

# House Bill 2990

Sponsored by Representative MORGAN

## SUMMARY

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Requires Oregon Health Authority to share specified information related to marijuana for medical use with authorized employees of local governments for certain purposes.

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to marijuana for medical use; amending ORS 475B.882.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** ORS 475B.882 is amended to read:

5 475B.882. (1)(a) The Oregon Health Authority shall establish and maintain a list of:

6 (A) The names of persons to whom a registry identification card has been issued under ORS  
7 475B.797;

8 (B) The names of persons designated as primary caregivers under ORS 475B.804; and

9 (C) The addresses of marijuana grow sites registered under ORS 475B.810.

10 (b) Except as provided in subsection (2) of this section, the list is confidential and not subject  
11 to public disclosure under ORS 192.311 to 192.478.

12 (c) The authority shall develop a system by which authorized employees of state and local law  
13 enforcement agencies **and local governments** may verify that:

14 (A) A person lawfully possesses a registry identification card;

15 (B) A person is the designated primary caregiver of a lawful possessor of a registry identifica-  
16 tion card; or

17 (C) A location is a registered marijuana grow site.

18 (2) Names, addresses and other identifying information from the list established and maintained  
19 pursuant to subsection (1) of this section may be released to:

20 (a) Authorized employees of the authority as necessary to perform official duties of the author-  
21 ity.

22 (b) Authorized employees of state or local law enforcement agencies **and local governments**  
23 who provide to the authority adequate identification, but only as necessary to verify that:

24 (A) A person lawfully possesses a registry identification card;

25 (B) A person is the designated primary caregiver of a lawful possessor of a registry identifica-  
26 tion card; or

27 (C) A location is a registered marijuana grow site.

28 (3) Authorized employees of state or local law enforcement agencies **or local governments** who  
29 obtain identifying information as authorized by this section may not release or use the information  
30 for any purpose other than to verify that:

31 (a) A person lawfully possesses a registry identification card;

**NOTE:** Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter [*italic and bracketed*] is existing law to be omitted. New sections are in **boldfaced** type.

1 (b) A person is the designated primary caregiver of a lawful possessor of a registry identification  
2 card; or

3 (c) A location is a registered marijuana grow site.

4 (4) In addition to releasing information to authorized employees of state or local law enforce-  
5 ment agencies **and local governments** for purposes of verifying information under subsection (2)(b)  
6 of this section, the authority may release to authorized employees of state or local law enforcement  
7 agencies **and local governments** the minimum amount of information necessary to enable an em-  
8 ployee to determine whether an individual or location is in compliance with a provision of ORS  
9 475B.785 to 475B.949 or a rule adopted under ORS 475B.785 to 475B.949.

10 (5) If the authority determines, after conducting an investigation or receiving a complaint of an  
11 alleged violation of a provision of ORS 475B.785 to 475B.949 or a rule adopted under ORS 475B.785  
12 to 475B.949, that a violation of a provision of ORS 475B.785 to 475B.949 or a rule adopted under  
13 ORS 475B.785 to 475B.949 has occurred, the authority may provide information obtained by the au-  
14 thority, except for information related to a registry identification cardholder's debilitating condition,  
15 to authorized employees of state or local law enforcement agencies, or to another state or local  
16 government agency with jurisdiction over the matter.

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