

Senate Bill 954

Sponsored by COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

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 **as introduced**.

Creates crime of failure to report loss or theft of firearm. Punishes by maximum of 30 days' imprisonment, \$1,250 fine, or both.

Directs Oregon State Police to maintain registry of firearms lost or stolen in Oregon.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to firearms.

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

4 **SECTION 1. (1) A person commits the crime of failure to report loss or theft of a firearm**
5 **if the person who owns or possesses a firearm as defined in ORS 166.210 fails to report the**
6 **loss or theft of the firearm within 48 hours of the time the person discovers or should have**
7 **discovered the loss or theft to a law enforcement agency having jurisdiction where the loss**
8 **or theft occurred or where the person making the report resides.**

9 (2) Failure to report the loss or theft of a firearm is a Class C misdemeanor.

10 **SECTION 2. (1) The Oregon State Police shall maintain a registry of firearms lost or**
11 **stolen in this state.**

12 (2) The registry must include the following information:

13 (a) The make, model, caliber and manufacturer's number, if known, and other informa-
14 tion identifying the firearm;

15 (b) The date on which the loss or theft occurred or was discovered;

16 (c) The date on which the loss or theft was reported;

17 (d) The name, address and telephone number of the lawful owner; and

18 (e) The name, address and telephone number of the person who made the report under
19 section 1 of this 2009 Act.

20 **SECTION 3. Section 1 of this 2009 Act applies to conduct occurring on or after the ef-**
21 **fective date of this 2009 Act.**

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