



## Open Government Impact Statement

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## Measure: SB 1164

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### SUMMARY

Digest: The Act says a person can ask ODOT to add a note on their driver license, permit or ID card. The note will let police officers know that the person has a disability that makes it hard to communicate with the officer. To do this, the person will need to fill out a form and get a doctor or other listed health professional to confirm the disability. (Flesch Readability Score: 61.6).

Provides that a person may request that the Department of Transportation include on the person's driver license, driver permit or identification card the fact that the person has a disability that interferes with the person's ability to effectively communicate with a police officer. Requires the person to submit an application to the department and have a health care professional verify the disability.

### OPEN GOVERNMENT IMPACT

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

This measure exempts from public disclosure records relating to individuals who have requested, obtained, or rescinded requests for a symbol on the individual's driver license, driver permit or identification card denoting that the individual has a disability that interferes with the individual's ability to effectively communicate with a police officer.

If those public records that could be subject to public disclosure were instead subject to mandatory disclosure under public records law, the public could gain information about disabilities of individuals who possess a driver license, driver permit or identification card.