80th OREGON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY--2019 Regular Session

## Enrolled Senate Bill 775

Sponsored by Senators DEMBROW, FREDERICK, WINTERS, Representative SANCHEZ; Senator MANNING JR, Representatives LEIF, WILLIAMS

CHAPTER .....

AN ACT

Relating to criminal records checks.

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

<u>SECTION 1.</u> (1) If an agency of state government, as defined in ORS 174.111, conducts a criminal records check of a person for the purposes of employment by the agency, the agency shall conduct the criminal records check through the Department of State Police.

(2) A criminal records check conducted through the Law Enforcement Data System meets the requirements of this section.

<u>SECTION 2.</u> (1) In a claim for negligence based on the defendant's failure to conduct an adequate criminal records check of a person, there is a rebuttable presumption that the defendant was not negligent if the defendant conducted the criminal records check through the Department of State Police.

(2) A criminal records check conducted through the Law Enforcement Data System meets the requirements of this section.

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