

SENATE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 573

By COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES

March 8

1 Delete lines 4 through 15 of the printed bill and insert:

2 **“SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2023 Act is added to and made a part of ORS chapter 432.**

3 **“SECTION 2. (1) If an original record of live birth for a person at least 21 years of age**
4 **was sealed under ORS 432.245 and was later opened under ORS 432.250, and the paternity or**
5 **parentage of the person has been determined by DNA (deoxyribonucleic acid) testing or by**
6 **other means, the person may apply to the Center for Health Statistics to add or change the**
7 **name of a biological parent on the original record of live birth.**

8 **“(2) An application under this section must include:**

9 **“(a) Evidence of a DNA test or other evidence that shows that the person whose name**
10 **is to be entered as a biological parent is the biological parent of the applicant; and**

11 **“(b)(A) If the person whose name is to be entered as a biological parent is living, an af-**
12 **fidavit attesting that the person is a biological parent of the applicant and that the name to**
13 **be entered is that of the biological parent that was omitted from the original record of live**
14 **birth; or**

15 **“(B) If the person whose name is to be entered as a biological parent is deceased, an af-**
16 **fidavit from the personal representative or a relative of the person attesting that the person**
17 **is a biological parent of the applicant and that the name to be entered is that of the biological**
18 **parent that was omitted from the original record of live birth.**

19 **“(3) If the name of a biological parent is entered on an original record of live birth under**
20 **this section:**

21 **“(a) A person may only obtain a noncertified copy of a record of live birth amended under**
22 **this section.**

23 **“(b) A notation indicating that the record was amended must be shown on all copies of**
24 **the record.**

25 **“(c) The center shall prominently display the following language on all copies of the re-**
26 **cord: ‘THIS RECORD OF LIVE BIRTH MAY NOT BE USED FOR ANY LEGAL PURPOSE**
27 **AND DOES NOT CREATE ANY LEGAL RIGHTS FOR THE CHILD OR THE PARENTS**
28 **LISTED ON THE RECORD.’**

29 **“(4) The center shall adopt rules regarding:**

30 **“(a) The establishment and collection of fees for the preparation and registration of an**
31 **amended original record of live birth and for the issuance of a noncertified copy of an**
32 **amended original record of live birth under this section.**

33 **“(b) Consent and affidavit forms, proof of identification requirements and the evidentiary**
34 **requirements to substantiate that a person is an omitted biological parent of an applicant**
35 **under this section.**

1 **“SECTION 3. Section 2 of this 2023 Act applies to original records of live birth opened**
2 **under ORS 432.250 at any time, whether before, on or after the effective date of this 2023**
3 **Act.”.**

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