

**B-Engrossed**  
**House Bill 2421**

Ordered by the House July 3  
Including House Amendments dated February 25 and July 3

Sponsored by Representative MATTHEWS; Representatives CLEM, FREDERICK, PARRISH, Senator ROBLAN  
(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.

Requires Director of Transportation to notify Director of Veterans' Affairs upon receipt of certain written information from member or veteran of uniformed service, if authorized to do so by member or veteran. Restricts notification to name and address of member or veteran.

**Becomes operative January 1, 2014.**

**Appropriates moneys from General Fund to Department of Transportation to carry out provisions of Act.**

**Declares emergency, effective July 1, 2013.**

**A BILL FOR AN ACT**

1  
2 Relating to communication between state agencies regarding members of uniformed services; ap-  
3 propriating money; and declaring an emergency.

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

5 **SECTION 1. (1) As used in this section:**

6 (a) **"Uniformed service" means the Armed Forces of the United States, the Army Na-**  
7 **tional Guard or the Air National Guard when the member is engaged in active duty for**  
8 **training, inactive duty for training or full-time National Guard duty, the commissioned corps**  
9 **of the United States Public Health Service and any other category of persons designated by**  
10 **the President of the United States in time of war or national emergency.**

11 (b) **"Written information" means information that is in written form and includes but is**  
12 **not limited to information obtained by electronic means, such as electronic mail, facsimile**  
13 **or other form of electronic communication.**

14 (2)(a) **Subject to subsection (3) of this section, the Director of Transportation shall notify**  
15 **the Director of Veterans' Affairs at least once a month regarding receipt of written infor-**  
16 **mation from a member or veteran of a uniformed service when the Department of Trans-**  
17 **portation receives the written information in connection with an application for:**

18 (A) **A license under ORS 807.050;**

19 (B) **An identification card under ORS 807.400;**

20 (C) **A certificate of title under ORS 803.050; or**

21 (D) **A vehicle registration under ORS 803.370.**

22 (b) **The notification required under this subsection is limited to notifying the Director**  
23 **of Veterans' Affairs of the name and residence address or mailing address of the member**  
24 **or veteran.**

25 (c) **The authorization of a member or veteran as required by subsection (3) of this section**

**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.

1 may be contained in the written information at the time it is received by the department or  
2 separately at another time, but the authorization must specifically authorize the notification  
3 to be made under this section.

4 (3) The Director of Transportation shall notify the Director of Veterans' Affairs as re-  
5 quired by subsection (2) of this section only if authorized to do so in writing by the member  
6 or veteran of a uniformed service.

7 (4) The Department of Transportation, in consultation with the Department of Veterans'  
8 Affairs, shall adopt rules to implement the provisions of this section, including but not lim-  
9 ited to the method of notification required under subsection (2) of this section.

10 **SECTION 2.** Section 1 of this 2013 Act becomes operative on January 1, 2014.

11 **SECTION 3.** In addition to and not in lieu of any other appropriation, there is appropri-  
12 ated to the Department of Transportation, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2013, out of the  
13 General Fund, the amount of \$100,000 for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of sec-  
14 tion 1 of this 2013 Act.

15 **SECTION 4.** This 2013 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public  
16 peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2013 Act takes effect  
17 July 1, 2013.

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