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Requested by SENATE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY AND BALLOT MEASURE 110 IMPLE-MENTATION

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 751

- On page 1 of the printed bill, line 2, after "135.805" delete the rest of the
- 2 line and delete line 3 and insert "and 135.815.".
- Delete lines 5 through 27 and delete pages 2 through 4 and insert:
- 4 **"SECTION 1.** ORS 135.805 is amended to read:
- 5 "135.805. (1) The provisions of ORS 135.805 to 135.873 are applicable to
- 6 all criminal prosecutions in which the charging instrument has been brought
- 7 in a court of record.
- 8 "(2) Except as otherwise provided in a protective order entered un-
- 9 der ORS 135.873, or any other provision of law prohibiting or restrict-
- ing the disclosure of specific material or information, as used in ORS
- 11 135.805 to 135.873, 'disclose' means [to afford the adverse party an opportunity
- 12 to inspect or copy the material.]:
- 13 "(a) For material or information including but not limited to a
- 14 document, photograph, report, audio recording, video recording or
- 15 electronically stored information, to provide a copy of the material or
- 16 information.
- 17 "(b) For tangible physical evidence, the opportunity to inspect and
- 18 photograph the evidence, and the opportunity to conduct independent
- 19 testing of the evidence provided that the testing does not destroy the
- 20 evidence.

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"(3) Subsection (2)(a) of this section does not apply to any material

that contains sexually explicit conduct involving a child, as those terms are defined in ORS 163.665.

- "SECTION 2. ORS 135.815 is amended to read:
- 4 "135.815. (1) Except as otherwise provided in ORS 135.855 and 135.873, the
- 5 district attorney shall disclose to a represented defendant the following ma-
- 6 terial and information within the possession or control of the district attor-
- 7 ney:
- 8 "(a) The names, [and] addresses and telephone numbers of persons
- 9 whom the district attorney intends to call as witnesses at any stage of the
- trial, together with their relevant written or recorded statements or memo-
- 11 randa of any oral statements of such persons.
- 12 "(b) Any written or recorded statements or memoranda of any oral state-
- ments made by the defendant, or made by a codefendant if the trial is to be
- 14 a joint one.
- "(c) Any reports or statements of experts, made in connection with the
- particular case, including results of physical or mental examinations and of
- 17 scientific tests, experiments or comparisons which the district attorney in-
- tends to offer in evidence at the trial.
- "(d) Any books, papers, documents, photographs or tangible objects:
- 20 "(A) Which the district attorney intends to offer in evidence at the trial;
- 21 **or**

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- "(B) Which were obtained from or belong to the defendant.
- "(e) If actually known to the district attorney, any record of prior crimi-
- 24 nal convictions of persons whom the district attorney intends to call as
- witnesses at the trial; and the district attorney shall make a good faith effort
- 26 to determine if such convictions have occurred.
- 27 "(f) All prior convictions of the defendant known to the state that would
- 28 affect the determination of the defendant's criminal history for sentencing
- 29 under rules of the Oregon Criminal Justice Commission.
- "(g) Any material or information that tends to:

- "(A) Exculpate the defendant;
- 2 "(B) Negate or mitigate the defendant's guilt or punishment; or
- 3 "(C) Impeach a person the district attorney intends to call as a witness at the trial.
- 5 "(2)(a) The disclosure required by subsection (1)(g) of this section:
- 6 "(A) Shall occur regardless of whether the material or information 7 is recorded or in writing.
- "(B) Shall occur without delay [after arraignment] in accordance with
 ORS 135.845 and prior to the entry of any guilty plea pursuant to an
 agreement with the state. If the existence of the material or information is
 not known at that time, the disclosure shall be made upon discovery without
 regard to whether the represented defendant has entered or agreed to enter
 a guilty plea.
- "(b) Nothing in subsection (1)(g) of this section:
- "(A) Expands any obligation under a statutory provision or the Oregon or United States Constitution to disclose, or right to disclosure of, personnel or internal affairs files of law enforcement officers.
 - "(B) Imposes any obligation on the district attorney to provide material or information beyond the obligation imposed by the Oregon and United States Constitutions.
 - "(3) Except as otherwise provided in ORS 135.855 and 135.873, in prosecutions for violation of ORS 813.010 in which an instrument was used to test a person's breath, blood or urine to determine the alcoholic content of the person's blood the district attorney shall disclose to a represented defendant at least the following material and information within the possession or control of the district attorney:
- "(a) Any report prepared by a police officer relating to field tests, interviews, observations and other information relating to the charged offense;
- 29 "(b) Any report relating to the test results;
- 30 "(c) A copy of the form provided to the defendant under ORS 813.100

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- 1 (2)(b); and
- 2 "(d) Any checklist prepared by the operator of the instrument for the test.
- "(4)(a) If a defendant is not represented by a lawyer, the district attorney
- 4 shall disclose to the defendant all of the information described in subsections
- 5 (1) and (3) of this section except for the personal identifiers of the victim and
- 6 any witnesses.
- 7 "(b) Notwithstanding paragraph (a) of this subsection, the district attor-
- 8 ney shall disclose the personal identifiers of the victim and any witnesses if
- 9 the trial court orders the disclosure. A trial court shall order the district
- attorney to disclose the personal identifiers of the victim and any witnesses
- if the trial court finds that:
- "(A) The defendant has requested the information; and
- "(B)(i) The victim or witness is a business or institution and disclosure
- of the information would not represent a risk of harm to the victim or wit-
- 15 ness; or
- "(ii) The need for the information cannot reasonably be met by other
- 17 means.
- 18 "(5)(a) Unless authorized by the trial court to disclose the information,
- 19 a lawyer representing a defendant, or a representative of the lawyer, may
- 20 not disclose to the defendant personal identifiers of a victim or witness ob-
- 21 tained under subsections (1) and (3) of this section.
- 22 "(b) The trial court shall order the lawyer, or representative of the law-
- 23 yer, to disclose to the defendant the personal identifiers of a victim or wit-
- 24 ness if the court finds that:
- 25 "(A) The defendant's lawyer has requested the district attorney to disclose
- 26 the information to the defendant;
- 27 "(B) The district attorney has refused to disclose the information to the
- 28 defendant; and
- 29 "(C) The need for the information cannot reasonably be met by other
- 30 means.

- 1 "(6) As used in this section:
- 2 "(a) 'Personal identifiers' means:
- 3 "(A) In relation to a witness, the witness's address, telephone number,
- 4 Social Security number and date of birth and the identifying number of the
- 5 witness's depository account at a financial institution, as defined in ORS
- 6 706.008, or credit card account.
- 7 "(B) In relation to a victim, the victim's address, electronic mail address,
- 8 telephone number, Social Security number, date of birth, any user names or
- 9 other identifying information associated with the victim's social media ac-
- 10 counts and the identifying number of the victim's depository account at a
- 11 financial institution, as defined in ORS 706.008, or credit card account.
- "(b) 'Representative of the lawyer' has the meaning given that term in
- 13 ORS 40.225.
- "(c) 'Represented defendant' means a defendant who is represented by a
- 15 lawyer in a criminal action.
- "(d) 'Social media' has the meaning given that term in ORS 659A.330.
- "SECTION 3. The amendments to ORS 135.805 and 135.815 by
- sections 1 and 2 of this 2021 Act apply to offenses alleged to have oc-
- 19 curred on or after the effective date of this 2021 Act.".

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