

SB 930 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY
House Committee On Transportation Policy

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WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Allows registered owner of a vehicle to black out or obscure the residence address, business address, mailing address or vehicle address shown on registration card and on proof of insurance or other current proof of compliance.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Danger of having personally identifiable information easily accessible in case of a car break-in or stolen vehicle
- Division of Driver and Motor Vehicles Services maintains information on registration

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

The Driver and Motor Vehicle Services Division (DMV) of the Oregon Department of Transportation is the entity responsible for licensing individuals to operate motor vehicles on the state's public road system, and also for titling and registering vehicles to operate on Oregon roads. Most vehicles are registered for four years when purchased brand new, with subsequent renewals effective for a period of two years. Registration for most passenger vehicles is \$43 per year.

Vehicle registration documents provided by DMV are required to include the name of the registered owner, the make, model and model year of the vehicle, the vehicle identification number (VIN), the mileage of the vehicle at the time of initial Oregon title or most recent title transfer, and any additional information required by the Department. This "other information" includes the address of the registered owner. Senate Bill 930 allows the registered owner to obscure the address information on the registration document issued them for security purposes; DMV will maintain such information in its records.