

Senate Bill 163

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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**. The statement includes a measure digest written in compliance with applicable readability standards.

Digest: The Act tells OJD to study the changes that would need to be made to laws in this state to conform to the Uniform Parentage Act. (Flesch Readability Score: 73.0).

Requires the Judicial Department to study the judicial and administrative procedures to establish parentage and changes that would be necessary to implement the Uniform Parentage Act in this state. Directs the department to submit findings to the interim committees of the Legislative Assembly related to the judiciary not later than September 15, 2026.

Sunsets on January 2, 2027.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

1
2 Relating to parentage.

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

4 **SECTION 1. The Judicial Department shall study the judicial and administrative proce-**
5 **dures to establish parentage and changes that would be necessary to implement the Uniform**
6 **Parentage Act in this state. The department shall submit a report in the manner provided**
7 **by ORS 192.245, and may include recommendations for legislation, to the interim committees**
8 **of the Legislative Assembly related to the judiciary no later than September 15, 2026.**

9 **SECTION 2. Section 1 of this 2025 Act is repealed on January 2, 2027.**

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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.