Senate Bill 162

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SUMMARY

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Prohibits Department of Human Services and area agency on aging from disclosing confidential or protected information when providing public access to adult foster home complaint investigation report or findings.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

2 Relating to disclosure of information about residents of adult foster homes.

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

4 <u>SECTION 1.</u> (1) When the Department of Human Services or a type B area agency on 5 aging discloses a file, form or report to the public pursuant to ORS 443.740, 443.765 or 443.767,

6 the department or agency may not disclose information about residents that is protected

7 from disclosure by state or federal law or information that is described in subsection (2) of

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8 this section unless the resident has provided a written authorization for disclosure of the 9 information.

9 information.

10 (2) This section applies to:

(a) The name of a resident and to demographic or other information that can be used to
identify a resident.

13 (b) Any health information that relates to:

14 (A) The past, present or future physical or mental health or condition of a resident;

15 (B) The provision of health care to a resident; or

16 (C) The past, present or future payment for the provision of health care to a resident.

(3) As used in this section, "resident" means an individual receiving care in an adult
foster home.

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