
31 **lien** record [*required by subsection (3) of this section*,] be established and maintained in a uniform  
32 manner in the circuit courts.

33 (10) References in Oregon Revised Statutes to docketing of a judgment are equivalent to entry  
34 of a judgment as described in subsection (1) of this section.

35 (11) This section does not apply to justice courts, municipal courts or county courts performing  
36 judicial functions.

37 **SECTION 3.** ORS 18.058 is amended to read:

38 18.058. (1) Except as provided in subsection (2) of this section, the court administrator shall note  
39 in the register that a judgment document has been filed if the judgment document is signed by a  
40 judge of the court, or by the court administrator if the court administrator is authorized by law to  
41 sign the judgment document, and filed with the court administrator, whether or not the judgment  
42 document complies with the requirements of ORS 18.038, 18.042 and 18.048.

43 (2) If the title of a document filed with the court administrator indicates that the document is  
44 a decree, or indicates that the document is a judgment but fails to indicate whether the judgment  
45 is a limited judgment, general judgment or supplemental judgment, the court administrator may not

1 note in the register that a judgment document has been filed, and shall return the document to the  
2 judge, unless the judgment is exempt under ORS 18.038 (2).

3 (3) The court administrator may rely on a judgment document for entry of information in the  
4 register. The court administrator is not liable for entering any information in the register that re-  
5 flects information contained in a judgment document, whether or not the information in the judg-  
6 ment is correct or properly presented.

7 (4) The court administrator may rely on the presence or absence of a separate section in the  
8 judgment document required by ORS 18.042 or 18.048 in determining whether a judgment contains  
9 a money award. The court administrator shall enter information in the register[,] and in the [*sepa-*  
10 *rate*] **judgment lien** record [*required by ORS 18.075,*] only from the separate section unless other-  
11 wise ordered by the court.

12 (5) This section does not apply to justice courts, municipal courts or county courts performing  
13 judicial functions.

14 **SECTION 4.** ORS 18.154 is amended to read:

15 18.154. A judgment debtor who appeals a judgment may move the trial court for elimination of  
16 the judgment lien created by the judgment. A court may grant a motion under this section if the  
17 judgment debtor files a supersedeas undertaking, as defined in ORS 19.005, and provides such addi-  
18 tional security as may be required by the court to ensure that adequate amounts will be available  
19 to satisfy the judgment if affirmed on appeal. If the court grants the motion, the court administrator  
20 shall note in the register[,] and in the [*separate*] **judgment lien** record [*required under ORS*  
21 *18.075,*] that the judgment lien has been eliminated.

22 **SECTION 5.** ORS 18.182 is amended to read:

23 18.182. (1) Judgment remedies for a judgment may be extended by filing a certificate of extension  
24 in the court that entered the judgment. The court administrator shall enter the certificate in the  
25 register of the court and in the [*separate*] **judgment lien** record [*maintained under ORS 18.075*].  
26 Except as provided in ORS 18.180 to 18.192, a judgment creditor may file a certificate of extension  
27 only if:

28 (a) Judgment remedies for the judgment have not expired under ORS 18.180; and

29 (b) A full satisfaction document for the money award portion of the judgment has not been filed.

30 (2) Notwithstanding subsection (1) of this section, if the judgment debtor has been discharged  
31 from debt under federal bankruptcy laws, a certificate of extension may not be filed except as pro-  
32 vided in this subsection. Judgments are presumed to have not been discharged in bankruptcy until  
33 the judgment debtor establishes that the judgment has been discharged. If the judgment debtor is  
34 discharged from a debt, a certificate of extension may be filed if:

35 (a) The debtor owned real property and the judgment lien attached to that property before the  
36 filing of the bankruptcy petition;

37 (b) The judgment lien was not avoided by action of the bankruptcy court;

38 (c) The judgment lien has not been discharged under ORS 18.238; and

39 (d) The certificate of extension includes a legal description of the real property and a statement  
40 that the extension affects only the lien on the real property described in the certificate.

41 (3) A certificate of extension must be signed by the judgment creditor, or by an attorney who  
42 represents the judgment creditor.

43 (4) Subject to ORS 18.190 and 18.192, if a certificate of extension is filed after the date on which  
44 the judgment remedies for the judgment expire under ORS 18.180, the certificate has no effect.

45 (5) The judgment remedies for a judgment that are extended under the provisions of this section

1 expire 10 years after the certificate of extension is filed. Judgment remedies for a judgment may be  
2 extended only once under the provisions of this section.

3 (6) A certified copy of a certificate of extension, or a lien record abstract for the certificate,  
4 may be recorded in any county in which the judgment was recorded under ORS 18.152, with the ef-  
5 fect provided by ORS 18.152 (4).

6 (7) Except as provided in ORS 18.185, 18.190 and 18.192, the judgment remedies for the support  
7 award portion of a judgment, and any lump sum money award for unpaid child support installments,  
8 may not be extended under this section.

9 (8) The judgment remedies for a judgment in a criminal action may not be extended under this  
10 section.

11 (9) This section does not apply to justice courts, municipal courts or county courts performing  
12 judicial functions.

13 **SECTION 6.** ORS 18.200 is amended to read:

14 18.200. (1) A judgment creditor may provide a release of lien document to a judgment debtor or  
15 to any other person with an interest in real property to which a judgment lien has attached. The  
16 release of lien document may be for all real property in a county or for a single piece of real  
17 property in a county. A release of lien document may be signed by the judgment creditor, or by any  
18 attorney who represents the creditor. The signature of the judgment creditor or attorney signing a  
19 release of lien document must be witnessed by a notary public.

20 (2) A release of lien document may be filed with the court administrator at any time after a  
21 judgment lien attaches under ORS 18.150. The court administrator shall note in the register and in  
22 the [*separate*] **judgment lien** record [*maintained under ORS 18.075*] that the release of lien document  
23 has been filed, and also shall note whether the release is for all real property in a county or only  
24 for a single piece of real property in a county.

25 (3) A release of lien document may be recorded in any County Clerk Lien Record in which the  
26 judgment was recorded under ORS 18.152.

27 (4) Upon filing or recording under this section, a release of lien document operates to eliminate  
28 any judgment lien arising from the entry or recording of the judgment to the extent reflected in the  
29 document. The filing of a release of lien document does not constitute a full or partial satisfaction  
30 of the judgment.

31 (5) The court administrator may not charge a fee for filing a release of lien document.

32 (6) This section does not apply to justice courts, municipal courts or county courts performing  
33 judicial functions.

34 **SECTION 7.** ORS 18.205 is amended to read:

35 18.205. (1) A judgment creditor may assign all or part of the creditor's rights under a judgment.  
36 An assignment of judgment document must be signed by the judgment creditor, or by an attorney  
37 who represents the judgment creditor. The signature of the judgment creditor or attorney signing  
38 the document must be acknowledged by a notary public. The document may be:

39 (a) Filed with the court administrator for the court in which the judgment was entered, and  
40 upon such filing shall be entered in the register and in the [*separate*] **judgment lien** record [*main-  
41 tained under ORS 18.075*]; or

42 (b) Recorded in any County Clerk Lien Record in which the judgment was recorded under ORS  
43 18.152.

44 (2) Upon filing or recording under this section, an assignment of judgment document operates  
45 to assign the judgment creditor's rights under the judgment to the extent reflected in the document.

1 (3) If this or another state is assigned or subrogated to the support rights of a person under  
2 ORS 418.032, 418.042, 419B.406 or 419C.597 or similar statutes of another state, an assignment of  
3 judgment document bearing the signature of the Administrator of the Division of Child Support of  
4 the Department of Justice or the authorized representative of the administrator may be filed or re-  
5 corded in the same manner as an assignment of judgment document under subsection (1) of this  
6 section and shall have the same effect as an assignment of judgment document signed by the judg-  
7 ment creditor.

8 (4) This section does not apply to justice courts, municipal courts or county courts performing  
9 judicial functions.

10 **SECTION 8.** ORS 18.225 is amended to read:

11 18.225. (1) A satisfaction document may be for full or partial satisfaction of a money award. The  
12 title of the document must indicate whether the money award has been partially or fully satisfied.  
13 A satisfaction document must be signed by the judgment creditor or by an attorney who represents  
14 the judgment creditor. The signature of the judgment creditor or attorney signing a satisfaction  
15 document must be witnessed by a notary public.

16 (2) When the money award portion of a judgment has been fully satisfied, the judgment creditor  
17 must:

18 (a) File a satisfaction document for the full amount of the money award portion of the judgment  
19 in the county in which the judgment was entered; and

20 (b) Deliver to the judgment debtor a satisfaction document for the full amount of the money  
21 award portion of the judgment for every county in which the judgment has been recorded under ORS  
22 18.152.

23 (3) Upon request by a judgment debtor or any person with an interest in real property subject  
24 to a judgment lien, a judgment creditor must provide to the judgment debtor a satisfaction document  
25 for all amounts credited against a money award as of the date that the satisfaction document is  
26 signed.

27 (4) A satisfaction document may be filed with the court administrator at any time after entry  
28 of a judgment. The court administrator may not charge a fee for filing a satisfaction document. The  
29 court administrator shall note in the register and in the *[separate]* **judgment lien** record *[maintained*  
30 *under ORS 18.075]* that the satisfaction document has been filed, and shall note if the document in-  
31 dicates that the money award has been fully satisfied.

32 (5) Upon payment of all required fees, the court administrator shall issue a certified copy of any  
33 satisfaction document filed with the court administrator and entered in the court register. The cer-  
34 tified copy may be recorded in any County Clerk Lien Record in which the judgment was recorded  
35 under ORS 18.152.

36 (6) A satisfaction document for a support award that is paid to the Department of Justice may  
37 be filed with the court administrator only as provided in ORS 18.228.

38 (7) This section does not apply to justice courts, municipal courts or county courts performing  
39 judicial functions.

40 **SECTION 9.** ORS 18.228 is amended to read:

41 18.228. (1) If a support award is paid to the Department of Justice, the judgment creditor may  
42 receive credit for satisfaction of the judgment only in the manner provided by this section. The de-  
43 partment may provide judgment creditors with forms and instructions for satisfaction of support  
44 awards under this section.

45 (2) Any satisfaction document for a support award described in subsection (1) of this section

1 must be mailed to or delivered to the Department of Justice, and not to the court administrator.  
2 The department shall credit the amounts reflected in the satisfaction document to the support award  
3 pay records maintained by the department. Except as provided in subsection (3) of this section, the  
4 department shall not credit amounts against the support award pay records to the extent that the  
5 judgment is assigned or subrogated to this or another state. The Department of Justice shall there-  
6 after promptly forward the satisfaction document to the court administrator for the court in which  
7 the money award was entered, together with a certificate from the department stating the amounts  
8 reflected as paid in the support award pay records maintained by the department. The court ad-  
9 ministrator shall note in the register as paid only the amount stated in the certificate, and not the  
10 amount shown on the satisfaction document.

11 (3) If a support award has been assigned to this state, the Department of Justice may satisfy the  
12 support award to the extent of the assignment. The department may credit the amounts reflected in  
13 the satisfaction document to the support award pay records maintained by the department and file  
14 the satisfaction document with the court administrator for the court in which the money award was  
15 entered, together with a certificate from the department stating the amounts reflected as paid in the  
16 support award pay records. The court administrator shall note in the register and in the [*separate*]  
17 **judgment lien** record [*maintained under ORS 18.075*] the amount of satisfaction shown on the cer-  
18 tificate, and not the amount shown on the satisfaction document.

19 (4) Unless a judgment requires that payments under a support award be paid to the Department  
20 of Justice or enforcement services are provided pursuant to ORS 25.080, all satisfaction documents  
21 for a support award must be filed with the court administrator.

22 **SECTION 10.** ORS 18.235 is amended to read:

23 18.235. (1) A judgment debtor or person with an interest in real property against which a judg-  
24 ment lien exists may move the court for an order declaring that a money award has been satisfied  
25 or for a determination of the amount necessary to satisfy the money award, when the person cannot  
26 otherwise obtain a satisfaction document from a judgment creditor.

27 (2) Motions under this section shall be filed in the action in which the judgment was entered.  
28 All proceedings on the motion shall be conducted as part of the action in which the judgment was  
29 entered. An appearance fee may not be charged for filing a motion under this section.

30 (3) A motion under this section must include the following information, to the extent known to  
31 the person making the motion:

32 (a) The date of entry and principal amount of the money award.

33 (b) The rate of interest and the date the interest commenced to accrue.

34 (c) The date or dates and amounts of any payments on the money award.

35 (d) Any amount that the person believes remains to be paid on the money award, including any  
36 supporting mathematical calculations.

37 (e) Any other information necessary or helpful to the court in making its determination.

38 (4) A person making a motion under this section must serve the motion on the judgment credi-  
39 tor. If the person making the motion is not the judgment debtor, the person also must serve the  
40 motion and supporting affidavit on the judgment debtor. If an assignment of judgment document has  
41 been filed with the court under ORS 18.205, the motion must be served on the person named as the  
42 assignee of the judgment. Service on the judgment creditor and judgment debtor under this sub-  
43 section may be made as provided in ORCP 9 if the motion is filed within one year after entry of the  
44 judgment. If the motion is filed more than one year after entry of the judgment, or service is to be  
45 made on an assignee of the judgment, the motion may either be personally served as provided in

1 ORCP 7, or be served by certified mail, return receipt requested with signed receipt. The court may  
2 waive service on any person under this subsection if the person making the motion files an affidavit  
3 with the court stating that the person cannot be found after diligent effort by the person making the  
4 motion. The party making the motion shall file proof of service with the court.

5 (5) A person served with a motion under this section must file a response within 21 days after  
6 service is made, or within such time as may be allowed by the court. The response must specifically  
7 identify those assertions in the motion that the person contests. The response must contain any in-  
8 formation or mathematical calculations necessary to support the contentions of the responding  
9 party.

10 (6) The court shall hear the motion not less than seven days after notice of hearing is given to  
11 the person filing the motion and to the parties served with the motion. The court shall hear and  
12 determine the issues in a summary fashion without a jury. The court shall give the parties a rea-  
13 sonable opportunity to present evidence relevant to any factual issues.

14 (7) If the court determines that the person making the motion is entitled to relief, the court shall  
15 issue an order providing that the money award has been satisfied in full or, if the money award has  
16 not been satisfied in full, the specific amount that will satisfy the judgment on a specific date or  
17 within a period of time specified in the order.

18 (8) If the court finds that the judgment creditor willfully failed to provide a satisfaction docu-  
19 ment under ORS 18.225, the court may render a supplemental judgment awarding reasonable attor-  
20 ney fees to the person making the motion. The supplemental judgment may provide that the  
21 demanding party may satisfy the judgment by paying such amounts the court determines to be nec-  
22 essary to satisfy the judgment less that sum of money the court awards as attorney fees.

23 (9) If the court finds that the money award has been satisfied, or if the amount specified by the  
24 court is paid to the court administrator within the time specified by the court, the court adminis-  
25 trator shall note in the register and in the [*separate*] **judgment lien** record [*maintained under ORS*  
26 *18.075*] that the money award has been satisfied in full. The court administrator shall deliver any  
27 money paid to the court administrator to the party or parties specified in the court's order.

28 (10) Upon request of the judgment debtor or person making the motion, the court administrator  
29 shall issue a certificate indicating that the money award has been satisfied. The certificate may be  
30 recorded in any County Clerk Lien Record in which the judgment was recorded under ORS 18.152.  
31 Recording of the certificate eliminates any judgment lien that was created by the recording of the  
32 judgment.

33 (11) At least five days before filing a motion under this section, the person must serve by per-  
34 sonal delivery or first class mail a copy of the motion on the Administrator of the Division of Child  
35 Support of the Department of Justice, or on the branch office of the Department of Justice providing  
36 support services to the county in which the motion will be made, if:

37 (a) The motion relates to satisfaction of a support award; and

38 (b) Child support rights, as defined in ORS 25.010, for the judgment creditor have been assigned  
39 to the state.

40 (12) This section does not apply to justice courts, municipal courts or county courts performing  
41 judicial functions.

42 **SECTION 11.** ORS 46.488, as amended by section 78, chapter 737, Oregon Laws 2003, is  
43 amended to read:

44 46.488. (1) A judgment creditor may not create a judgment lien for a judgment entered in the  
45 small claims department of a circuit court if the money award is less than \$10, exclusive of costs



1 and disbursements. A judgment creditor may create a judgment lien for a judgment entered in the  
2 small claims department of a circuit court in an amount of \$10 or more and less than \$3,000, ex-  
3 clusive of costs and disbursements, only as provided in subsection (3) of this section.

4 (2) If a judgment is rendered in the small claims department in an amount of \$3,000 or more, the  
5 clerk shall note in the register of the circuit court that the judgment creates a judgment lien if the  
6 judgment otherwise complies with the requirements of ORS chapter 18 for creating a judgment lien.  
7 A judgment creditor may create a lien for the judgment in other counties in the manner provided  
8 by ORS 18.152.

9 (3) When a judgment is entered in the small claims department in an amount of \$10 or more and  
10 less than \$3,000, exclusive of costs or disbursements, a judgment creditor may at any time before  
11 expiration of judgment remedies for the judgment under ORS 18.180 create a judgment lien for the  
12 judgment by paying to the clerk of the court that entered the judgment the fees established by ORS  
13 21.325 (1) and (2) and requesting that the clerk of the court note in the register[,] and in the [*sepa-*  
14 *rate*] **judgment lien** record [*maintained under ORS 18.075,*] that the judgment creates a judgment  
15 lien. Upon receipt of the fees and request for creating a judgment lien, the clerk shall note in the  
16 register that the judgment creates a judgment lien. Upon entry of the notation in the register, the  
17 judgment creates a lien as described in ORS 18.150, and a judgment creditor may create a lien for  
18 the judgment in other counties in the manner provided by ORS 18.152.

19 **SECTION 12.** ORS 52.635, as amended by section 81, chapter 737, Oregon Laws 2003, is  
20 amended to read:

21 52.635. (1) After a judgment that includes a money award is docketed in a justice court, a cer-  
22 tified copy of the judgment or a lien record abstract for the judgment may be recorded in the County  
23 Clerk Lien Record for the county that contains the justice court that rendered the judgment. The  
24 certified copy or lien record abstract may be recorded by the judgment creditor or by the agent of  
25 the judgment creditor at any time after the judgment is rendered and before the judgment expires  
26 under ORS 18.194 or is fully satisfied. From the time the certified copy of the judgment or the lien  
27 record abstract is recorded in the County Clerk Lien Record, the judgment is a lien upon the real  
28 property of the defendant in the county.

29 (2) In lieu of recording a certified copy of a judgment or a lien record abstract for a judgment  
30 under subsection (1) of this section, a judgment that includes a money award rendered by a justice  
31 court in a civil action may be transcribed to the circuit court for the county that contains the jus-  
32 tice court that rendered the judgment. The judgment may be transcribed by the filing of a certified  
33 transcript of the judgment with the clerk of the circuit court. The transcript must contain a copy  
34 of all the docket entries made in the case and the judgment as rendered by the justice court, certi-  
35 fied to be a true and correct transcript from the original entries by the justice court. Upon filing  
36 of the certified transcript, the clerk shall enter the transcribed judgment in the register of the cir-  
37 cuit court and in the [*separate*] **judgment lien** record [*maintained under ORS 18.075*]. The clerk shall  
38 note in the register that the transcribed judgment creates a judgment lien. A judgment in a criminal  
39 action may not be transcribed to circuit court under the provisions of this subsection.

40 (3) A certified copy of a judgment docketed in a justice court, or a lien record abstract for the  
41 judgment, may be recorded in any County Clerk Lien Record. The judgment or lien record abstract  
42 may be recorded in a county other than the county that contains the justice court that rendered the  
43 judgment without transcribing the justice court judgment to the circuit court for the county that  
44 contains the justice court that rendered the judgment, or recording a certified copy of the judgment  
45 or a lien record abstract for the judgment in the County Clerk Lien Record for the county that

1 contains the justice court. If the judgment has been transcribed to circuit court, or a certified copy  
 2 of the judgment or a lien record abstract for the judgment has been recorded in any County Clerk  
 3 Lien Record, a lien record abstract for the judgment in the form provided by ORS 18.170 may be  
 4 recorded in the County Clerk Lien Record for any other county. From the time the certified copy  
 5 of the judgment or lien record abstract for the judgment is recorded in the County Clerk Lien Re-  
 6 cord of another county, the judgment is a lien upon the real property of the defendant in that  
 7 county.

8 (4) A certified copy of a certificate of extension filed under ORS 18.194, or a lien record abstract  
 9 for the certificate of extension, may be transcribed to circuit court or recorded in a County Clerk  
 10 Lien Record in the same manner as provided for judgments under this section and with like effect.

11 (5) The transcribing of a justice court judgment to circuit court under this section, or the re-  
 12 cording of a certified copy of a justice court judgment or a lien record abstract under this section,  
 13 does not extend the lien of the judgment more than 10 years from the original entry of the judgment  
 14 in the justice court.

15 (6) The fee for filing a transcript with the clerk of the circuit court under subsection (2) of this  
 16 section shall be as provided in ORS 21.325 (2). The fee for recording a certified copy of a justice  
 17 court judgment or a lien record abstract under this section shall be as provided in ORS 205.320.

18 (7) A justice court and circuit court may enter into an agreement to allow for electronic tran-  
 19 scription of justice court judgments under this section. A justice court and county clerk may enter  
 20 into an agreement to allow for electronic recording of judgments and lien record abstracts under  
 21 this section.

22 **SECTION 13.** ORS 87.450 is amended to read:

23 87.450. (1) When an attorney claims a lien under ORS 87.445, if the judgment is for a sum of  
 24 money only, the attorney must file a notice of claim of lien with the clerk of the court that entered  
 25 the judgment within three years after the judgment is entered. The clerk shall enter the notice in  
 26 the register of the court and in the *[separate]* **judgment lien** record maintained by the court ad-  
 27 ministrator under ORS 18.075.

28 (2) When an attorney files a notice of claim of lien under subsection (1) of this section, the at-  
 29 torney shall send forthwith a copy of the notice to the client by registered or certified mail sent to  
 30 the client at the last-known address of the client.

31 (3) A lien under ORS 87.445 on a judgment for a sum of money only remains a lien on the  
 32 judgment until the judgment remedies for the judgment expire under ORS 18.180 to 18.192.

33 (4) For purposes of this section, a “judgment for a sum of money only” does not include a  
 34 judgment or order for the payment of money for the support of any person under ORS 107.095,  
 35 107.105, 108.120, 109.155, 419B.400 or 419C.590.

36 **SECTION 14.** ORS 416.440 is amended to read:

37 416.440. (1) The documents required to be filed for purposes of subsection (2) of this section in-  
 38 clude all the following:

39 (a) A true copy of any order entered, filed or registered by the administrator or administrative  
 40 law judge pursuant to ORS 416.400 to 416.465 or ORS chapter 110.

41 (b) A true copy of the return of service, if applicable.

42 (c) A separate statement containing the information required to be contained in a judgment  
 43 under ORS 18.042 (2).

44 (2) The documents described under subsection (1) of this section shall be filed in the office of  
 45 the clerk of the circuit court in the county in which either the parent or the dependent child resides

1 or in the county where the court order was entered if the administrative order is an order modifying  
2 a court order. Upon receipt of the documents, the clerk shall enter the order in the register of the  
3 circuit court, shall note in the register that the order creates a lien and shall make the notations  
4 required by ORS 18.075 in the *[separate]* **judgment lien** record maintained under ORS 18.075 [(3)].

5 (3) Upon entry in the register under subsection (2) of this section, the order shall have all the  
6 force, effect and attributes of a judgment of the circuit court, including but not limited to:

7 (a) Creation of a judgment lien under ORS chapter 18; and

8 (b) Ability to be enforced by contempt proceedings and pursuant to ORS 18.252 to 18.993.

9 (4) Notwithstanding subsection (3) of this section, an administrative order modifying a court  
10 order shall not become effective until reviewed and approved by the court under ORS 416.425 (10).

11 (5) Notwithstanding subsections (2) and (3) of this section, the entry in the register of an order  
12 of the administrator or administrative law judge does not preclude any subsequent proceeding or  
13 remedy available under ORS 416.400 to 416.465.

14 (6) A court or administrative order of another state may be filed, or if appropriate, registered,  
15 pursuant to this section for the purposes of ORS chapter 110. Notwithstanding any other provision  
16 of this chapter, an order of another state registered pursuant to ORS 110.405, 110.408 and 110.411  
17 may not be modified unless the requirements of ORS 110.432 are met.

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19 **MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT**

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21 **SECTION 15.** ORCP 47 C is amended to read:

22 **C Motion and proceedings thereon.** The motion and all supporting documents shall be served  
23 and filed at least 60 days before the date set for trial. The adverse party shall have 20 days in which  
24 to serve and file opposing affidavits or declarations and supporting documents. The moving party  
25 shall have five days to reply. The court shall have discretion to modify these stated times. The court  
26 shall *[enter judgment for the moving party]* **grant the motion** if the pleadings, depositions, affidavits,  
27 declarations and admissions on file show that there is no genuine issue as to any material fact and  
28 that the moving party is entitled to *[a judgment]* **prevail** as a matter of law. No genuine issue as to  
29 a material fact exists if, based upon the record before the court viewed in a manner most favorable  
30 to the adverse party, no objectively reasonable juror could return a verdict for the adverse party  
31 on the matter that is the subject of the motion for summary judgment. The adverse party has the  
32 burden of producing evidence on any issue raised in the motion as to which the adverse party would  
33 have the burden of persuasion at trial. The adverse party may satisfy the burden of producing ev-  
34 idence with an affidavit or a declaration under section E of this rule. A summary judgment,  
35 interlocutory in character, may be rendered on the issue of liability alone although there is a gen-  
36 uine issue as to the amount of damages.

37 **SECTION 16.** ORCP 47 D is amended to read:

38 **D Form of affidavits and declarations; defense required.** Except as provided by section E of this  
39 rule, supporting and opposing affidavits and declarations shall be made on personal knowledge, shall  
40 set forth such facts as would be admissible in evidence, and shall show affirmatively that the affiant  
41 or declarant is competent to testify to the matters stated therein. Sworn or certified copies of all  
42 papers or parts thereof referred to in an affidavit or a declaration shall be attached thereto or  
43 served therewith. The court may permit affidavits or declarations to be supplemented or opposed  
44 by depositions or further affidavits or declarations. When a motion for summary judgment is made  
45 and supported as provided in this rule an adverse party may not rest upon the mere allegations or

1 denials of that party's pleading, but the adverse party's response, by affidavits, declarations or as  
2 otherwise provided in this section, must set forth specific facts showing that there is a genuine issue  
3 as to any material fact for trial. If the adverse party does not so respond, [*summary judgment, if*  
4 *appropriate, shall be entered against such party*] **the court shall grant the motion if appropriate.**

5 **SECTION 17.** ORCP 47 F is amended to read:

6 **F** **When affidavits or declarations are unavailable.** Should it appear from the affidavits or dec-  
7 larations of a party opposing the motion that such party cannot, for reasons stated, present by af-  
8 fidavit or declaration facts essential to justify the opposition of that party, the court may [*refuse the*  
9 *application for judgment,*] **deny the motion** or may order a continuance to permit affidavits or dec-  
10 larations to be obtained or depositions to be taken or discovery to be had, or may make such other  
11 order as is just.

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13 **MISCELLANEOUS**  
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15 **SECTION 18.** **The unit captions used in this 2007 Act are provided only for the conven-**  
16 **ience of the reader and do not become part of the statutory law of this state or express any**  
17 **legislative intent in the enactment of this 2007 Act.**