

House Bill 2830

Sponsored by Representative WITT (Presession filed.)

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**.

Provides that crime of failure to report as sex offender after moving to new residence is committed in county in which person last reported and all counties in this state in which person has resided since last reporting.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to failure to report as a sex offender; creating new provisions; and amending ORS 181.599.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** ORS 181.599 is amended to read:

5 181.599. (1) A person who is required to report as a sex offender under ORS 181.595, 181.596 or
6 181.597 and who has knowledge of the reporting requirement commits the crime of failure to report
7 as a sex offender if the person:

8 (a) Fails to make the initial report to an agency;

9 (b) Fails to report when the person works at, carries on a vocation at or attends an institution
10 of higher education;

11 (c) Fails to report following a change of school enrollment or employment status, including en-
12 rollment, employment or vocation status at an institution of higher education;

13 (d) Moves to a new residence and fails to report the move and the person's new address;

14 (e) Fails to make an annual report;

15 (f) Fails to provide complete and accurate information;

16 (g) Fails to sign the sex offender registration form as required; or

17 (h) Fails to submit to fingerprinting or to having a photograph taken of the person's face, iden-
18 tifying scars, marks or tattoos.

19 **(2) Failure to report as a sex offender after moving to a new residence is committed in**
20 **the county in which the person last reported and all counties in this state in which the per-**
21 **son has resided since last reporting.**

22 [(2)] **(3)** Except as otherwise provided in subsection [(3)] **(4)** of this section, failure to report as
23 a sex offender is a Class A misdemeanor.

24 [(3)] **(4)** Failure to report as a sex offender is a Class C felony if the person violates:

25 (a) Subsection (1)(a) of this section; or

26 (b) Subsection (1)(b), (c), (d) or (g) of this section and the crime for which the person is required
27 to report is a felony.

28 [(4)] **(5)** A person who fails to sign and return an address verification form as required by ORS
29 181.598 (2) commits a violation.

30 **SECTION 2. The amendments to ORS 181.599 by section 1 of this 2011 Act apply to**
31 **changes of residence made on or after the effective date of this 2011 Act.**

NOTE: Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter [*italic and bracketed*] is existing law to be omitted.
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