House Bill 4022

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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**.

Expands definition of "mentally ill person" for purposes of civil commitment proceedings to include persons with substance dependence associated with opioids and two prior convictions for unlawful possession of heroin and for whom compelled treatment is necessary to avoid reoffending. Authorizes commitment of such persons to supervision of court for period of 12 months or less. Prohibits such persons from converting from involuntary to voluntary commitment. Allows such persons to be incarcerated without filing criminal charges.

| 1 | A BILL FOR AN ACT |
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| 2 | Relating to commitment of persons with mental illness; creating new provisions; and amending ORS |
| 3 | $163.738,\ 166.291,\ 166.470,\ 426.005,\ 426.010,\ 426.020,\ 426.070,\ 426.074,\ 426.075,\ 426.090,\ 426.095,$ |
| 4 | 426.100, 426.110, 426.125, 426.127, 426.130, 426.140, 426.150, 426.170, 426.217, 426.223, 426.231, |
| 5 | $426.233,\ 426.234,\ 426.237,\ 426.238,\ 426.273,\ 426.275,\ 426.278,\ 426.292,\ 426.300,\ 426.301,\ 426.303,$ |
| 6 | 426.310, 426.335, 426.370, 426.380, 427.300, 428.210 and 480.225. |
| 7 | Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon: |
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| 9 | CIVIL COMMITMENT OF PERSONS WITH SUBSTANCE |
| 10 | DEPENDENCE ASSOCIATED WITH OPIOIDS |
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| 12 | SECTION 1. ORS 426.005 is amended to read: |
| 13 | 426.005. (1) As used in ORS 426.005 to 426.390, unless the context requires otherwise: |
| 14 | (a) "Authority" means the Oregon Health Authority. |
| 15 | (b) "Community mental health program director" means the director of an entity that provides |
| 16 | the services described in ORS 430.630 (3) to (5). |
| 17 | (c) "Director of the facility" means a superintendent of a state mental hospital, the chief of |
| 18 | psychiatric services in a community hospital or the person in charge of treatment and rehabilitation |
| 19 | programs at other treatment facilities. |
| 20 | (d) "Facility" means a state mental hospital, community hospital, residential facility, |
| 21 | detoxification center, day treatment facility, inpatient opioid treatment program or such other |
| 22 | facility as the authority determines suitable, any of which may provide diagnosis and evaluation, |
| 23 | medical care, detoxification, social services or rehabilitation for committed mentally ill persons. |
| 24 | (e) "Mentally ill person" means a person who, because of a mental disorder, is one or more of |
| 25 | the following: |
| 26 | (A) Dangerous to self or others. |
| 27 | (B) Unable to provide for basic personal needs and is not receiving such care as is necessary |
| 28 | for health or safety. |
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(ii) Who, within the previous three years, has twice been placed in a hospital or approved inpatient facility by the authority or the Department of Human Services under ORS 426.060;
(iii) Who is exhibiting symptoms or behavior substantially similar to those that preceded and led to one or more of the hospitalizations or inpatient placements referred to in sub-subparagraph (ii) of this subparagraph; and
(iv) Who, unless treated, will continue, to a reasonable medical probability, to physically or mentally deteriorate so that the person will become a person described under either subparagraph (A) or (B) of this paragraph or both.

(C) A person:

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(D) A person with substance dependence associated with opioids:

(i) With a chronic mental illness, as defined in ORS 426.495;

(i) Who has two or more prior convictions within the preceding five years under ORS
 475.854, or its statutory counterpart in another jurisdiction, for the unlawful possession of
 heroin or who has been committed to the supervision of the court under ORS 426.130 during
 the preceding five years;

(ii) Who, within the 30-day period ending on the date the community mental health pro gram director receives the notice under ORS 426.070, was in possession of heroin;

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(iii) Who has no pending criminal charges; and

(iv) For whom it would be difficult, if not impossible, to avoid the commission of another
 offense under ORS 475.854, or its statutory counterpart in another jurisdiction, if the person
 is not compelled to undergo treatment.

(f) "Nonhospital facility" means any facility, other than a hospital, that is approved by the authority to provide adequate security, psychiatric, nursing and other services to persons under ORS
426.232 or 426.233.

(g) "Prehearing period of detention" means a period of time calculated from the initiation of
 custody during which a person may be detained under ORS 426.228, 426.231, 426.232 or 426.233.

(2) Whenever the Oregon Health Authority, a community mental health program director, director of [the] a facility, superintendent of a state hospital, [or] administrator of a facility or sheriff
is referred to, the reference includes any [designee such] individual the person has designated to
act on the person's behalf in the exercise of duties.

31 **SECTION 2.** ORS 426.010 is amended to read:

426.010. (1) Except as otherwise ordered by the Oregon Health Authority pursuant to ORS 179.325, the Oregon State Hospital campuses in Salem, Marion County, and in Junction City, Lane County, and the Blue Mountain Recovery Center in Pendleton, Umatilla County, shall be used as state hospitals for the care and treatment of mentally ill persons who are assigned to the care of such institutions by the authority or who have previously been committed to such institutions.

(2) Inpatient opioid treatment programs approved by the Oregon Health Authority shall
provide the care and treatment of mentally ill persons described in ORS 426.005 (1)(e)(D) who
are under the supervision of a court under ORS 426.130.

40 **SECTION 3.** ORS 426.070 is amended to read:

41 426.070. (1) Any of the following may initiate commitment [*procedures*] **proceedings** under this 42 section by giving the notice described under subsection (2) of this section:

43 (a) Two persons;

44 (b) The county health officer; [*or*]

45 (c) Any magistrate[.]; or

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| 1 | (d) Any district attorney or deputy district attorney. |
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| 2 | (2) For purposes of subsection (1) of this section, the notice must comply with the following: |
| 3 | (a) It must be in writing under oath; |
| 4 | (b) It must be given to the community mental health program director [or a designee of the di- |
| 5 | rector in] of the county where the allegedly mentally ill person resides; |
| 6 | (c) It must state that there is probable cause to believe that a person within the county other |
| 7 | than the person giving the notice: |
| 8 | (A) Is a mentally ill person and is in need of treatment, care or custody; or |
| 9 | (B) Is a mentally ill person as described in ORS 426.005 (1)(e)(D); |
| 10 | (d) If the commitment proceeding is initiated by two persons under subsection (1)(a) of this sec- |
| 11 | tion, it may include a request that the court notify the two persons: |
| 12 | (A) Of the issuance or nonissuance of a warrant under this section; or |
| 13 | (B) Of the court's determination under ORS 426.130 (1); and |
| 14 | (e) If the notice contains a request under paragraph (d) of this subsection, it must also include |
| 15 | the addresses of the two persons making the request. |
| 16 | (3) Upon receipt of a notice under subsections (1) and (2) of this section or when notified by a |
| 17 | circuit court that the court received notice under ORS 426.234, the community mental health pro- |
| 18 | gram director[, or designee of the director,] shall: |
| 19 | (a) Immediately notify [the judge of] the court having jurisdiction for that county under ORS |
| 20 | 426.060 of the notification described in subsections (1) and (2) of this section. |
| 21 | (b) Immediately notify the Oregon Health Authority if commitment is proposed because the |
| 22 | person appears to be a mentally ill person, as defined in ORS 426.005 (1)(e)(C). When such notice is |
| 23 | received, the authority may verify, to the extent known by the authority, whether or not the person |
| 24 | meets the criteria described in ORS 426.005 (1)(e)(C)(i) and (ii) and so inform the community mental |
| 25 | health program director [or designee of the director]. |
| 26 | (c) Initiate an investigation under ORS 426.074 to determine whether there is probable cause to |
| 27 | believe that the person is in fact a mentally ill person. |
| 28 | (4)(a) Upon completion of the investigation, the community mental health program direc- |
| 29 | tor shall promptly submit a recommendation based upon the investigation report under ORS |
| 30 | 426.074 [shall be promptly submitted] to the court and to any district attorney or deputy district |
| 31 | attorney who initiated the proceedings. |
| 32 | (b) If the community mental health program director determines that probable cause does not |
| 33 | exist to believe that a person released from detention under ORS 426.234 (2)(c) or (3)(b) is a mentally |
| 34 | ill person, the community mental health program director [shall] may not submit a recommendation |
| 35 | to the court. |
| 36 | (5) When the court receives notice under subsection (3) of this section: |
| 37 | (a) If the court, following the investigation, concludes that there is probable cause to believe |
| 38 | that the person investigated is a mentally ill person, $[it]$ the court shall, through the issuance of a |
| 39 | citation as provided in ORS 426.090, cause the person to be brought before [it] the court at a time |
| 40 | and place as [it] the court may direct, for a hearing under ORS 426.095 to determine whether the |
| 41 | person is mentally ill. The person shall be given the opportunity to appear voluntarily at the hearing |
| 42 | unless the person fails to appear or unless the person is detained pursuant to paragraph (b) of this |
| 43 | subsection. |
| 44 | (b)(A) The [judge] court may cause the allegedly mentally ill person to be taken into custody |
| 45 | pending the investigation or hearing by issuing a warrant of detention under this subsection. A |

1 [judge] court may [only] issue a warrant under this subsection only if the court finds that there is

2 probable cause to believe that failure to take the person into custody would pose serious harm or 3 danger to the person or to others or that the person meets the criteria in ORS 426.005

4 (1)(e)(D).

(B) To cause the custody of a person under this paragraph, the [*judge*] court must issue a warrant of detention to the community mental health program director or [*designee*,] to the sheriff of the county [*or designee, directing that person*] that directs the community mental health director or the sheriff to take the allegedly mentally ill person into custody and to produce the person at the time and place stated in the warrant.

10 (C) At the time the person is taken into custody, the person shall be informed by the community 11 mental health program director[,] **or** the sheriff [*or a designee*] of the following:

(i) The person's rights with regard to representation by or appointment of counsel as describedin ORS 426.100;

14 (ii) The warning under ORS 426.123; and

(iii) The person's right, if the community mental health program director[,] or sheriff [or designee] reasonably suspects that the person is a foreign national, to communicate with an official from the consulate of the person's country. A community mental health program director[,] or sheriff [or designee] is not civilly or criminally liable for failure to provide the information required by this sub-subparagraph. Failure to provide the information required by this sub-subparagraph does not in itself constitute grounds for the exclusion of evidence that would otherwise be admissible in a proceeding.

(D) The court may make any orders for the care and custody of the person prior to the hearing as [*it*] **the court** considers necessary.

(c) If the notice includes a request under subsection (2)(d)(A) of this section, the court shall
 notify the two persons of the issuance or nonissuance of a warrant under this subsection.

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SECTION 4. ORS 426.074 is amended to read:

426.074. The following is applicable to an investigation initiated by a community mental health program director[, or a designee of the director,] as part of commitment [procedures] proceedings under ORS 426.070 and 426.228 to 426.235:

(1) If the allegedly mentally ill person is held in custody before the hearing the investigation
 shall be completed at least 24 hours before the hearing under ORS 426.095, otherwise the investigation
 gation shall comply with the following time schedule:

(a) If the allegedly mentally ill person can be located, the investigator shall contact the person
 within three judicial days from the date the community mental health program director [or a
 designee] receives a notice under ORS 426.070 alleging that the person is mentally ill.

(b) Within 15 days from the date the community mental health program director [or a designee]
 receives a notice under ORS 426.070 alleging that a person is mentally ill, one of the following shall
 occur:

(A) The investigation shall be completed and submitted to the court.

40 (B) An application for extension shall be made to the court under paragraph (c) of this sub-41 section.

42 (c) The community mental health program director[, *a designee*] or the investigator may file for 43 an extension of the time under paragraph (b) of this subsection only if one of the following occurs:

44 (A) A treatment option less restrictive than involuntary [*in-patient*] **inpatient** commitment is 45 actively being pursued.

1 (B) The allegedly mentally ill person cannot be located.

2 (d) A court may grant an extension under paragraph (c) of this subsection for a time and upon 3 the terms and conditions the court considers appropriate.

4 (2) This subsection establishes a nonexclusive list of provisions applicable to the content of the 5 investigation, as follows:

(a) The investigation conducted should, where appropriate, include an interview or examination
of the allegedly mentally ill person in the home of the person or other place familiar to the person.
(b) Whether or not the allegedly mentally ill person consents, the investigation should include
interviews with any persons that the investigator has probable cause to believe have pertinent information regarding the investigation. If the allegedly mentally ill person objects to the contact with
any person, the objection shall be noted in the investigator's report.

12 (c) The investigator shall be allowed access to physicians, nurses or social workers and to 13 medical records compiled during the current involuntary prehearing period of detention to determine probable cause and to develop alternatives to commitment. If commitment is proposed because the 14 15 person appears to be a mentally ill person as defined in ORS 426.005 (1)(e)(C) or (D), the investi-16 gator shall be allowed access to medical records necessary to verify the existence of criteria described in ORS 426.005 (1)(e)(C) or (D). The investigator shall include pertinent parts of the medical 17 18 record in the investigation report. Records and communications described in this paragraph and 19 communications related thereto are not privileged under ORS 40.230, 40.235, 40.240 or 40.250.

(3) A copy of the investigation report shall be provided as soon as possible, but in no event later
than 24 hours prior to the hearing, to the allegedly mentally ill person and to that person's counsel.
Copies shall likewise be provided to counsel assisting the court, to the examiners and to the court
for use in questioning witnesses.

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SECTION 5. ORS 426.095 is amended to read:

426.095. The following is applicable to a commitment hearing held by a court under ORS 426.070:
(1) The hearing may be held in a hospital, the person's home or in some other place convenient
to the court and the allegedly mentally ill person.

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(2) The court shall hold the hearing at the time established according to the following:

(a) Except as provided by paragraph (b) or (c) of this subsection, a hearing shall be held five
judicial days from the day a court under ORS 426.070 issues a citation provided under ORS 426.090.
(b) Except as provided by paragraph (c) of this subsection, if a person is detained by a warrant
of detention under ORS 426.070, a hearing shall be held within five judicial days of the commence-

33 ment of detention.

34 (c) If requested under this paragraph, the court, for good cause, may postpone the hearing for 35 not more than five judicial days in order to allow preparation for the hearing. The court may make orders for the care and custody of the person during a postponement as [it] the court deems nec-36 37 essary. If a person is detained before a hearing under ORS 426.070, 426.180, 426.228, 426.232 or 38 426.233 and the hearing is postponed under this paragraph, the court, for good cause, may allow the person to be detained during the postponement if the postponement is requested by the person or 39 the legal counsel of the person. Any of the following may request a postponement under this para-40 graph: 41

42 (A) The allegedly mentally ill person.

43 (B) The legal counsel or guardian of the allegedly mentally ill person.

44 (C) The person representing the state's interest.

45 (3) The allegedly mentally ill person and the person representing the state's interest shall have

1 the right to cross-examine all the following:

2 (a) Witnesses.

3 (b) The person conducting the investigation.

4 (c) The examining physicians or other qualified persons recommended by the Oregon Health 5 Authority who have examined the person.

6 (4) The provisions of ORS 40.230, 40.235, 40.240 and 40.250 [*shall*] **do** not apply to and the court 7 may consider as evidence any of the following:

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(a) Medical records for the current involuntary prehearing period of detention.

9 (b) Statements attributed by the maker of the medical records or the investigation report to 10 witnesses concerning their own observations in the absence of objection or if such persons are 11 produced as witnesses at the hearing available for cross-examination.

(c) The testimony of any treating physicians, nurses or social workers for the prehearing period of detention. Any treating physician, nurse or social worker who is subpoenaed as a witness for the proceeding shall testify as an expert witness under the provisions of ORS 40.410, 40.415, 40.420 and 40.425 and is subject to treatment as an expert witness in the payment of witness fees and costs.

(d) The investigation report prepared under ORS 426.074. Subject to the following, the investi gation report shall be introduced in evidence:

(A) Introduction of the report under this paragraph does not require the consent of the allegedlymentally ill person.

(B) Upon objection by any party to the action, the court shall exclude any part of the investigation report that may be excluded under the Oregon Evidence Code on grounds other than those set forth in ORS 40.230, 40.235, 40.240 or 40.250.

(C) Neither the investigation report nor any part thereof shall be introduced into evidence under this paragraph unless the investigator is present during the proceeding to be cross-examined or unless the presence of the investigator is waived by the allegedly mentally ill person or counsel for the allegedly mentally ill person.

(5) For a person alleged to be a mentally ill person as defined in ORS 426.005 (1)(e)(D),
 the court shall receive and consider:

(a) The Oregon Judicial Information Network criminal records of the person;

30 (b) Criminal records from another jurisdiction if the records contain sufficient indicia of 31 reliability; and

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32 (c) The results of a presumptive test, as defined in ORS 475.235, that is:

(A) Conducted by a law enforcement officer trained to use the test or by a forensic sci entist; and

35 (B) Positive for heroin.

36 **SECTION 6.** ORS 426.100 is amended to read:

426.100. (1) At the time the allegedly mentally ill person is brought before the court, the court
 shall advise the person of the following:

39 (a) The reason for being brought before the court;

40 (b) The nature of the proceedings;

- 41 (c) The possible results of the proceedings;
- 42 (d) The right to subpoena witnesses; and
- 43 (e) The person's rights regarding representation by or appointment of counsel.

44 (2) Subsection (3) of this section establishes the rights of allegedly mentally ill persons in each

45 of the following circumstances:

(a) When the person is held by warrant of detention issued under ORS 426.070. 1 2 (b) In commitment hearings under ORS 426.095. (c) When the person is detained as provided under ORS 426.228, 426.232 or 426.233. 3 (d) In recommitment hearings under ORS 426.307. 4 (3) When provided under subsection (2) of this section, an allegedly mentally ill person has the 5 following rights relating to representation by or appointment of counsel: 6 (a) The right to obtain suitable legal counsel possessing skills and experience commensurate 7 with the nature of the allegations and complexity of the case during the proceedings. 8 9 (b) If the person is determined to be financially eligible for appointed counsel at state expense, 10 the court will appoint legal counsel to represent the person. If a person is appointed counsel at state expense, payment of expenses and compensation relating to legal counsel shall be made as provided 11 12 under ORS 426.250. 13 (c) If the allegedly mentally ill person does not request legal counsel, the legal guardian, relative or friend may request the assistance of suitable legal counsel on behalf of the person. 14 15 (d) If no request for legal counsel is made, the court shall appoint suitable legal counsel unless 16counsel is expressly, knowingly and intelligently refused by the person. (e) If the person is being involuntarily detained before a hearing on the issue of commitment, 17 18 the right under paragraph (a) of this subsection to contact an attorney or under paragraph (b) of this subsection to have an attorney appointed may be exercised as soon as reasonably possible. 19 20(f) In all cases suitable legal counsel shall be present at the hearing and may be present at examination and may examine all witnesses offering testimony, and otherwise represent the person. 2122(4) The responsibility for representing the state's interest in commitment proceedings, including, but not limited to, preparation of the state's case and appearances at commitment hearings is as 23follows: 2425(a) The Attorney General's office shall have the responsibility relating to proceedings initiated by state hospital staff that are any of the following: 2627(A) Recommitment proceedings under ORS 426.307; or (B) Proceedings under ORS 426.228, 426.232 or 426.233. 28(b) The district attorney if the proceedings were initiated by the district attorney or deputy 2930 district attorney under ORS 426.070 (1)(d), or if [requested to do so by] the governing body of the 31 county requests the district attorney to represent the state's interest. (c) In lieu of the district attorney under paragraph (b) of this subsection, a counsel designated 32by the governing body of a county shall take the responsibility. A county governing body may des-33 34 ignate counsel to take responsibility under this paragraph either for single proceedings or for all such proceedings the county will be obligated to pay for under ORS 426.250. If a county governing 35 body elects to proceed under this paragraph, the county governing body shall so notify the district 36 37 attorney. The expenses of an attorney appointed under this paragraph shall be paid as provided 38 under ORS 426.250. SECTION 7. ORS 426.127 is amended to read: 39 40 426.127. The following provisions are applicable to outpatient commitment under ORS 426.130 as described: 41 (1) The Oregon Health Authority and the court may [only] place a person in an outpatient 42commitment only if an adequate treatment facility is available. 43

44 (2) Conditions for the outpatient commitment shall be set at the time of the hearing under ORS
45 426.095 by the community mental health program director[, or a designee for the director, for] of the

county in which the hearing takes place or, for an alleged mentally ill person as defined in ORS
 426.005 (1)(e)(D), by the court. The conditions shall include, but not be limited to, the following:
 (a) Provision for outpatient care.

4 (b) A designation of a facility, service or other provider to provide care or treatment.

(3) A copy of the conditions shall be given to all of the persons described in ORS 426.278.

6 (4) Any outpatient commitment ordered under this section is subject to the provisions under 7 ORS 426.275.

8 (5) The community mental health program director [or designee, for] of the county where a 9 person is on outpatient commitment, or the court, may modify the conditions for outpatient com-10 mitment when a modification is in the best interest of the person. The community mental health 11 program director or [designee] the court shall send notification of such changes and the reasons for 12 the changes to all those who received a copy of the original conditions under ORS 426.278.

13 SECTION 8. ORS 426.130 is amended to read:

14 426.130. (1) After hearing all of the evidence, and reviewing the findings of the examining per-15 sons, the court shall determine whether the person is mentally ill. If, in the opinion of the court, the 16 person is:

17 (a) Not mentally ill, the person shall be discharged forthwith.

18 (b) A mentally ill **person** based upon clear and convincing evidence, the court:

(A) Except for persons described in ORS 426.005 (1)(e)(D), shall order the release of the
 [individual] person and dismiss the case if:

(i) The mentally ill person is willing and able to participate in treatment on a voluntary basis;and

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(ii) The court finds that the person will probably do so.

(B) May order conditional release under this subparagraph subject to the qualifications and re quirements under ORS 426.125. If the court orders conditional release under this subparagraph, the
 court shall establish a period of commitment for the conditional release.

(C) May order commitment of the [*individual*] **person** to the Oregon Health Authority for treatment, or if the person is a mentally ill person as defined in ORS 426.005 (1)(e)(D) to the **supervision of the court** if, in the opinion of the court, subparagraph (A) or (B) of this paragraph is not in the best interest of the mentally ill person. If the court orders commitment under this subparagraph:

(i) The court shall establish a period of commitment that may not exceed 12 months for a
 person committed to the supervision of the court.

(ii) The authority may place [the committed] a person committed to the authority in outpa tient commitment under ORS 426.127.

(iii) Subject to sub-subparagraph (iv) of this subparagraph, the court may place a person
 committed to the court's supervision in an inpatient opioid treatment program or an outpa tient commitment under ORS 426.127.

(iv) For a mentally ill person as defined in ORS 426.005 (1)(e)(D) who is committed to the supervision of the court, the court may require the person to participate in inpatient treatment for a period of no more than 90 days. For good cause, the court may require additional periods of inpatient treatment but the total duration of inpatient treatment may not exceed 180 days.

44 (D) Shall order that the person be prohibited from purchasing or possessing a firearm if, in the 45 opinion of the court, there is a reasonable likelihood the person would constitute a danger to self

or others or to the community at large as a result of the person's mental or psychological state as demonstrated by past behavior or participation in incidents involving unlawful violence or threats of unlawful violence, or by reason of a single incident of extreme, violent, unlawful conduct. When a court makes an order under this subparagraph, the court shall cause a copy of the order to be delivered to the sheriff of the county who will enter the information into the Law Enforcement Data System.

7 (2) A court that orders a conditional release or a commitment under this section shall establish 8 a period of commitment for the person subject to the order. Any period of commitment ordered for 9 commitment or conditional release under this section shall be:

(a) For a period of time not to exceed 180 days[.] for a commitment to the Oregon Health
 Authority; or

12 (b) For a period of time not to exceed 12 months for a commitment to the supervision 13 of the court.

(3) If the commitment proceeding was initiated under ORS 426.070 (1)(a) and if the notice included a request under ORS 426.070 (2)(d)(B), the court shall notify the two persons of the court's
determination under subsection (1) of this section.

17 **SECTION 9.** ORS 426.140 is amended to read:

426.140. (1) [No] A person, not incarcerated upon a criminal charge, who has been adjudged a mentally ill person or [one] **a person** against whom commitment proceedings have been instituted [shall] **may not** be confined in any prison, jail or other enclosure where those charged with a crime or a violation of a municipal ordinance are incarcerated, unless the person:

(a) Represents an immediate and serious danger to staff or physical facilities of a hospital or
 other facility approved by the Oregon Health Authority for the care, custody and treatment of the
 person[.]; or

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(b) Is alleged or adjudged to be a mentally ill person as defined in ORS 426.005 (1)(e)(D).

(2) [No] **An** allegedly mentally ill person who has been taken into custody [*shall*] **may not** be confined, either before or after the commitment hearing, without an attendant in direct charge of the person.[; *and*,] If **the allegedly mentally ill person is** not confined in a community hospital, the sheriff or community mental health program director having the person in custody shall select some suitable person to act as attendant in quarters suitable for the comfortable, safe and humane confinement of the person and approved by the authority.

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SECTION 10. ORS 426.150 is amended to read:

426.150. (1) Upon receipt of [the] an order of commitment, the Oregon Health Authority [or its 33 34 designee] shall take the mentally ill person into its custody, and [insure] ensure the safekeeping and 35 proper care of the person until delivery is made to an assigned treatment facility or its representative. The representative of the treating facility to which the person has been assigned, accompa-36 37 nied by any assistants the authority [or its designee] may deem necessary, shall proceed to the place 38 where the person is to be delivered into custody, and upon demand shall be given custody of the mentally ill person, together with the certified record required by ORS 426.170. The representative 39 40 shall issue appropriate receipts therefor and immediately proceed to transport the committed mentally ill person safely to the facility to which the person has been assigned by the authority or a 41 42court and [there make delivery of] deliver the person and the record to the director or a designated employee of the facility. In taking custody of the person, the authority[, its designee,] or the repre-43 sentative of the facility has all the powers provided by ORS 133.225 and 161.255 and may require 44 the assistance of any peace officer or other person. 45

1 (2) The committing [*judge*] **court**, upon approval of the examining physicians or other qualified 2 persons as recommended by the authority and upon request of a guardian, friend or relative of the 3 mentally ill person, may authorize the guardian, friend or relative to transport the person to the 4 [*designated*] **assigned** facility when the [*committing judge*] **court** determines that means of trans-5 portation would not be detrimental to the welfare of the mentally ill person or to the public.

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SECTION 11. ORS 426.170 is amended to read:

426.170. If any person is adjudged mentally ill and ordered committed to the Oregon Health Authority or to the supervision of the court, a copy of the complete record in the case, certified to by the court clerk or court administrator, shall be given to the [*health officer of the county*] **community mental health program director**, or to the sheriff, for delivery to the director of the facility to which such mentally ill person is assigned. The record shall include the name, residence, nativity, sex and age of such mentally ill person and all other information that may be required by the rules and regulations promulgated by the authority.

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SECTION 12. ORS 426.217 is amended to read:

426.217. At any time after commitment by [*the*] **a** court **of a mentally ill person other than a person described in ORS 426.005 (1)(e)(D)**, the person, with the approval of the Oregon Health Authority [*or its designee*], may change the status of the person to that of a voluntary patient. Notwithstanding ORS 426.220, any person who alters status to that of a voluntary patient under this section shall be released from the treating facility within 72 hours of the request of the person for release.

21 SECTION 13. ORS 426.223 is amended to read:

22426.223. In retaking custody of a mentally ill person who has been committed to the Oregon Health Authority or to the supervision of a court under ORS 426.130 and who has, without lawful 23authority, left the custody of the facility to which the person has been assigned under ORS 426.060, 2425or in the case of an allegedly mentally ill person who is in custody under ORS 426.070, 426.095, 426.228 to 426.235 or 426.237 at a hospital or nonhospital facility and who has, without lawful au-2627thority, left the hospital or nonhospital facility, the **director of the** facility [director or designee] has all the powers provided by ORS 133.225 and 161.255 and may require the assistance of any peace 2829officer or other person.

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SECTION 14. ORS 426.237 is amended to read:

426.237. (1) During a prehearing period of detention as provided in ORS 426.070, 426.140, 426.232
 or 426.233, the community mental health program director shall do one of the following:

(a) Recommend, in an investigation report as provided in ORS 426.074, that the circuit court not
 proceed further in the matter if the community mental health program director does not believe the
 person is a mentally ill person.

(b) No later than three judicial days after initiation of a prehearing period of detention as provided in ORS 426.070, 426.140, 426.232 or 426.233, certify the detained person for a 14-day period of
intensive treatment if:

(A) The community mental health program director and a psychiatrist, as defined by rule by the
 Oregon Health Authority, have probable cause to believe the person is a mentally ill person;

(B) The community mental health program director [*in*] of the county where the person resides
verbally approves the arrangements for payment for the services at the hospital or nonhospital facility; and

44 (C) The community mental health program director locates a hospital or nonhospital facility 45 that:

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1 (i) Is approved by the authority and the community mental health program director [*in*] of the 2 county where the person resides; and

3 (ii) Can, in the opinion of the community mental health program director and the psychiatrist,

4 provide intensive care or treatment for mental illness necessary and sufficient to meet the emer-5 gency psychiatric needs of the person.

6 (c) Recommend, in an investigation report as provided in ORS 426.074, that the circuit court 7 hold a hearing under ORS 426.070 to 426.130 if the community mental health program director has 8 probable cause to believe the person is a mentally ill person.

9 (2)(a) If the circuit court adopts the recommendation of the community mental health program 10 director under subsection (1)(a) of this section, the circuit court shall enter an order releasing the 11 person and dismissing the case. Unless the person agrees to voluntary treatment, if the person is 12 being detained in a:

(A) Nonhospital facility, the community mental health program director shall make discharge
 plans and [*insure*] ensure the discharge of the person.

15 (B) Hospital, the treating physician shall make discharge plans and discharge the person.

(b) Upon release of the person, the community mental health program director shall attempt tonotify the person's next of kin if the person consents to the notification.

(3)(a) If the detained person is certified for treatment under subsection (1)(b) of this section, the
 community mental health program director shall:

(A) Deliver immediately a certificate to the court having jurisdiction under ORS 426.060; and

(B) Orally inform the person of the certification and deliver a copy of the certificate to theperson.

23 (b) The certificate required by paragraph (a) of this subsection shall include:

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(A) A written statement under oath by the community mental health program director and the
psychiatrist that they have probable cause to believe the person is a mentally ill person in need of
care or treatment for mental illness;

(B) A treatment plan that describes, in general terms, the types of treatment and medication to
be provided to the person during the 14-day period of intensive treatment;

(C) A notice of the person's right to an attorney and that an attorney will be appointed by the
 court or as otherwise obtained under ORS 426.100 (3);

(D) A notice that the person has a right to request and be provided a hearing under ORS 426.070
 to 426.130 at any time during the 14-day period; and

(E) The date and time the copy of the certificate was delivered to the person.

(c) Immediately upon receipt of a certificate under paragraph (a) of this subsection, the court shall notify the person's attorney or appoint an attorney for the person if the person cannot afford one. Within 24 hours of the time the certificate is delivered to the court, the person's attorney shall review the certificate with the person. If the person and the person's attorney consent to the certification within one judicial day of the time the certificate is delivered to the circuit court and, except as provided in subsection (4) of this section, the court shall postpone the hearing required by ORS 426.070 to 426.130 for 14 days.

(d) When a person is certified for treatment under subsection (1)(b) of this section and accepts
the certification:

(A) Except as otherwise provided in this paragraph, all methods of treatment, including the
prescription and administration of drugs, shall be the sole responsibility of the treating physician.
However, the person shall not be subject to electroshock therapy or unduly hazardous treatment and

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1 shall receive usual and customary treatment in accordance with medical standards in the commu-2 nity.

3 (B) Except when the person expressly refuses treatment, the treating physician shall treat the 4 person within the scope of the treatment plan provided the person under paragraph (b) of this sub-5 section. The person's refusal of treatment constitutes sufficient grounds for the community mental 6 health program director to request a hearing as provided in subsection (4)(a) of this section.

(C) If the person is in a hospital and the community mental health program director locates a 7 nonhospital facility, approved by the authority, that, in the opinion of the community mental health 8 9 program director and the treating physician, can provide care or treatment for mental illness necessary and sufficient to meet the emergency psychiatric needs of the person, the treating physician 10 shall discharge the person from the hospital and the community mental health program director 11 12 shall remove the person to the nonhospital facility for the remainder of the 14-day intensive treat-13 ment period. If, however, in the opinion of the treating physician, the person's condition requires the person to receive medical care or treatment, the physician shall retain the person in the hospital. 14

(D) If the person is in a nonhospital facility, the community mental health program director shall
 transfer the person to a hospital approved by the authority under the following conditions:

(i) If, in the opinion of a physician, the person's condition requires the person to receive medicalcare or treatment in a hospital; and

(ii) The physician agrees to admit the person to a hospital, approved by the authority, where thephysician has admitting privileges.

(E) If the person is transferred as provided in subparagraph (C) or (D) of this paragraph, the community mental health program director shall notify the circuit court, in the county where the certificate was filed, of the location of the person. The person may appeal the transfer as provided by rules of the authority.

(e) If the person is in a hospital, the treating physician may discharge the person at any time during the 14-day period. The treating physician shall confer with the community mental health program director and the person's next of kin, if the person consents to the consultation, prior to discharging the person. Immediately upon discharge of the person, the treating physician shall notify the court in the county in which the certificate was filed initially.

(f) If the person is in a nonhospital facility, the community mental health program director may discharge the person at any time during the 14-day period. The community mental health program director shall consult with the treating physician and the person's next of kin, if the person consents to the consultation, prior to discharging the person. Immediately upon discharge of the person, the community mental health program director shall notify the court in the county in which the certificate was filed initially.

(g) The person may agree to voluntary treatment at any time during the 14-day period. When a person agrees to voluntary treatment under this paragraph, the community mental health program director immediately shall notify the court in the county in which the certificate was filed initially.

(h) A person consenting to 14 days of treatment under subsection (3)(c) of this section shall not
be held longer than 14 days from the time of consenting without a hearing as provided in ORS
426.070 to 426.130.

(i) Except for a person described in ORS 426.005 (1)(e)(D), when the court receives notification under paragraph (e), (f) or (g) of this subsection, the court shall dismiss the case. For persons
described in ORS 426.005 (1)(e)(D) who have been committed to the supervision of a court,
the discharge from inpatient treatment under this section does not require dismissal of the

1 court supervision.

2 (4) The [*judge of the*] circuit court shall immediately commence proceedings under ORS 426.070 3 to 426.130 when:

4 (a) The person consenting to 14 days of treatment or the community mental health program di-5 rector requests a hearing. The hearing shall be held without unreasonable delay. In no case shall 6 the person be held in a hospital or nonhospital facility longer than five judicial days after the re-7 quest for a hearing is made without a hearing being held under ORS 426.070 to 426.130.

8 (b) The community mental health program director acts under subsection (1)(c) of this section.
9 In no case shall the person be held longer than five judicial days without a hearing under this subsection.

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SECTION 15. ORS 426.238 is amended to read:

426.238. The Oregon Health Authority may assign classifications, as defined by rule of the authority, to facilities that provide care and treatment for persons committed to the authority or to the supervision of a court under ORS 426.130 or provide emergency care or treatment for persons pursuant to ORS 426.070, 426.228 to 426.235 or 426.237. The authority may authorize a facility to retake custody of a person who unlawfully leaves a facility as provided in ORS 426.223.

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SECTION 16. ORS 426.273 is amended to read:

426.273. (1) During a period of commitment of a [*patient*] **person** under ORS 426.130, the Oregon Health Authority, or a court for a person committed to the supervision of the court, may grant a trial visit to the [*patient*] **person** for a period of time and under any conditions the authority or the court shall establish. The authority or the court shall [*only*] grant a trial visit under this section only if the trial visit is agreed to by the community mental health program director[, or the designee of the director, for] of the county in which the person would reside.

(2) When [in the opinion of the authority,] the authority or the court determines that the committed person can be appropriately served by outpatient care during the period of commitment, the outpatient care may be required as a condition for trial visit for a period which, when added to the inpatient treatment period, [shall] may not exceed the period of commitment. If outpatient care is required as a condition for a trial visit, the conditions shall include a designation of a facility, service or other provider to provide care or treatment.

30 (3) A copy of the conditions for trial visit shall be given to all of the persons listed in ORS
31 426.278.

(4) Any trial visit granted under this section is subject to the provisions under ORS 426.275.

(5) The [director of the] community mental health program[, or designee,] director of the county in which a person who is on trial visit lives while on trial visit may modify the conditions for continued trial visit when such modification is in the best interest of the person. The community mental health program director shall send notification of [such] the changes and the reasons for the changes to all those who received a copy of the original conditions under ORS 426.278.

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SECTION 17. ORS 426.275 is amended to read:

426.275. The following are applicable to placements of mentally ill persons that are made as
 conditional release under ORS 426.125, outpatient commitments under ORS 426.127 or trial visits
 under ORS 426.273 as described:

(1) If the person responsible under this subsection determines that the mentally ill person is failing to adhere to the terms and conditions of the placement, the responsible person shall notify the court having jurisdiction that the mentally ill person is not adhering to the terms and conditions of the placement. If the placement is an outpatient commitment under ORS 426.127 or a trial visit

1 under ORS 426.273, the notifications shall include a copy of the conditions for the placement. The

2 person responsible for notifying the court under this subsection is as follows:

3 (a) For conditional releases under ORS 426.125, the guardian, relative or friend in whose care
4 the mentally ill person is conditionally released.

5 (b) For outpatient commitments under ORS 426.127, the community mental health program 6 director[, or designee of the director,] of the county in which the person on outpatient commitment 7 lives.

8 (c) For trial visits under ORS 426.273, the community mental health program director[, or 9 designee of the director,] of the county in which the person on trial visit is to receive outpatient 10 treatment.

(2) On its own motion, the court with jurisdiction of a mentally ill person on such placement may cause the person to be brought before it for a hearing to determine whether the person is or is not adhering to the terms and conditions of the placement. The person shall have the same rights with respect to notice, detention stay, hearing and counsel as for a hearing held under ORS 426.095. The court shall hold the hearing within five judicial days of the date the mentally ill person receives notice under this section. The court may allow postponement and detention during postponement as provided under ORS 426.095.

(3) Pursuant to the determination of the court upon hearing under this section, a person on
placement shall either continue the placement on the same or modified conditions or shall be returned to [the Oregon Health Authority] an inpatient facility for involuntary care and treatment,
[on an inpatient basis] subject to discharge at the end of the commitment period or as otherwise
provided under this chapter.

(4) If the person on placement is living in a county other than the county of the court that established the current period of commitment under ORS 426.130 during which the trial visit, conditional release or outpatient commitment takes place, the court establishing the current period of commitment shall transfer jurisdiction to the appropriate court of the county in which the person is living while on the placement and the court receiving the transfer shall accept jurisdiction.

(5) The court may proceed as provided in this section or ORS 426.307 [or this section] when the
 court:

30 (a) Receives notice under ORS 426.070 or 426.228 to 426.235; and

(b) Determines that the person is a mentally ill person on conditional release under ORS 426.125,
 outpatient commitment under ORS 426.127 or trial visit under ORS 426.273.

33 SECTION 18. ORS 426.292 is amended to read:

426.292. [Nothing in this chapter and ORS 430.397 to 430.401 prohibits the Oregon Health Authority from releasing] A community mental health program director, or, for a person committed to the supervision of a court, the court, may release a person from a hospital or other facility in which the person is being treated prior to the expiration of the period of commitment under ORS 426.130 when, in the opinion of the director of the facility or treating physician, the person is no longer [mentally ill] a mentally ill person.

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SECTION 19. ORS 426.300 is amended to read:

41 426.300. (1) The Oregon Health Authority shall, by filing a written certificate with the last 42 committing court and the court of residence, discharge any [*patient*] **person committed to the** 43 **authority** from court commitment, [*except one held upon an order of a court or judge having criminal* 44 *jurisdiction in an action or proceeding arising out of criminal offense when in its opinion*] **if the au-**45 **thority determines that** the [*individual*] **person** is no longer a mentally ill person or [*when in its*

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opinion] **that** the transfer of the [*individual*] **person** to a voluntary status is in the best interest of the treatment of the [*patient*] **person**.

3 (2) The authority may sign applications for public assistance on behalf of those [*patients*] **per-**4 **sons described in subsection (1) of this section** who may be eligible for public assistance.

5 (3) A person held upon an order of a court having criminal jurisdiction in an action or 6 proceeding, or a person committed to the supervision of the court, may be discharged upon 7 the earlier of a finding by the court that the person is no longer a mentally ill person or 12 8 months from the date of the commitment.

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SECTION 20. ORS 426.301 is amended to read:

426.301. (1) At the end of the 180-day period of commitment, any person whose status has not 10 been changed to voluntary shall be released unless the Oregon Health Authority certifies to the 11 12 court in the county where the treating facility is located that the person is still mentally ill and in 13 need of further treatment. The authority, pursuant to its rules, may delegate to the director of the treating facility the responsibility for making the certification. The director of the treating facility 14 15 shall consult with the community mental health program director of the person's county of resi-16 dence prior to making the certification. If the certification is made, the person will not be released, but the director of the treating facility shall immediately issue a copy of the certification to the 17 18 person and to the community mental health program director of the person's county of residence.

19 (2) The certification shall be served upon the person by the director of the **treating** facility 20 [wherein] **in which** the person is confined [or the designee of the director]. The director of the facility 21 shall inform the court in writing that service has been made and the date thereof.

(3) The certification shall advise the person of all the following:

(a) That the authority or facility has requested that commitment be continued for an additionalperiod of time.

(b) That the person may consult with legal counsel and that legal counsel will be provided forthe person without cost if the person is unable to afford legal counsel.

(c) That the person may protest this further commitment within 14 days, and if the person does
not commitment will be continued for an indefinite period of time up to 180 days.

(d) That if the person does protest a further period of commitment, the person is entitled to a
 hearing before the court on whether commitment should be continued.

(e) That the person may protest either orally or in writing by signing the form accompanying
the certification[;] and that the person is entitled to have a physician or other qualified person as
recommended by the authority, other than a member of the staff at the facility where the person is
confined, examine the person and report to the court the results of the examination.

(f) That the person may subpoen awitnesses and offer evidence on behalf of the person at thehearing.

(g) That if the person is without funds to retain legal counsel or an examining physician or qualified person as recommended by the authority, the court will appoint legal counsel, a physician or other qualified person.

40 (4) Nothing in subsection (3) of this section requires the giving of the warning under ORS41 426.123.

42 (5) The person serving the certification shall read and deliver the certification to the person and 43 ask whether the person protests a further period of commitment. The person may protest further 44 commitment either orally or by signing a simple protest form to be given to the person with the 45 certification. If the person does not protest a further period of commitment within 14 days of service

1 of the certification, the authority or facility shall so notify the court and the court shall, without

2 further hearing, order the commitment of the person for an additional indefinite period of time up

3 to 180 days.

4 (6) This section does not apply to a person described in ORS 426.005 (1)(e)(D) who is 5 committed to the supervision of a court.

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SECTION 21. ORS 426.303 is amended to read:

426.303. When [*the*] **a** person protests a further period of commitment **under ORS 426.301**, the Oregon Health Authority or facility designated in [*accordance with*] ORS 426.301 shall immediately notify the court and the court shall have the person brought before it and shall again advise the person that the authority or facility has requested that commitment be continued for an additional period of time and that if the person does not protest this commitment the commitment will be continued for an indefinite period of time up to 180 days. The person shall also be informed of the rights set forth in ORS 426.301.

14 **SECTION 22.** ORS 426.380 is amended to read:

426.380. (1) Any [*individual*] **person** committed **to a state hospital** pursuant to ORS 426.005 to 426.223 and 426.241 to 426.380 [*shall be*] **is** entitled to the writ of habeas corpus upon proper petition by the [*individual or a friend*] **person or by a guardian, friend or relative of the person** to any court generally empowered to issue the writ of habeas corpus in the county in which the state hospital in which the person is detained is located.

(2) A person described in ORS 426.005 (1)(e)(D) who is committed to the supervision of a
 court and receiving treatment in an inpatient opioid treatment program may appeal the
 commitment order to the Court of Appeals. The court on review shall give due deference to
 the findings of the committing court.

TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS

27 SECTION 23. ORS 163.738 is amended to read:

163.738. (1)(a) A citation shall notify the respondent of a circuit court hearing where the re spondent shall appear at the place and time set forth in the citation. The citation shall contain:

30 (A) The name of the court at which the respondent is to appear;

31 (B) The name of the respondent;

32 (C) A copy of the stalking complaint;

33 (D) The date, time and place at which the citation was issued;

34 (E) The name of the law enforcement officer who issued the citation;

35 (F) The time, date and place at which the respondent is to appear in court;

36 (G) Notice to the respondent that failure to appear at the time, date and place set forth in the 37 citation shall result in the respondent's arrest and entry of a court's stalking protective order; and

(H) Notice to the respondent of potential liability under federal law for the possession or pur chase of firearms or firearm ammunition and for other acts prohibited by 18 U.S.C. 2261 to 2262.

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(b) The officer shall notify the petitioner in writing of the place and time set for the hearing.

41 (2)(a) The hearing shall be held as indicated in the citation. At the hearing, the petitioner may 42 appear in person or by telephonic appearance. The respondent shall be given the opportunity to 43 show cause why a court's stalking protective order should not be entered. The hearing may be 44 continued for up to 30 days. The court may enter:

45 (A) A temporary stalking protective order pending further proceedings; or

1 (B) A court's stalking protective order if the court finds by a preponderance of the evidence 2 that:

3 (i) The person intentionally, knowingly or recklessly engages in repeated and unwanted contact
4 with the other person or a member of that person's immediate family or household thereby alarming
5 or coercing the other person;

6 (ii) It is objectively reasonable for a person in the victim's situation to have been alarmed or 7 coerced by the contact; and

8 (iii) The repeated and unwanted contact causes the victim reasonable apprehension regarding
9 the personal safety of the victim or a member of the victim's immediate family or household.

(b) In the order, the court shall specify the conduct from which the respondent is to refrain, which may include all contact listed in ORS 163.730 and any attempt to make contact listed in ORS 163.730. The order is of unlimited duration unless limited by law. If the respondent was provided notice and an opportunity to be heard, the court shall also include in the order, when appropriate, terms and findings sufficient under 18 U.S.C. 922 (d)(8) and (g)(8) to affect the respondent's ability to possess firearms and ammunition or engage in activities involving firearms.

(3) The circuit court may enter an order under this section against a minor respondent withoutappointment of a guardian ad litem.

(4) If the respondent fails to appear at the time, date and place specified in the citation, the
 circuit court shall issue a warrant of arrest as provided in ORS 133.110 in order to ensure the appearance of the respondent at court and shall enter a court's stalking protective order.

(5) The circuit court may also order the respondent to undergo mental health evaluation and, if indicated by the evaluation, treatment. If the respondent is without sufficient resources to obtain the evaluation or treatment, or both, the court shall refer the respondent to the mental health agency designated by the community mental health **program** director for evaluation or treatment, or both.

(6) If the circuit court, the mental health evaluator or any other persons have probable cause
to believe that the respondent is dangerous to self or others or is unable to provide for basic personal needs, the court shall initiate commitment [procedures] proceedings as provided in ORS
426.070 or 426.180.

(7) A law enforcement officer shall report the results of any investigation arising from a com plaint under ORS 163.744 to the district attorney within three days after presentation of the com plaint.

(8) Except for purposes of impeachment, a statement made by the respondent at a hearing under
this section may not be used as evidence in a prosecution for stalking as defined in ORS 163.732 or
for violating a court's stalking protective order as defined in ORS 163.750.

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SECTION 24. ORS 166.291 is amended to read:

37 166.291. (1) The sheriff of a county, upon a person's application for an Oregon concealed 38 handgun license, upon receipt of the appropriate fees and after compliance with the procedures set 39 out in this section, shall issue the person a concealed handgun license if the person:

40 (a)(A) Is a citizen of the United States; or

(B) Is a legal resident alien who can document continuous residency in the county for at least
six months and has declared in writing to the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services
the intent to acquire citizenship status and can present proof of the written declaration to the
sheriff at the time of application for the license;

45 (b) Is at least 21 years of age;

(c) Is a resident of the county; 1 (d) Has no outstanding warrants for arrest; 2 (e) Is not free on any form of pretrial release; 3 (f) Demonstrates competence with a handgun by any one of the following: 4 (A) Completion of any hunter education or hunter safety course approved by the State Depart-5 ment of Fish and Wildlife or a similar agency of another state if handgun safety was a component 6 7 of the course; (B) Completion of any National Rifle Association firearms safety or training course if handgun 8 9 safety was a component of the course; 10 (C) Completion of any firearms safety or training course or class available to the general public offered by law enforcement, community college, or private or public institution or organization or 11 12 firearms training school utilizing instructors certified by the National Rifle Association or a law 13 enforcement agency if handgun safety was a component of the course; (D) Completion of any law enforcement firearms safety or training course or class offered for 14 15 security guards, investigators, reserve law enforcement officers or any other law enforcement offi-16 cers if handgun safety was a component of the course; (E) Presents evidence of equivalent experience with a handgun through participation in organ-17 18 ized shooting competition or military service; 19 (F) Is licensed or has been licensed to carry a firearm in this state, unless the license has been 20revoked; or (G) Completion of any firearms training or safety course or class conducted by a firearms in-2122structor certified by a law enforcement agency or the National Rifle Association if handgun safety 23was a component of the course; (g) Has never been convicted of a felony or found guilty, except for insanity under ORS 161.295, 2425of a felony; (h) Has not been convicted of a misdemeanor or found guilty, except for insanity under ORS 2627161.295, of a misdemeanor within the four years prior to the application; (i) Has not been committed to the Oregon Health Authority under ORS 426.130; 28(j) Has not been found to be a mentally ill person as defined in ORS 426.005 (1)(e)(A), (B) 2930 or (C) and is not subject to an order under ORS 426.130 that the person be prohibited from pur-31 chasing or possessing a firearm as a result of that mental illness; (k) Has been discharged from the jurisdiction of the juvenile court for more than four years if, 32while a minor, the person was found to be within the jurisdiction of the juvenile court for having 33 34 committed an act that, if committed by an adult, would constitute a felony or a misdemeanor involving violence, as defined in ORS 166.470; 35 (L) Has not been convicted of an offense involving controlled substances or participated in a 36 37 court-supervised drug diversion program, except this disability does not operate to exclude a person 38 if: (A) The person has been convicted only once of violating ORS 475.864 (3) and has not completed 39 a court-supervised drug diversion program under ORS 135.907; or 40 (B) The person has completed a court-supervised drug diversion program under ORS 135.907 and 41 has not been convicted of violating ORS 475.864 (3); 42(m) Is not subject to a citation issued under ORS 163.735 or an order issued under ORS 30.866, 43 107.700 to 107.735 or 163.738; 44

45 (n) Has not received a dishonorable discharge from the Armed Forces of the United States; and

1 (o) Is not required to register as a sex offender in any state.

2 (2) A person who has been granted relief under ORS 166.274 or 166.293 or section 5, chapter 826, 3 Oregon Laws 2009, or 18 U.S.C. 925(c) or has had the person's record expunged under the laws of 4 this state or equivalent laws of other jurisdictions is not subject to the disabilities in subsection

5 (1)(g) to (L) of this section.

6 (3) Before the sheriff may issue a license:

7 (a) The application must state the applicant's legal name, current address and telephone number, 8 date and place of birth, hair and eye color and height and weight. The application must also list the 9 applicant's residence address or addresses for the previous three years. The application must contain 10 a statement by the applicant that the applicant meets the requirements of subsection (1) of this 11 section. The application may include the Social Security number of the applicant if the applicant 12 voluntarily provides this number. The application must be signed by the applicant.

13 (b) The applicant must submit to fingerprinting and photographing by the sheriff. The sheriff shall fingerprint and photograph the applicant and shall conduct any investigation necessary to 14 15 corroborate the requirements listed under subsection (1) of this section. If a nationwide criminal 16 records check is necessary, the sheriff shall request the Department of State Police to conduct the check, including fingerprint identification, through the Federal Bureau of Investigation. The Federal 17 18 Bureau of Investigation shall return the fingerprint cards used to conduct the criminal records 19 check and may not keep any record of the fingerprints. The Department of State Police shall report 20the results of the fingerprint-based criminal records check to the sheriff. The Department of State Police shall also furnish the sheriff with any information about the applicant that the Department 2122of State Police may have in its possession including, but not limited to, manual or computerized 23criminal offender information.

(4) Application forms for concealed handgun licenses shall be supplied by the sheriff upon re quest. The forms shall be uniform throughout this state in substantially the following form:

APPLICATION FOR LICENSE TO CARRY CONCEALED HANDGUN

Date_____

31 I hereby declare as follows:

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I am a citizen of the United States or a legal resident alien who can document continuous res-32idency in the county for at least six months and have declared in writing to the United States Cit-33 34 izenship and Immigration Services my intention to become a citizen and can present proof of the written declaration to the sheriff at the time of this application. I am at least 21 years of age. I have 35 been discharged from the jurisdiction of the juvenile court for more than four years if, while a mi-36 37 nor, I was found to be within the jurisdiction of the juvenile court for having committed an act that, 38 if committed by an adult, would constitute a felony or a misdemeanor involving violence, as defined in ORS 166.470. I have never been convicted of a felony or found guilty, except for insanity under 39 40 ORS 161.295, of a felony in the State of Oregon or elsewhere. I have not, within the last four years, been convicted of a misdemeanor or found guilty, except for insanity under ORS 161.295, of a 41 42 misdemeanor. Except as provided in ORS 166.291 (1)(L), I have not been convicted of an offense involving controlled substances or completed a court-supervised drug diversion program. There are 43 no outstanding warrants for my arrest and I am not free on any form of pretrial release. I have not 44 been committed to the Oregon Health Authority under ORS 426.130, nor have I been found to be a 45

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| 1 | mentally ill person as defined in ORS 426.005 (1)(e)(A), (B) or (C) and presently subject to an |
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| 2 | order prohibiting me from purchasing or possessing a firearm because of mental illness. If any of the |
| 3 | previous conditions do apply to me, I have been granted relief or wish to petition for relief from the |
| 4 | disability under ORS 166.274 or 166.293 or section 5, chapter 826, Oregon Laws 2009, or 18 U.S.C. |
| 5 | 925(c) or have had the records expunged. I am not subject to a citation issued under ORS 163.735 |
| 6 | or an order issued under ORS 30.866, 107.700 to 107.735 or 163.738. I have never received a dis- |
| 7 | honorable discharge from the Armed Forces of the United States. I am not required to register as |
| 8 | a sex offender in any state. I understand I will be fingerprinted and photographed. |
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| 10 | Legal name |
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| 12 | Place of birth |
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| 15 | thorized under ORS 166.291. It will be used only as a means of identification.) |
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| 17 | Proof of identification (Two pieces of current identification are required, one of which must bear a |
| 18 | photograph of the applicant. The type of identification and the number on the identification are to |
| 19 | be filled in by the sheriff.): |
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| 25 26 | Current address |
| 20 27 | (List residence addresses for the |
| 21 28 | past three years on the back.) |
| | past three years on the back.) |
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| 30 | City County Zip |
| 31 | Phone |
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| 33 | I have read the entire text of this application, and the statements therein are correct and true. |
| 34 | (Making false statements on this application is a misdemeanor.) |
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| 36 | (Signature of Applicant) |
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| 38 | Character references. |
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| 40 | Name Address |
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| Competence with handgun demonstrated by (to be filled in by sheriff) | |
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| icense No | |
| (5)(a) Fees for concealed handgun licenses are: | |
| (A) \$15 to the Department of State Police for conducting the fingerprint check of the app | olicant. |
| (B) \$50 to the sheriff for the issuance or renewal of a concealed handgun license. | |
| (C) \$15 to the sheriff for the duplication of a license because of loss or change of address | s. |
| (b) The sheriff may enter into an agreement with the Department of Transportation to p | roduce |
| ne concealed handgun license. | |
| (6) No civil or criminal liability shall attach to the sheriff or any authorized representation | ive en- |
| aged in the receipt and review of, or an investigation connected with, any application for, or | in the |
| suance, denial or revocation of, any license under ORS 166.291 to 166.295 as a result of the | lawful |
| erformance of duties under those sections. | |
| (7) Immediately upon acceptance of an application for a concealed handgun license, the | sheriff |
| nall enter the applicant's name into the Law Enforcement Data System indicating that the | person |
| an applicant for a concealed handgun license or is a license holder. | |
| (8) The county sheriff may waive the residency requirement in subsection $(1)(c)$ of this s | section |
| or a resident of a contiguous state who has a compelling business interest or other legi | itimate |
| emonstrated need. | |
| (9) For purposes of subsection (1)(c) of this section, a person is a resident of a county | if the |
| erson: | |
| (a) Has a current Oregon driver license issued to the person showing a residence address | in the |
| ounty; | |
| (b) Is registered to vote in the county and has a memorandum card issued to the person | under |
| RS 247.181 showing a residence address in the county; | |
| (c) Has documentation showing that the person currently leases or owns real property | in the |
| ounty; or | |
| (d) Has documentation showing that the person filed an Oregon tax return for the most | recent |
| ax year showing a residence address in the county. | |
| SECTION 25. ORS 166.291, as amended by section 10, chapter 826, Oregon Laws 200 | 9, and |
| ection 34, chapter 547, Oregon Laws 2011, is amended to read: | |
| 166.291. (1) The sheriff of a county, upon a person's application for an Oregon con | |
| andgun license, upon receipt of the appropriate fees and after compliance with the procedur | res set |
| at in this section, shall issue the person a concealed handgun license if the person: | |
| (a)(A) Is a citizen of the United States; or | _ |
| (B) Is a legal resident alien who can document continuous residency in the county for a | |
| x months and has declared in writing to the United States Citizenship and Immigration S | |
| he intent to acquire citizenship status and can present proof of the written declaration | to the |
| heriff at the time of application for the license; | |
| (b) Is at least 21 years of age; | |
| (c) Is a resident of the county; | |
| (d) Has no outstanding warrants for arrest; | |
| (e) Is not free on any form of pretrial release; | |

1 (f) Demonstrates competence with a handgun by any one of the following:

2 (A) Completion of any hunter education or hunter safety course approved by the State Depart-3 ment of Fish and Wildlife or a similar agency of another state if handgun safety was a component 4 of the course;

5 (B) Completion of any National Rifle Association firearms safety or training course if handgun 6 safety was a component of the course;

7 (C) Completion of any firearms safety or training course or class available to the general public 8 offered by law enforcement, community college, or private or public institution or organization or 9 firearms training school utilizing instructors certified by the National Rifle Association or a law 10 enforcement agency if handgun safety was a component of the course;

(D) Completion of any law enforcement firearms safety or training course or class offered for
 security guards, investigators, reserve law enforcement officers or any other law enforcement offi cers if handgun safety was a component of the course;

14 (E) Presents evidence of equivalent experience with a handgun through participation in organ-15 ized shooting competition or military service;

(F) Is licensed or has been licensed to carry a firearm in this state, unless the license has been
 revoked; or

(G) Completion of any firearms training or safety course or class conducted by a firearms instructor certified by a law enforcement agency or the National Rifle Association if handgun safety
was a component of the course;

(g) Has never been convicted of a felony or found guilty, except for insanity under ORS 161.295,
 of a felony;

(h) Has not been convicted of a misdemeanor or found guilty, except for insanity under ORS
 161.295, of a misdemeanor within the four years prior to the application;

25 (i) Has not been committed to the Oregon Health Authority under ORS 426.130;

(j) Has not been found to be a mentally ill person as defined in ORS 426.005 (1)(e)(A), (B)
 or (C) and is not subject to an order under ORS 426.130 that the person be prohibited from purchasing or possessing a firearm as a result of that mental illness;

(k) Has been discharged from the jurisdiction of the juvenile court for more than four years if, while a minor, the person was found to be within the jurisdiction of the juvenile court for having committed an act that, if committed by an adult, would constitute a felony or a misdemeanor involving violence, as defined in ORS 166.470;

(L) Has not been convicted of an offense involving controlled substances or participated in a
 court-supervised drug diversion program, except this disability does not operate to exclude a person
 if:

(A) The person has been convicted only once of violating ORS 475.864 (3) and has not completed
 a court-supervised drug diversion program under ORS 135.907; or

(B) The person has completed a court-supervised drug diversion program under ORS 135.907 and
has not been convicted of violating ORS 475.864 (3);

(m) Is not subject to a citation issued under ORS 163.735 or an order issued under ORS 30.866,
107.700 to 107.735 or 163.738;

(n) Has not received a dishonorable discharge from the Armed Forces of the United States; and(o) Is not required to register as a sex offender in any state.

44 (2) A person who has been granted relief under ORS 166.274 or 166.293 or 18 U.S.C. 925(c) or 45 has had the person's record expunged under the laws of this state or equivalent laws of other ju-

1 risdictions is not subject to the disabilities in subsection (1)(g) to (L) of this section.

2 (3) Before the sheriff may issue a license:

3 (a) The application must state the applicant's legal name, current address and telephone number, 4 date and place of birth, hair and eye color and height and weight. The application must also list the 5 applicant's residence address or addresses for the previous three years. The application must contain 6 a statement by the applicant that the applicant meets the requirements of subsection (1) of this 7 section. The application may include the Social Security number of the applicant if the applicant 8 voluntarily provides this number. The application must be signed by the applicant.

9 (b) The applicant must submit to fingerprinting and photographing by the sheriff. The sheriff shall fingerprint and photograph the applicant and shall conduct any investigation necessary to 10 corroborate the requirements listed under subsection (1) of this section. If a nationwide criminal 11 12 records check is necessary, the sheriff shall request the Department of State Police to conduct the check, including fingerprint identification, through the Federal Bureau of Investigation. The Federal 13 Bureau of Investigation shall return the fingerprint cards used to conduct the criminal records 14 15 check and may not keep any record of the fingerprints. The Department of State Police shall report 16 the results of the fingerprint-based criminal records check to the sheriff. The Department of State Police shall also furnish the sheriff with any information about the applicant that the Department 17 18 of State Police may have in its possession including, but not limited to, manual or computerized 19 criminal offender information.

(4) Application forms for concealed handgun licenses shall be supplied by the sheriff upon re quest. The forms shall be uniform throughout this state in substantially the following form:

APPLICATION FOR LICENSE TO CARRY CONCEALED HANDGUN

Date_____

27 I hereby declare as follows:

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I am a citizen of the United States or a legal resident alien who can document continuous res-28idency in the county for at least six months and have declared in writing to the United States Cit-2930 izenship and Immigration Services my intention to become a citizen and can present proof of the 31 written declaration to the sheriff at the time of this application. I am at least 21 years of age. I have been discharged from the jurisdiction of the juvenile court for more than four years if, while a mi-32nor, I was found to be within the jurisdiction of the juvenile court for having committed an act that, 33 34 if committed by an adult, would constitute a felony or a misdemeanor involving violence, as defined in ORS 166.470. I have never been convicted of a felony or found guilty, except for insanity under 35 36 ORS 161.295, of a felony in the State of Oregon or elsewhere. I have not, within the last four years, 37 been convicted of a misdemeanor or found guilty, except for insanity under ORS 161.295, of a 38 misdemeanor. Except as provided in ORS 166.291 (1)(L), I have not been convicted of an offense involving controlled substances or completed a court-supervised drug diversion program. There are 39 40 no outstanding warrants for my arrest and I am not free on any form of pretrial release. I have not 41 been committed to the Oregon Health Authority under ORS 426.130, nor have I been found to be a 42 mentally ill person as defined in ORS 426.005 (1)(e)(A), (B) or (C) and presently subject to an 43 order prohibiting me from purchasing or possessing a firearm because of mental illness. If any of the previous conditions do apply to me, I have been granted relief or wish to petition for relief from the 44 disability under ORS 166.274 or 166.293 or 18 U.S.C. 925(c) or have had the records expunged. I am 45

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| 1 | not subject to a citation issued under ORS 163.735 or an order issued under ORS 30.866, 107.700 to |
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| 2 | 107.735 or 163.738. I have never received a dishonorable discharge from the Armed Forces of the |
| 3 | United States. I am not required to register as a sex offender in any state. I understand I will be |
| 4 | fingerprinted and photographed. |
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| 6 | Legal name |
| 7 | Age Date of birth |
| 8 | Place of birth |
| 9 | Social Security number |
| 10 | (Disclosure of your Social Security account number is voluntary. Solicitation of the number is au- |
| 11 | thorized under ORS 166.291. It will be used only as a means of identification.) |
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| 13 | Proof of identification (Two pieces of current identification are required, one of which must bear a |
| 14 | photograph of the applicant. The type of identification and the number on the identification are to |
| 15 | be filled in by the sheriff.): |
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| 19 | Height Weight |
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| 22 | Current address |
| 23 | (List residence addresses for the |
| 24 | past three years on the back.) |
| 25 | |
| 26 | City County Zip |
| 27 | Phone |
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| 29 | I have read the entire text of this application, and the statements therein are correct and true. |
| 30 | (Making false statements on this application is a misdemeanor.) |
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| 32 | (Signature of Applicant) |
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| 34 | Character references. |
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1 2 (5)(a) Fees for concealed handgun licenses are: (A) \$15 to the Department of State Police for conducting the fingerprint check of the applicant. 3 (B) \$50 to the sheriff for the issuance or renewal of a concealed handgun license. 4 (C) \$15 to the sheriff for the duplication of a license because of loss or change of address. 5 (b) The sheriff may enter into an agreement with the Department of Transportation to produce 6 the concealed handgun license. 7 (6) No civil or criminal liability shall attach to the sheriff or any authorized representative en-8 9 gaged in the receipt and review of, or an investigation connected with, any application for, or in the issuance, denial or revocation of, any license under ORS 166.291 to 166.295 as a result of the lawful 10 performance of duties under those sections. 11 12 (7) Immediately upon acceptance of an application for a concealed handgun license, the sheriff 13 shall enter the applicant's name into the Law Enforcement Data System indicating that the person is an applicant for a concealed handgun license or is a license holder. 14 15 (8) The county sheriff may waive the residency requirement in subsection (1)(c) of this section for a resident of a contiguous state who has a compelling business interest or other legitimate 16 17 demonstrated need. 18 (9) For purposes of subsection (1)(c) of this section, a person is a resident of a county if the 19 person: (a) Has a current Oregon driver license issued to the person showing a residence address in the 2021county; 22(b) Is registered to vote in the county and has a memorandum card issued to the person under 23ORS 247.181 showing a residence address in the county; (c) Has documentation showing that the person currently leases or owns real property in the 2425county; or (d) Has documentation showing that the person filed an Oregon tax return for the most recent 2627tax year showing a residence address in the county. SECTION 26. ORS 166.470 is amended to read: 28166.470. (1) Unless relief has been granted under ORS 166.274 or section 5, chapter 826, Oregon 2930 Laws 2009, or 18 U.S.C. 925(c) or the expunction laws of this state or an equivalent law of another 31 jurisdiction, a person may not intentionally sell, deliver or otherwise transfer any firearm when the transferor knows or reasonably should know that the recipient: 32(a) Is under 18 years of age; 33 34 (b) Has been convicted of a felony; (c) Has any outstanding felony warrants for arrest; 35 36 (d) Is free on any form of pretrial release for a felony; 37 (e) Was committed to the Oregon Health Authority under ORS 426.130; (f) After January 1, 1990, was found to be a mentally ill person as defined in ORS 426.005 38 (1)(e)(A), (B) or (C) and subject to an order under ORS 426.130 that the person be prohibited from 39 purchasing or possessing a firearm as a result of that mental illness; 40 (g) Has been convicted of a misdemeanor involving violence or found guilty except for insanity 41 under ORS 161.295 of a misdemeanor involving violence within the previous four years. As used in 42 this paragraph, "misdemeanor involving violence" means a misdemeanor described in ORS 163.160, 43 163.187, 163.190, 163.195 or 166.155 (1)(b); or 44 (h) Has been found guilty except for insanity under ORS 161.295 of a felony. 45

(2) A person may not sell, deliver or otherwise transfer any firearm that the person knows or 1 2 reasonably should know is stolen. 3 (3) Subsection (1)(a) of this section does not prohibit: (a) The parent or guardian, or another person with the consent of the parent or guardian, of a 4 minor from transferring to the minor a firearm, other than a handgun; or $\mathbf{5}$ (b) The temporary transfer of any firearm to a minor for hunting, target practice or any other 6 lawful purpose. 7 (4) Violation of this section is a Class A misdemeanor. 8 9 SECTION 27. ORS 166.470, as amended by section 11, chapter 826, Oregon Laws 2009, is 10 amended to read: 166.470. (1) Unless relief has been granted under ORS 166.274 or 18 U.S.C. 925(c) or the 11 12 expunction laws of this state or an equivalent law of another jurisdiction, a person may not inten-13 tionally sell, deliver or otherwise transfer any firearm when the transferor knows or reasonably should know that the recipient: 14 15 (a) Is under 18 years of age; 16 (b) Has been convicted of a felony; (c) Has any outstanding felony warrants for arrest; 17 18 (d) Is free on any form of pretrial release for a felony; (e) Was committed to the Oregon Health Authority under ORS 426.130; 19 (f) After January 1, 1990, was found to be a mentally ill person as defined in ORS 426.005 20(1)(e)(A), (B) or (C) and subject to an order under ORS 426.130 that the person be prohibited from 2122purchasing or possessing a firearm as a result of that mental illness; 23(g) Has been convicted of a misdemeanor involving violence or found guilty except for insanity under ORS 161.295 of a misdemeanor involving violence within the previous four years. As used in 24this paragraph, "misdemeanor involving violence" means a misdemeanor described in ORS 163.160, 25163.187, 163.190, 163.195 or 166.155 (1)(b); or 2627(h) Has been found guilty except for insanity under ORS 161.295 of a felony. (2) A person may not sell, deliver or otherwise transfer any firearm that the person knows or 28reasonably should know is stolen. 2930 (3) Subsection (1)(a) of this section does not prohibit: 31 (a) The parent or guardian, or another person with the consent of the parent or guardian, of a 32minor from transferring to the minor a firearm, other than a handgun; or (b) The temporary transfer of any firearm to a minor for hunting, target practice or any other 33 34 lawful purpose. 35 (4) Violation of this section is a Class A misdemeanor. SECTION 28. ORS 426.020 is amended to read: 36 37 426.020. (1) The superintendent of a hospital referred to in ORS 426.010 shall be a person the Oregon Health Authority considers qualified to administer the hospital. If the superintendent of any 38 hospital is a physician licensed by the Oregon Medical Board, the superintendent shall serve as 39 chief medical officer. 40 (2) If the superintendent is not a physician, [the Director of] the Oregon Health Authority [or the 41 designee of the director] shall designate a physician to serve as chief medical officer. The designated 42 chief medical officer may be an appointed state employee in the unclassified service, a self-employed 43 contractor or an employee of a public or private entity that contracts with the authority to provide 44 chief medical officer services. Unless the designated chief medical officer is specifically appointed 45

1 as a state employee in the unclassified service, the designated chief medical officer shall not be 2 deemed a state employee for purposes of any state statute, rule or policy.

3 (3)(a) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the designated chief medical officer may su-4 pervise physicians who are employed by the hospital or who provide services at the hospital pursu-5 ant to a contract.

6 (b) The designated chief medical officer may delegate all or part of the authority to supervise 7 other physicians at the hospital to a physician who is employed by the state, a self-employed con-8 tractor or an employee of a public or private entity that contracts with the authority to provide 9 physician services.

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SECTION 29. ORS 426.075 is amended to read:

426.075. This section establishes procedures that are required to be followed before the hearing
if a court, under ORS 426.070, orders a hearing under ORS 426.095. The following apply as described:
(1) The court shall be fully advised of all drugs and other treatment known to have been administered to the allegedly mentally ill person that may substantially affect the ability of the person
to prepare for or function effectively at the hearing. The following shall advise the court as required by this subsection:

(a) When not otherwise provided by paragraph (b) of this subsection, the community mental
 health program director [or designee].

(b) When the person has been detained by a warrant of detention under ORS 426.070, 426.180,
426.228, 426.232 or 426.233, the treating physician.

(2) The court shall appoint examiners under ORS 426.110 sufficiently long before the hearing so that [*they*] **the examiners** may begin their preparation for the hearing. The records established by the Oregon Health Authority by rule and the investigation report shall be made available to the examiners at least 24 hours before the hearing in order that the examiners may review the medical record and have an opportunity to inquire of the medical personnel concerning the treatment of the allegedly mentally ill person relating to the detention period prior to the hearing.

(3) The medical record described in subsection (2) of this section shall be made available tocounsel for the allegedly mentally ill person at least 24 hours prior to the hearing.

(4) When requested by a party to the action, the party's attorney shall subpoen physicians who
 are or have been treating the allegedly mentally ill person. Any treating physician subpoenaed under
 this subsection shall be subpoenaed as an expert witness.

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SECTION 30. ORS 426.090 is amended to read:

426.090. [The judge] A court shall cause a citation to issue to the allegedly mentally ill person 33 34 stating the nature of the information filed concerning the person and the specific reasons the person is believed to be mentally ill. The citation shall further contain a notice of the time and place of the 35 commitment hearing, the right to legal counsel, the right to have legal counsel appointed if the 36 37 person is unable to afford legal counsel, and, if requested, to have legal counsel immediately ap-38 pointed, the right to subpoena witnesses in behalf of the person to the hearing and other information as the court may direct. The citation shall be served upon the person by delivering a duly certified 39 40 copy of the original thereof to the person in person prior to the hearing. The person shall have an 41 opportunity to consult with legal counsel prior to being brought before the court.

42 **SECTION 31.** ORS 426.110 is amended to read:

43 426.110. The following requirements relating to the appointment of examiners for purposes of a
 44 hearing under ORS 426.095 apply as described:

45 (1) The [judge] court shall appoint one qualified examiner. If requested, the [judge] court shall

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| 1 | appoint one additional qualified examiner. A request for an additional examiner under this sub- |
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| 2 | section must be made in writing and must be made by the allegedly mentally ill person or the at- |
| 3 | torney for the allegedly mentally ill person. |
| 4 | (2) To be qualified for purposes of this section, an examiner must meet all of the following |
| 5 | qualifications: |
| 6 | (a) The person must agree to be an examiner. |
| 7 | (b) The person must be one of the following: |
| 8 | (A) A physician licensed by the Oregon Medical Board who is competent to practice psychiatry |
| 9 | as provided by the Oregon Health Authority by rule. |
| 10 | (B) Certified as a mental health examiner qualified to make examinations for involuntary com- |
| 11 | mitment proceedings by the authority. The authority may establish, by rule, requirements for cer- |
| 12 | tification as a mental health examiner for purposes of this subparagraph. |
| 13 | (3) The cost of examiners under this section shall be paid as provided under ORS 426.250. |
| 14 | SECTION 32. ORS 426.125 is amended to read: |
| 15 | 426.125. The following qualifications, requirements and other provisions relating to a conditional |
| 16 | release under ORS 426.130 apply as described: |
| 17 | (1) A court may [only] order conditional release only if all of the following occur: |
| 18 | (a) The conditional release is requested by the legal guardian, relative or friend of the mentally |
| 19 | ill person. |
| 20 | (b) The person requesting the conditional release requests to be allowed to care for the mentally |
| 21 | ill person during the period of commitment in a place satisfactory to the [judge] court. |
| 22 | (c) The person requesting the release establishes all of the following to the satisfaction of the |
| | court: |
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| 23 24 | (A) Ability to care for the mentally ill person. |
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| 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 | (A) Ability to care for the mentally ill person. (B) That there are adequate financial resources available for the care of the mentally ill person. (2) If the court determines to allow conditional release, the court shall order that the mentally ill person be conditionally released and placed in the care of the requester. The court shall establish any terms and conditions on the conditional release that the court determines appropriate. (3) Any conditional release ordered under this section is subject to the provisions under ORS 426.275. <u>SECTION 33.</u> ORS 426.231 is amended to read: |
| 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 | (A) Ability to care for the mentally ill person. (B) That there are adequate financial resources available for the care of the mentally ill person. (2) If the court determines to allow conditional release, the court shall order that the mentally ill person be conditionally released and placed in the care of the requester. The court shall establish any terms and conditions on the conditional release that the court determines appropriate. (3) Any conditional release ordered under this section is subject to the provisions under ORS 426.275. <u>SECTION 33.</u> ORS 426.231 is amended to read: 426.231. (1) A physician licensed by the Oregon Medical Board may hold a person for transpor- |
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1 a person authorized under ORS 426.233 or the [designee of a] community mental health program di-

2 rector to transport a person to the treatment facility indicated on the statement.

3 **SECTION 34.** ORS 426.233 is amended to read:

4 426.233. (1)(a) A community mental health program director operating under ORS 430.610 to 5 430.695 [or a designee thereof, under] **and under the** authorization of a county governing body[,] may 6 take one of the actions listed in paragraph (b) of this subsection when the community mental health 7 program director [or designee] has probable cause to believe a person:

8 (A) Is dangerous to self or to any other person and is in need of immediate care, custody or 9 treatment for mental illness; [or]

(B)(i) Is a mentally ill person placed on conditional release under ORS 426.125, outpatient com mitment under ORS 426.127 or trial visit under ORS 426.273; and

(ii) Is dangerous to self or to any other person or is unable to provide for basic personal needs
and is not receiving the care that is necessary for health and safety and is in need of immediate
care, custody or treatment for mental illness.

(b) The community mental health program director [or designee] under the circumstances set out
 in paragraph (a) of this subsection may:

(A) Notify a peace officer to take the person into custody and direct the officer to remove the
 person to a hospital or nonhospital facility approved by the Oregon Health Authority;

(B) Authorize involuntary admission of, or, if already admitted, cause to be involuntarily retained in a nonhospital facility approved by the authority, a person approved for care or treatment
at a nonhospital facility by a physician under ORS 426.232;

(C) Notify a person authorized under subsection (3) of this section to take the person into custody and direct the authorized person to remove the person in custody to a hospital or nonhospital
facility approved by the authority;

(D) Direct a person authorized under subsection (3) of this section to transport a person in custody from a hospital or a nonhospital facility approved by the authority to another hospital or nonhospital facility approved by the authority as provided under ORS 426.235; or

(E) Direct a person authorized under subsection (3) of this section to transport a person in
 custody from a facility approved by the authority to another facility approved by the authority as
 provided under ORS 426.060.

(2) A [designee] peace officer or authorized person under subsection (1) of this section must
be recommended by the community mental health program director, meet the standards established
by rule of the authority and be approved by the county governing body before assuming the authority permitted under subsection (1) of this section.

(3) The county governing body may, upon recommendation by the community mental health program director, authorize any person to provide custody and secure transportation services for a person in custody under ORS 426.228. In authorizing a person under this subsection, the county governing body shall grant the person the authority to do the following:

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(a) Accept custody from a peace officer of a person in custody under ORS 426.228;

40 (b) Take custody of a person upon notification by the community mental health program director
41 under the provisions of this section;

42 (c) Remove a person in custody to an approved hospital or nonhospital facility as directed by
43 the community mental health program director;

(d) Transfer a person in custody to another person authorized under this subsection or a peaceofficer;

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1 (e) Transfer a person in custody from a hospital or nonhospital facility to another hospital fa-2 cility or nonhospital facility when directed to do so by the community mental health program di-3 rector; and

4 (f) Retain a person in custody at the approved hospital or nonhospital facility until a physician 5 makes a determination under ORS 426.232.

6 (4) A person authorized under subsection (3) of this section must be recommended by the com-7 munity mental health program director, meet the standards established by rule of the authority and 8 be approved by the governing body before assuming the authority granted under this section.

9 (5) The costs of transporting a person as authorized under ORS 426.060, 426.228 or 426.235 by a person authorized under subsection (3) of this section [shall be] are the responsibility of the 10 county whose peace officer or community mental health program director directs the authorized 11 12 person to take custody of a person and to transport the person to a facility approved by the au-13 thority, but the county [shall not be] is not responsible for costs that exceed the amount provided by the state for that transportation. A person authorized to act under subsection (3) of this section 14 15 shall charge the cost of emergency medical transportation to, and collect that cost from, the person, 16 third party payers or otherwise legally responsible persons or agencies in the same manner that costs for the transportation of other persons are charged and collected. 17

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SECTION 35. ORS 426.234 is amended to read:

426.234. (1) At the time a person is admitted to or retained in a hospital or nonhospital facility
under ORS 426.232 or 426.233, a physician, nurse or qualified mental health professional at the
hospital or nonhospital facility shall:

(a) Inform the person of the person's right to representation by or appointment of counsel as
 described in ORS 426.100;

24 (b) Give the person the warning under ORS 426.123;

25 (c) Immediately examine the allegedly mentally ill person;

(d) Set forth, in writing, the condition of the person and the need for emergency care or treat-ment; and

(e) If the physician, nurse or qualified mental health professional reasonably suspects that the person is a foreign national, inform the person of the person's right to communicate with an official from the consulate of the person's country. A physician, nurse or qualified mental health professional is not civilly or criminally liable for failure to provide the information required by this paragraph. Failure to provide the information required by this paragraph does not in itself constitute grounds for the exclusion of evidence that would otherwise be admissible in a proceeding.

(2)(a) At the time the person is admitted to or retained in a hospital under ORS 426.232, the physician shall contact the community mental health program director of the county in which the person resides, if the county of residence is different from the county in which the hospital is located. The community mental health program director may request that the physician notify the circuit court in the county in which the person resides. If the community mental health program director does not make the request authorized by this paragraph, the physician shall notify, immediately and in writing, the circuit court in the county in which the person is hospitalized.

(b) At the time the person is admitted to a hospital under ORS 426.232 after being brought to the hospital by a peace officer under ORS 426.228, the physician shall contact the community mental health program director of the county in which the person is hospitalized. The community mental health program director of the county in which the person is hospitalized may request that the physician notify the circuit court in the county in which the person is hospitalized. If the community

1 mental health program director does not make the request authorized by this paragraph, the physi-

cian shall notify, immediately and in writing, the circuit court in the county in which the personwas taken into custody.

4 (c) If, at any time prior to the hearing under ORS 426.070 to 426.130, the physician responsible 5 for a person admitted or retained under ORS 426.232 determines that the person is not dangerous 6 to self or others and is not in need of emergency care or treatment for mental illness, the physician 7 may release the person from the detention authorized by ORS 426.232. The physician shall imme-8 diately notify the circuit court notified under this subsection and the community mental health 9 program director of the person's release from detention.

(3)(a) At the time the person is admitted to or retained in a nonhospital facility under ORS 10 426.233, the community mental health program director [in] of the county where the person was 11 12 taken into custody shall contact the community mental health program director of the county in 13 which the person resides, if the county of residence is different from the county in which the person was taken into custody. The community mental health program director of the county in which the 14 15 person resides may request that the community mental health program director of the county in 16 which the person was taken into custody notify the circuit court in the county where the person resides. Otherwise, the community mental health program director of the county in which the person 17 18 was taken into custody shall notify, immediately and in writing, the circuit court in the county in 19 which the person was taken into custody.

(b) If, at any time prior to the hearing under ORS 426.070 to 426.130, a community mental health program director, after consultation with a physician, determines that a person admitted or retained under ORS 426.233 is not dangerous to self or others and is not in need of immediate care, custody or treatment for mental illness, the community mental health program director may release the person from detention. The community mental health program director shall immediately notify the circuit court originally notified under paragraph (a) of this subsection of the person's release from detention.

27(4) When the [judge of the] circuit court receives notice under subsection (2) or (3) of this section, the [judge] court immediately shall commence proceedings under ORS 426.070 to 426.130. In a 28county having a population of 100,000 or more, and when feasible in a county with a lesser popu-2930 lation, the community mental health program director [or designee] who directs the peace officer or 31 other authorized person to take a person into custody under ORS 426.233 shall not also conduct the investigation as provided for under ORS 426.074. Except when a person is being held under ORS 32426.237 (1)(b), a person shall not be held under ORS 426.232 or 426.233 for more than five judicial 33 34 days without a hearing being held under ORS 426.070 to 426.130.

(5) When the [*judge of the*] circuit court receives notice under subsection (2)(c) or (3)(b) of this section that a person has been released, and unless the court receives the recommendation required by ORS 426.070 (4), the [*judge*] **court** shall dismiss the case no later than 14 days after the date the person was initially detained.

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SECTION 36. ORS 426.278 is amended to read:

40 426.278. The following persons shall be given a copy of the conditions of a placement of a men-41 tally ill person that is made as an outpatient commitment under ORS 426.127 or as a trial visit under 42 ORS 426.273:

43 (1) The committed person;

44 (2) The community mental health program director[, or designee of the director,] of the county
45 in which the committed person is to receive outpatient treatment;

(3) The director of any facility, service or other provider designated to provide care or treat-1 2 ment;

3 (4) The court of current commitment; and

(5) The appropriate court of the county in which the committed person lives during the com-4 mitment period if the person is living in a different county than the county of the court that made 5 the current commitment. 6

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SECTION 37. ORS 426.310 is amended to read:

426.310. (1) If the mentally ill person is a resident of some other county in this state, the county 8 9 making the commitment shall be reimbursed by the county of which the person is a resident. All reasonable and actual expenses incurred and paid by the county by reason of the care, custody, 10 treatment, investigation examination and commitment hearing shall, upon presentation of a copy of 11 12 the order of the [judge] court making the examination and commitment, together with a properly 13 itemized and certified claim covering the expense, be promptly paid to the county making the **commitment** by the county of which the person was a resident. The expenses reimbursed under this 14 15 subsection shall include any expenses incurred to pay for representation of the state's interest under 16 ORS 426.100 and 426.250.

(2) If an allegedly mentally ill person is a resident of some other county in this state, a county 17 18 attempting a commitment shall be reimbursed by the county of which the person is a resident, as 19 defined in ORS 426.241, for all actual, reasonable expenses incurred and paid by the county at-20tempting commitment by reason of the care, custody, treatment, investigation examination and commitment hearing. The expenses reimbursed under this subsection shall include any expenses in-2122curred to pay for representation of the state's interest under ORS 426.100 and 426.250.

23SECTION 38. ORS 426.335 is amended to read:

426.335. The following limitations on liability and circumstances are applicable to situations 24 25within this chapter and ORS 430.397 to 430.401:

(1) None of the following shall in any way be held criminally or civilly liable for the making of 2627the notification under ORS 426.070, provided the person acts in good faith, on probable cause and without malice: 28

(a) The community mental health program director [or designee of the director]. 29

30 (b) The two petitioning persons.

31 (c) The county health officer.

(d) Any magistrate. 32

(e) Any peace officer or parole and probation officer. 33

34 (f) Any physician attending the allegedly mentally ill person.

(g) The physician attached to a hospital or institution wherein the allegedly mentally ill person 35 is a patient. 36

37 (2) The person conducting the investigation under ORS 426.070 and 426.074 shall not be held 38 criminally or civilly liable for conducting the investigation, provided the investigator acts in good faith, on probable cause and without malice. 39

40 (3) The person representing the state's interest under ORS 426.100 shall not be held criminally or civilly liable for performing responsibilities under ORS 426.100 as long as the person acts in good 41 faith and without malice. 42

(4) No person appointed under ORS 426.110 to conduct an examination under ORS 426.120 shall 43 be held criminally or civilly liable for actions pursuant to ORS 426.120 if the examiner acts in good 44 faith and without malice. 45

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(5) No physician, hospital or judge shall be held criminally or civilly liable for actions pursuant 1 2 to ORS 426.228, 426.231, 426.232, 426.234 or 426.235 if the physician, hospital or judge acts in good faith, on probable cause and without malice. 3 (6) No peace officer, person authorized under ORS 426.233, community mental health program 4 director [or designee], hospital or other facility, physician or judge shall in any way be held 5 criminally or civilly liable for actions pursuant to ORS 426.228 to 426.235 if the individual or facility 6 7 acts in good faith, on probable cause and without malice. (7) Any guardian, relative or friend of a mentally ill person who assumes responsibility for the 8 9 mentally ill person under a conditional release under ORS 426.125 shall not be liable for any damages that are sustained by any person on account of the misconduct of the mentally ill person while 10 on conditional release if the guardian, relative or friend acts in good faith and without malice. 11 12 (8) The persons designated in this subsection shall not be liable for damages that are sustained 13 by any person or property on account of the misconduct of a mentally ill person while the mentally ill person is on outpatient commitment under ORS 426.127 if the designated person acts without 14 15 willful and wanton neglect of duty. This subsection is applicable to all of the following: 16 (a) The community mental health program director [and the designee of the director for] of the county in which the committed person resides. 17 18 (b) The superintendent or director of any staff of any facility where the mentally ill person receives treatment during the outpatient commitment. 19 20(c) The Director of the Oregon Health Authority. (d) The physician and the facility granting an outpatient commitment to a patient. 2122(9) For trial visits granted under ORS 426.273 and 426.275: (a) None of the following shall be liable for a patient's expenses while on trial visit: 23(A) The physician and the facility granting a trial visit to a patient; 24 (B) The superintendent or director of the facility granting a trial visit; 25(C) The Director of the Oregon Health Authority; and 2627(D) The chief medical officer of the facility. (b) The following persons shall not be liable for damages that are sustained by any person on 28account of the misconduct of such patient while on trial visit if the person acts without willful and 2930 wanton neglect of duty: 31 (A) The community mental health program director [for] of the county in which the person resides; 32(B) The superintendent, director or chief medical officer of any facility granting a trial visit to 33 34 a patient; 35 (C) The physician responsible for the patient's trial visit; (D) The Director of the Oregon Health Authority; or 36 37 (E) The employees and agents of persons listed in this paragraph. 38 SECTION 39. ORS 426.370 is amended to read: 426.370. A community mental health program director [or designee] may withhold information 39 obtained during an investigation under ORS 426.070, 426.228, 426.232, 426.233 or 426.234 if the com-40 munity mental health program director determines: 41

(1) That information was not included in its investigation report or otherwise used in a material
way to support a determination by the community mental health program director that there was
probable cause to believe a person was a mentally ill person; and

45 (2) Release of the information would constitute a clear and immediate danger to any person.

1 **SECTION 40.** ORS 427.300 is amended to read:

2 427.300. (1) The Department of Human Services may, at its discretion, direct any person with 3 an intellectual disability who has been committed under ORS 427.290 to the facility best able to 4 treat and train the person. The authority of the department on such matters shall be final.

(2) At any time, for good cause and in the best interest of the person, the department may decide 5 to transfer a resident from one facility to another or discharge a resident as no longer in need of 6 residential care, treatment or training in a state training center. Fifteen days prior to department 7 action, the department shall notify the resident and the parent, guardian or person entitled to cus-8 9 tody of the resident by certified mail of its decision. The notice shall indicate the right of the aforementioned parties to appeal this decision to the State Training Center Review Board in writing 10 within 10 days after receipt of notice. Within 30 days from the date the appeal is received by the 11 12 department, the State Training Center Review Board shall hold a hearing at which the department 13 and the person having filed the appeal shall present their case and shall communicate its recommendation to the Director of Human Services pursuant to ORS 427.205 (4)(b); and the director shall 14 15 communicate the decision of the director by certified mail to the appealing party.

(3) The department, pursuant to its rules, may delegate to a community developmental disabilities program director the responsibility for assignment of persons with intellectual disabilities to
suitable facilities or transfer between such facilities under conditions which the department may
define. Any voluntary client or resident shall be released from the treating or training facility within
business days of the request of the client or resident for release, unless commitment
[procedures] proceedings are initiated under ORS 427.235.

21 [procedures] proceedings are initiated under OKS 427.255

22 **SECTION 41.** ORS 428.210 is amended to read:

23 428.210. As used in ORS 428.210 to 428.270:

24 (1) "Authority" means the Oregon Health Authority.

25 (2) "Department" means the Department of Human Services.

(3) "Foreign hospital" means an institution in any other state which corresponds to the insti tutions defined in subsection (8) of this section.

(4) "Nonresident" means any person who is not a resident of this state as defined in subsection(7) of this section.

(5) "Other state" includes all the states, territories, possessions, commonwealths and agencies
 of the United States and the District of Columbia, with the exception of the State of Oregon.

(6) "Patient" means any person who has been committed by a court of competent jurisdiction
to a state hospital, except a person committed to a state hospital pursuant to ORS 136.150 (1969
Replacement Part), 136.160 (1969 Replacement Part), 161.341 or 161.370.

(7) "Resident of this state" means a person who has lived in this state continuously for a period of one year and who has not acquired legal residence in any other state by living continuously therein for at least one year subsequent to the residence of the person in this state. However, a service man or woman on active duty in the Armed Forces of the United States who was domiciled in Oregon upon entry into active duty and who has acquired no other domicile shall be entitled to have his or her children considered a resident of this state so long as no other domicile is acquired by the service man or woman.

42 (8) "State hospital" means any institution listed in ORS 426.010 (1) or 427.010.

43 **SECTION 42.** ORS 480.225 is amended to read:

44 480.225. (1) A person is eligible for a certificate of possession under ORS 480.235 if:

45 (a) The person has not been convicted, or found guilty except for insanity under ORS 161.295,

1 of a misdemeanor involving violence, as defined in ORS 166.470, within the previous four years. A

2 person who has been so convicted is eligible under this subsection following the expiration of seven

3 years after the date of final and unconditional discharge from all imprisonment, probation and parole

4 resulting from the conviction.

(b) The person has not been convicted, or found guilty except for insanity under ORS 161.295,
of, and is not under indictment for, any felony.

7 (c) The person is not a fugitive from justice, has no outstanding warrants for arrest and is not 8 free on any form of pretrial release for any offenses listed in paragraphs (a) and (b) of this sub-9 section.

(d) The person has not been determined to be mentally ill under ORS 426.130 or to have an in-10 tellectual disability under ORS 427.290. A person who previously has been so determined is eligible 11 12 under this subsection if, at the time of application for such a certificate, the person produces a 13 certified copy of a full discharge from the proper state hospital or treatment facility. The Oregon Health Authority shall provide the State Fire Marshal with direct electronic access to the 14 15 authority's database of information identifying persons meeting the criteria of this section who were 16 committed or subject to an order under ORS 426.130. The State Fire Marshal and the authority shall enter into an agreement describing the access to information under this subsection. 17

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(e) The person is at least 21 years of age.

(f) The person does not use a fictitious name or make a material misrepresentation in applica-tion for such a certificate.

(g)(A) The person has not been convicted of, and is not under indictment for, a criminal offense
 involving a controlled substance as defined in ORS 475.005, other than the offense of driving under
 the influence of intoxicants.

(B) Notwithstanding subparagraph (A) of this paragraph, a person who has had a certificate
denied or revoked due to conviction of a criminal offense involving a controlled substance is eligible
under this section following the expiration of seven years after the date of final and unconditional
discharge from all imprisonment, probation and parole resulting from the conviction.

(h) The person has been discharged from the jurisdiction of the juvenile court for more than four
years for an act that, if committed by an adult, would constitute a felony or a misdemeanor involving violence, as defined in ORS 166.470.

(i) The person is not the subject of a restraining order that alleges the person's possession of
 explosives presents a credible threat to another person.

(j) The person has passed an examination administered by the State Fire Marshal that assesses the person's knowledge of safety in the transportation and storage of explosives as required under federal and state laws and regulations pertaining to explosives. The State Fire Marshal shall examine each applicant prior to issuance of a certificate of possession to the applicant. The State Fire Marshal may by rule establish and collect an examination fee in an amount necessary to cover the cost of administering the examination.

(k) The person certifies on the application for a certificate of possession that all explosives in
the person's possession will be used, stored and transported in accordance with federal, state and
local requirements.

42 (L) The person certifies that all explosives will be possessed, used, stored and transported in 43 accordance with federal, state and local requirements.

44 (2) Subsection (1)(a) and (b) of this section does not apply to a conviction or indictment that has 45 been expunded from a person's record under the laws of this state or equivalent laws of another

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| 2 | SECTION 43. ORS 426.370 is added to and made a part of ORS 426.005 to 426.390. |
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| 6 | SECTION 44. The unit captions used in this 2012 Act are provided only for the conven- |
| 7 | ience of the reader and do not become part of the statutory law of this state or express any |
| 8 | legislative intent in the enactment of this 2012 Act. |
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