A-Engrossed House Bill 4082

Ordered by the House February 7 Including House Amendments dated February 7

Sponsored by Representatives PILUSO, BARKER, Senator PROZANSKI; Representatives GREENLICK, KENY-GUYER, OLSON, POWER, SANCHEZ, SOLLMAN, VIAL, WILLIAMSON, WITT, Senator STEINER HAYWARD (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.

Directs Oregon Youth Authority to administer Juvenile Justice Information System in partnership with county juvenile departments.

Permits disclosure of certain juvenile records to [researchers, evaluators and data analysts] government agencies, post-secondary institutions of education and persons with whom youth authority, county or county juvenile department has entered into disclosure agreement.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

- 2 Relating to the Juvenile Justice Information System; amending ORS 420A.223; and declaring an emergency.
- 4 Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:
- 5 **SECTION 1.** ORS 420A.223 is amended to read:
 - 420A.223. (1) The Juvenile Justice Information System, an electronic information system [administered] developed and maintained by the state through the Oregon Youth Authority, is established. The youth authority, in partnership with county juvenile departments, shall administer the Juvenile Justice Information System through a steering committee established by rule. The youth authority shall, in consultation with the steering committee, adopt rules governing the administration of the Juvenile Justice Information System including, but not
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- (a) Confidentiality of information;
- (b) State and county roles and costs; and
 - (c) County reporting requirements.
- (2) The youth authority shall develop, **maintain** and administer the Juvenile Justice Information System according to the Criminal Justice Information Standards program established under ORS 181A.265.
- (3) Counties shall provide the youth authority with required data elements in the format required by the rules of the youth authority at no cost to the state.
 - (4)(a) Notwithstanding ORS 419A.257, the youth authority or a county juvenile department may disclose, for the purposes identified in paragraph (b) of this subsection, information contained in reports or other materials relating to a youth or youth offender's history and prognosis to the following persons:
 - (A) A government agency.

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.

- (B) A public or private post-secondary institution of education.
 - (C) A person with whom the youth authority, a county or a county juvenile department has entered into an agreement for the disclosure of information under this subsection.
 - (b) The youth authority or a county juvenile department may disclose information under this subsection for the purposes authorized by rules adopted under this section, including research, evaluation, coordination of public safety services, program planning, compliance with grant requirements and audits.
 - (c) The disclosure of information under this subsection does not waive or otherwise change the privileged status of the information, except for the purposes authorized by this subsection.
 - (d) Any person that obtains information under this subsection is responsible for preserving the confidentiality of the information.
 - <u>SECTION 2.</u> This 2018 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2018 Act takes effect on its passage.

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