

House Bill 2598

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(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**.

Expands offense of vehicular assault to include contact with motorcycle, motorcycle operator or motorcycle passenger.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to the offense of vehicular assault; creating new provisions; and amending ORS 811.060.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** ORS 811.060 is amended to read:

5 811.060. (1) For the purposes of this section, "recklessly" has the meaning given that term in
6 ORS 161.085.

7 (2) A person commits the offense of vehicular assault [*of a bicyclist or pedestrian*] if:

8 (a) The person recklessly operates a vehicle upon a highway in a manner that results in contact
9 between the person's vehicle and:

10 (A) A bicycle operated by a person[,];

11 (B) A person operating a bicycle [*or a pedestrian*]; [*and*]

12 (C) **A motorcycle operated by a person;**

13 (D) **A person operating a motorcycle;**

14 (E) **A passenger on a motorcycle; or**

15 (F) **A pedestrian; and**

16 (b) The contact causes physical injury to the person operating a bicycle, **the person operating**
17 **a motorcycle, the passenger on a motorcycle** or the pedestrian.

18 (3) The offense described in this section, vehicular assault [*of a bicyclist or pedestrian*], is a Class
19 A misdemeanor.

20 **SECTION 2. The amendments to ORS 811.060 by section 1 of this 2017 Act apply to con-**
21 **duct occurring on or after the effective date of this 2017 Act.**

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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.