



Open Government Impact Statement

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Measure: HB 3115 - A

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SUMMARY

Digest: The Act says that a person may not buy or sell certain winning lottery tickets. The Act says that people who buy such tickets can't deduct the price for Oregon taxes. The Act lets lottery winners choose whether to release their name and address. The Act becomes law 91 days after sine die. (Flesch Readability Score: 75.2).

Prohibits the transfer, for consideration, of winning Oregon State Lottery tickets or shares above a certain value.

Provides that purchases of certain winning lottery tickets that are deductible for federal tax purposes are not deductible for Oregon tax purposes.

Provides that the name and address of a lottery prize winner are exempt from disclosure as public records and may not be disclosed without authorization.

Takes effect on the 91st day following adjournment sine die.

OPEN GOVERNMENT IMPACT

Legislative Counsel has not adopted standards for drafting measures that establish exemptions from disclosure of public records.

This measure prohibits the Oregon State Lottery or the Oregon State Lottery Commission from disclosing the name and address of a lottery prize winner unless the prize winner provides written authorization for such disclosure.

If those public records that could be subject to public disclosure were instead subject to mandatory disclosure under public records law, the public could gain the name and address of a lottery prize winner without the prize winner's written authorization.