

# Senate Bill 915

Sponsored by Senator GORSEK

## SUMMARY

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Creates Deadly Force Prosecutions Unit within Criminal Justice Division of Department of Justice. Appropriates moneys from General Fund to department for purposes of unit.

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to deadly force prosecutions.

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

4 **SECTION 1. There is created within the Criminal Justice Division of the Department of**  
5 **Justice a Deadly Force Prosecutions Unit specializing in the investigation and prosecution**  
6 **of cases involving law enforcement use of force that results in death.**

7 **SECTION 2. In addition to and not in lieu of any other appropriation, there is appropri-**  
8 **ated to the Department of Justice, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2023, out of the Gen-**  
9 **eral Fund, the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_, which may be expended for purposes of the Deadly Force**  
10 **Prosecutions Unit created in section 1 of this 2023 Act.**

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**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.