

# House Bill 3028

Sponsored by Representative HUNT (at the request of Susan and Eric Shawn)

## SUMMARY

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Permits person to operate low-speed vehicle on highway with speed limit of 45 miles per hour or less. Provides for cities and counties to adopt exceptions.

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to low-speed vehicles; creating new provisions; and amending ORS 811.512.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** ORS 811.512 is amended to read:

5 811.512. (1) A person commits the offense of unlawfully operating a low-speed vehicle on a  
6 highway if the person operates a low-speed vehicle on a highway that has a speed limit or posted  
7 speed of more than [35] **45** miles per hour.

8 (2) Notwithstanding subsection (1) of this section, a city or county may adopt an ordinance al-  
9 lowing operation of low-speed vehicles on city streets or county roads that have speed limits or  
10 posted speeds of more than [35] **45** miles per hour.

11 (3) The offense described in this section, unlawfully operating a low-speed vehicle on a highway,  
12 is a Class B traffic violation.

13 **SECTION 2.** **The amendments to ORS 811.512 by section 1 of this 2009 Act apply to of-**  
14 **fenses committed on or after the effective date of this 2009 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.