

Senate Bill 860

Sponsored by Senator DECKERT (at the request of Bruce Markeson)

SUMMARY

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Increases time that person claiming lien for costs of removing, towing or storage of motor vehicle appraised at value of \$1,000 or less must retain motor vehicle after lien attaches.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to foreclosure of liens on motor vehicles; creating new provisions; and amending ORS
3 87.172.

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

5 **SECTION 1.** ORS 87.172 is amended to read:

6 87.172. (1) Except as otherwise provided in this section, a person claiming a lien under ORS
7 87.152 to 87.162 must retain the chattel that is subject to the lien for at least 60 days after the lien
8 attaches to the chattel before foreclosing the lien.

9 (2) A person claiming a lien under ORS 87.152 for cost of care, materials and services bestowed
10 on an animal must retain the animal for at least 30 days after the lien attaches to the animal before
11 foreclosing the lien. If the animal is a dog or cat, the period shall be at least 15 days.

12 (3) A person claiming a lien under ORS 87.152 for the cost of removing, towing or storage of a
13 **motor** vehicle that is appraised by a person who holds a certificate issued under ORS 819.230 to
14 have a value of:

15 (a) \$1,000 or less but more than \$500, must retain the **motor** vehicle at least [30] **45** days after
16 the lien attaches to the **motor** vehicle before foreclosing the lien.

17 (b) \$500 or less, must retain the **motor** vehicle at least [15] **30** days after the lien attaches to
18 the **motor** vehicle before foreclosing the lien.

19 **SECTION 2.** The amendments to ORS 87.172 by section 1 of this 2007 Act apply to liens
20 for the cost of removing, towing or storage of motor vehicles that attach on or after the
21 effective date of this 2007 Act.
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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.