

Senate Bill 375

Sponsored by Senators HANSELL, ROBLAN; Senators DEMBROW, GELSER, JOHNSON, MONROE, OLSEN, RILEY, WINTERS, Representative BARRETO (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**.

Directs certain agencies to allow informational materials about human trafficking to be posted at roadside rest areas.

Establishes Department of Transportation Human Trafficking Awareness Fund.

Establishes State Parks and Recreation Department Human Trafficking Awareness Fund.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

1
2 Relating to posting at roadside rest areas informational materials on human trafficking; creating
3 new provisions; and amending ORS 377.841.

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

5 **SECTION 1.** (1) **As used in this section, "nonprofit organization" means an organization**
6 **described in section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code that is exempt from income tax**
7 **under section 501(a) of the Internal Revenue Code.**

8 (2) **A nonprofit organization may supply to the Department of Transportation, the State**
9 **Parks and Recreation Department and the Travel Information Council copies of informa-**
10 **tional materials about human trafficking.**

11 (3) **The organization may not charge the agencies for the informational materials.**

12 (4) **The informational materials may not include information on topics other than human**
13 **trafficking. The materials must be limited in content to objectively verifiable information,**
14 **except that the materials may include logos, symbols, graphics or similar devices, and must**
15 **include the following:**

16 (a) **At least one toll-free hotline telephone number;**

17 (b) **At least one hotline text messaging number; and**

18 (c) **Translated versions of the information in languages other than English that are most**
19 **commonly spoken in this state.**

20 (5) **The form of the informational materials must include, but need not be limited to,**
21 **posters.**

22 (6) **Except as provided in this subsection, each agency described in subsection (2) of this**
23 **section shall allow informational materials to be posted in conspicuous locations in each**
24 **roadside rest area that the agency manages, including, but not limited to, in each rest room**
25 **stall. If an agency determines that the materials have offensive or inappropriate content, the**
26 **agency may refuse to display the materials or otherwise assist in distributing the materials.**

27 (7) **Each agency described in subsection (2) of this section may administer a volunteer**
28 **program to assist with posting and maintaining the informational materials described in this**
29 **section. Each agency may adopt rules it considers necessary for the implementation of the**
30 **volunteer program.**

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 **SECTION 2.** (1) Section 1 of this 2017 Act and the amendments to ORS 377.841 by section
 2 5 of this 2017 Act become operative on the date the last agency adopts rules described in
 3 subsections (2) and (3) of this section.

4 (2) When the Department of Transportation determines that it has received a sufficient
 5 legislative appropriation or other funding to cover the costs of carrying out the provisions
 6 of section 1 of this 2017 Act and the amendments to ORS 377.841 by section 5 of this 2017
 7 Act, the department shall adopt rules so indicating.

8 (3) When the State Parks and Recreation Department determines that it has received a
 9 sufficient legislative appropriation or other funding to cover the costs of carrying out the
 10 provisions of section 1 of this 2017 Act, the department shall adopt rules so indicating.

11 (4) The agencies described in this section shall notify the Legislative Counsel upon
 12 adoption of rules under this section.

13 **SECTION 3.** (1) The Department of Transportation Human Trafficking Awareness Fund
 14 is established in the State Treasury, separate and distinct from the General Fund. Interest
 15 earned by the Department of Transportation Human Trafficking Awareness Fund shall be
 16 credited to the fund. Moneys in the fund are continuously appropriated to the Department
 17 of Transportation to pay for the expenses incurred in carrying out the provisions of section
 18 1 of this 2017 Act. The fund consists of moneys appropriated or transferred to the fund and
 19 moneys received under subsection (2) of this section.

20 (2) The department may receive gifts, grants or contributions from any source, whether
 21 public or private, to carry out the provisions of section 1 of this 2017 Act. Moneys received
 22 under this subsection shall be deposited in the Department of Transportation Human Traf-
 23 ficking Awareness Fund.

24 **SECTION 4.** (1) The State Parks and Recreation Department Human Trafficking Aware-
 25 ness Fund is established in the State Treasury, separate and distinct from the General Fund.
 26 Interest earned by the State Parks and Recreation Department Human Trafficking Aware-
 27 ness Fund shall be credited to the fund. Moneys in the fund are continuously appropriated
 28 to the State Parks and Recreation Department to pay for the expenses incurred in carrying
 29 out the provisions of section 1 of this 2017 Act. The fund consists of moneys appropriated
 30 or transferred to the fund and moneys received under subsection (2) of this section.

31 (2) The department may receive gifts, grants or contributions from any source, whether
 32 public or private, to carry out the provisions of section 1 of this 2017 Act. Moneys received
 33 under this subsection shall be deposited in the State Parks and Recreation Department Hu-
 34 man Trafficking Awareness Fund.

35 **SECTION 5.** ORS 377.841 is amended to read:

36 377.841. (1) The Travel Information Council shall manage, maintain, improve and develop for
 37 local economic development and other purposes identified in ORS 377.705 roadside rest areas along
 38 the following highways:

- 39 (a) Interstate 5, northbound, near milepost 63.
- 40 (b) Interstate 5, southbound, near milepost 63.
- 41 (c) Interstate 5, northbound, near milepost 143.
- 42 (d) Interstate 5, southbound, near milepost 143.
- 43 (e) Interstate 5, northbound, near milepost 178.
- 44 (f) Interstate 5, southbound, near milepost 178.
- 45 (g) Interstate 5, northbound, near milepost 206.

- 1 (h) Interstate 5, southbound, near milepost 206.
- 2 (i) Interstate 5, northbound, near milepost 241.
- 3 (j) Interstate 5, southbound, near milepost 241.
- 4 (k) Interstate 5, northbound, near milepost 281.
- 5 (L) Interstate 5, southbound, near milepost 281.
- 6 (m) Interstate 84, eastbound, near milepost 73.
- 7 (n) Interstate 84, westbound, near milepost 73.
- 8 (o) Interstate 84, eastbound, near milepost 160.
- 9 (p) Interstate 84, westbound, near milepost 160.
- 10 (q) Interstate 84, eastbound, near milepost 187.
- 11 (r) Interstate 84, westbound, near milepost 187.
- 12 (s) Interstate 84, eastbound, near milepost 269.
- 13 (t) Interstate 84, westbound, near milepost 269.
- 14 (u) Interstate 84, eastbound, near milepost 295.
- 15 (v) Interstate 84, westbound, near milepost 295.
- 16 (w) Interstate 84, westbound, near milepost 336.
- 17 (x) Interstate 84, westbound, near milepost 377.
- 18 (y) U.S. Highway 26, westbound, near milepost 54.
- 19 (z) U.S. Highway 101, southbound, near milepost 70.

20 (2) Subject to subsection (4) of this section, in carrying out the provisions of subsection (1) of
 21 this section, the council may enter into contracts necessary to accomplish the purposes of sub-
 22 section (1) of this section.

23 (3) The Department of Transportation shall:

24 (a) Maintain ownership of any roadside rest area located along an interstate highway that the
 25 council manages, maintains, improves and develops pursuant to subsection (1) of this section; and

26 (b) Enter into an intergovernmental agreement with the council under which the council has the
 27 authority to manage, maintain, improve and develop those rest areas owned by the department that
 28 are listed in subsection (1) of this section.

29 (4) Under the intergovernmental agreement entered into under subsection (3) of this section, the
 30 council shall conduct public contracting activities in accordance with the provisions of ORS 377.836.

31 (5) For the purpose of funding the management, maintenance, improvement and development of
 32 roadside rest areas under this section, the department shall allocate to the council, no later than
 33 January 2 of each year, \$6.55 million from the State Highway Fund.

34 **(6) For the purpose of funding the activities described in section 1 of this 2017 Act, the**
 35 **department shall allocate to the council, no later than January 2 of each year, an amount**
 36 **necessary to carry out the provisions of section 1 of this 2017 Act from the Department of**
 37 **Transportation Human Trafficking Awareness Fund established under section 3 of this 2017**
 38 **Act.**

39 [(6)] (7) The council may not use any moneys originating from a local transient lodging tax or
 40 a state transient lodging tax, as those terms are defined in ORS 320.300, for the purpose of funding
 41 the management, maintenance, improvement and development of roadside rest areas under this sec-
 42 tion.

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