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Open Government Impact Statement

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SUMMARY

Digest: The Act defines what a "powered micromobility device" is. It also combines the laws for kids under 16, making it clear that they must wear helmets when riding bikes, e-bikes, e-scooters and some other vehicles. ODOT must tell the public about these new laws. (Flesch Readability Score: 61.2).

Defines "powered micromobility device" for the vehicle code.

Consolidates and makes uniform standards for wearing protective headgear for children under 16 years of age when riding or using a bicycle, electric assisted bicycle, motor assisted scooter, powered micromobility device and certain nonmotorized vehicles.

Provides that a person 14 years of age or older can use a Class 1 electric assisted bicycle. Provides that a person 16 years of age or older can use a Class 2 or Class 3 electric assisted bicycle.

Directs the Department of Transportation to undertake a public information campaign to inform the public about the changes to the law and develop a safety education program.

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