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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO A-ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL 2822

On <u>page 1</u> of the printed A-engrossed bill, line 2, after "provisions" delete the rest of the line and delete line 3 and insert "; amending ORS 18.924 and 18.926; and declaring an emergency.".

4 Delete lines 5 through 26.

5 On page 2, delete lines 1 through 38 and insert:

6 "SECTION 1. ORS 18.924 is amended to read:

"18.924. [(1) Before conducting an execution sale of real property, a sheriff
shall give written notice of the sale in the manner provided by this section.
The notice must identify the property to be sold by legal description and by
street address, if any, and the time and place of the sale, and must include]

"(1) Before conducting an execution sale of real property, a sheriff
 shall:

"(a) Post notice of the sale on the website established under ORS
18.926 for at least 28 days; and

"(b) Publish notice of the sale in a newspaper, as defined in ORS
 193.010, in the county where the real property is located once a week
 for four successive weeks.

"(2) The notice posted on the website and published in the newspa per under subsection (1) of this section must include:

"(a) The names of the parties subject to the writ of execution;
"(b) The street address of the property, or if there is no street address, the tax lot number of the property; and

1	"(c)	The	date.	time	and	place	of the	execution	sale.

"(3) In addition to the information listed in subsection (2) of this
section, the notice posted on the website under subsection (1) of this
section must include:

- 5 "(a) The legal description of the property; and
- 6 **"(b)** The following notice:

8 Before bidding at the sale, a prospective bidder should independently in-9 vestigate:

10 (a) The priority of the lien or interest of the judgment creditor;

(b) Land use laws and regulations applicable to the property;

12 (c) Approved uses for the property;

13 (d) Limits on farming or forest practices on the property;

14 (e) Rights of neighboring property owners; and

15 (f) Environmental laws and regulations that affect the property.

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"(4) In addition to the information listed in subsection (2) of this
section, a notice published in the newspaper under subsection (1) of
this section must include instructions for locating the information
posted on the website under subsection (1) of this section.

"(5) The sheriff is not required to post or publish the notice of sale
of real property under this section until the judgment creditor provides the sheriff with all of the information required under subsections
(2) and (3) of this section.

[(2)] (6) Before any execution sale of real property, the sheriff shall:

"(a) Mail copies of the notice of sale **posted on the website under subsection (1) of this section** by first class mail and by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the judgment debtor at the address provided in the instructions to the sheriff;

30 "(b) Mail a copy of the notice of sale posted on the website under

subsection (1) of this section by first class mail to any attorney for the judgment debtor identified in the instructions at the address provided in the instructions; and

"(c) Mail a copy of the notice of sale posted on the website under
subsection (1) of this section by first class mail to any other person listed
in the instructions pursuant to ORS 18.918 at the address provided in the
instructions.

8 "[(3)] (7) The notices required by subsection [(2)] (6) of this section must
9 be mailed not less than 28 days before an execution sale is conducted.

"[(4)] (8) Before any execution sale of real property for which the judgment creditor has provided a street address under ORS 18.875 (3), the sheriff shall post [a] the notice of the sale **posted on the website under subsection (1) of this section** in a conspicuous place on the property. The notice must be posted not more than seven days after the sheriff mails notices as required by subsection [(2)] (6) of this section.

"[(5) The sheriff shall publish a copy of the notice of sale of real property once a week for four successive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation in the county where the real property is located. The sheriff may not conduct the sale until the expiration of the four-week period.]

"[(6) In lieu of publication in a newspaper under subsection (5) of this 20section, a sheriff shall publish a notice of sale of real property by Internet 21posting if a website has been established under ORS 18.926 for the purpose 22of giving legal notices under ORS 18.860 to 18.993, and the judgment creditor 23has requested that notice be published by Internet posting in the instructions 24provided to the sheriff under ORS 18.875. Subject to ORS 18.926 (3), the notice 25must be posted on the Internet not less than 28 days before the date identified 26in the notice of sale and remain posted until that date.]". 27

28 On page 3, delete lines 8 and 9 and insert:

"<u>SECTION 3.</u> The amendments to ORS 18.924 by section 1 of this
 2013 Act apply only to execution sales for which the sheriff receives

instructions under ORS 18.875 on or after the effective date of this 2013
 Act.

<u>SECTION 4.</u> This 2013 Act being necessary for the immediate
preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is
declared to exist, and this 2013 Act takes effect on its passage.".

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