

Senate Bill 751

Sponsored by Senator DEMBROW, Representative KENY-GUYER (at the request of Donate Life Northwest)

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**.

Establishes Organ Donor Registry and Public Awareness Fund.
Directs Department of Transportation to accept donations to fund.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to the Organ Donor Registry and Public Awareness Fund.

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

SECTION 1. (1) **The Organ Donor Registry and Public Awareness Fund is established in the State Treasury, separate and distinct from the General Fund. Interest earned by the Organ Donor Registry and Public Awareness Fund shall be credited to the fund. Moneys in the fund are continuously appropriated to the Department of Transportation as provided in this section.**

(2) **The fund shall consist of any moneys directed to the fund by law, gift, grant or donation.**

(3) **The department shall transfer the moneys in the fund to the organ procurement organization that has established a donor registry in this state, for the purpose of conducting statewide outreach and public education related to anatomical gifts.**

(4) **As used in this section:**

(a) **"Anatomical gift" has the meaning given that term in ORS 97.953.**

(b) **"Donor registry" has the meaning given that term in ORS 97.953.**

(c) **"Organ procurement organization" has the meaning given that term in ORS 97.953.**

SECTION 2. (1) **The Department of Transportation shall accept donations of \$3 or more for the Organ Donor Registry and Public Awareness Fund whenever a person:**

(a) **Applies for a driver permit, driver license or identification card;**

(b) **Renews a driver permit, driver license or identification card; or**

(c) **Applies for the renewal of vehicle registration online.**

(2) **The form a person must use to apply or renew as described in subsection (1) of this section must notify the person of the option to donate to the fund.**

(3) **The department may establish a program to accept donations of \$3 or more for the fund whenever a person applies for the renewal of vehicle registration in a field office of the department.**

(4) **After deducting the expenses for collecting and transferring a donation under this section, the department shall transfer the moneys to the Organ Donor Registry and Public Awareness Fund established under section 1 of this 2015 Act.**

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.