## A-Engrossed Senate Bill 846

Ordered by the Senate April 27 Including Senate Amendments dated April 27

Sponsored by Senator PROZANSKI, Representatives HOYLE, GREENLICK; Senator DINGFELDER, Representative READ

## 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.

[Directs Department of Transportation to adopt standards for bicycle trailers designed for human passengers.]

[Prohibits sale of bicycle trailers that do not meet standards adopted by department.]

Requires persons engaged in manufacturing bicycle trailers designed for human passengers to affix labels on trailers to inform purchasers whether trailer meets certain specifications.

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## A BILL FOR AN ACT

2 Relating to bicycle trailers.

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

4 <u>SECTION 1.</u> (1) A person engaged in the business of manufacturing bicycle trailers for

5 sale in this state that are designed for human passengers shall affix on each bicycle trailer

6 a label that informs the purchaser whether or not the bicycle trailer conforms to ASTM

7 International specification F1975-09, "Standard Specification for Nonpowered Bicycle Trailers

8 Designed for Human Passengers," as in effect on January 1, 2011.

9 (2) In addition to any other remedy provided by law, an individual who purchases a bicy-10 cle trailer designed for human passengers that does not have a label affixed to the bicycle 11 trailer as required in subsection (1) of this section may bring a civil action to recover actual 12 damages against the manufacturer. A court shall award a prevailing plaintiff reasonable

13 costs and attorney fees.

(3) An action brought under this section shall be commenced within two years from the
date the individual purchased the bicycle trailer.

<u>SECTION 2.</u> Section 1 of this 2011 Act applies to bicycle trailers designed for human
passengers sold on or after the effective date of this 2011 Act.

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