



Open Government Impact Statement

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Measure: HB 4042

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SUMMARY

Requires physician who prescribes drugs for chemical abortion to provide certain information to person to whom drugs are prescribed. Requires Oregon Health Authority to publish on authority website specified information regarding possible reversal of chemical abortion. Allows specified persons to bring cause of action for actual and punitive damages.

Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

OPEN GOVERNMENT IMPACT

Legislative Counsel has not adopted standards for drafting measures that establish exemptions from disclosure of public records.

This measure allows the court to exempt from public disclosure the identity of a person upon whom an abortion was performed in violation of the measure.

If the public records were instead subject to mandatory disclosure under public records law, the public could learn the identity of persons upon whom an abortion was performed in violation of the measure.