House Bill 3240

Sponsored by Representative REYNOLDS (at the request of Department of Human Services)

SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure **as introduced.**

Removes requirement that replacement electronic benefits transfer card for public assistance and nutrition assistance program benefits include name of recipient.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

Relating to electronic benefits transfer cards; amending ORS 412.151; and prescribing an effective date. Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:

SECTION 1. ORS 412.151 is amended to read:

412.151. (1) The Department of Human Services shall provide temporary assistance for needy families and supplemental nutrition assistance to eligible individuals through an electronic benefits transfer system that uses an electronic benefits transfer card. [Any time the department issues an electronic benefits transfer card to replace a card that was reported lost or stolen, the replacement card must display the name of the individual to whom the card is issued.]

- (2) The department shall seek all state and federal approvals necessary for implementation of an electronic benefits transfer system as described in subsection (1) of this section.
- (3) This section does not apply to Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program benefits issued to a senior citizen under a demonstration project approved by the Food and Nutrition Service of the United States Department of Agriculture or to benefits received by a recipient of federal Supplemental Security Income in the form of a check in lieu of an electronic benefits transfer card.

SECTION 2. This 2023 Act takes effect on the 91st day after the date on which the 2023 regular session of the Eighty-second Legislative Assembly adjourns sine die.

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