## HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO A-ENGROSSED SENATE BILL 194

By COMMITTEE ON RULES, REDISTRICTING, AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS

May 30

1	On page 1 of the printed A-engrossed bill, delete line 3 and insert "90.100, 90.110, 90.140, 90.155,
2	90.297, 90.300, 90.380, 90.400, 90.415, 90.425, 90.510, 90.530, 90.600, 90.610, 90.620, 90.630, 90.632,
3	90.635, 90.675, 90.775, 91.120, 105.112, 105.115, 105.138, 105.165 and 316.153;".
4	In line 4, after "ORS" insert "90.770," and after "105.154" insert "and section 28, chapter 104,
5	Oregon Laws 2001".
6	In line 7, after "may" insert "only".
7	In line 8, delete "only".
8	In line 18, after "That" insert ", in the case of a dwelling unit to which ORS chapter 90 does
9	not apply,".
10	On page 2, line 41, before "48-hour" insert "24-hour or".
11	On page 3, line 9, after "for" insert "a" and delete "violations" and insert "violation".
12	In line 10, delete "(5)" and insert "(4)".
13	In line 18, after "UPON" insert ", IF ANY,".
14	In line 23, after "costs" insert ", disbursements".
15	On page 4, delete lines 9 and 10.
16	On <u>page 5</u> , line 18, after "this" insert "first".
17	In line 20, after "court" insert "and your landlord does".
18	In line 28, delete "judge" and insert "court".
19	On <u>page 6</u> , line 20, delete "and".
20	In line 23, delete the period and insert "; and
21	"(d) Payment of any costs, disbursements or attorney fees pursuant to a schedule provided in the
22	order.
23	"(3) The order shall contain a statement providing that 12 months following the entry of the
24	order, the court shall automatically dismiss the order without further notice to either the plaintiff
25	or the defendant.".
26	In line 24, delete "(3)" and insert "(4)".
27	In line 25, after "affidavit" insert "of noncompliance".
28	In line 29, delete "(4)" and insert "(5)".
29	In line 34, delete "(5)" and insert "(6)" and delete "clerk" and insert "court".
30	In line 40, delete "completion of the execution process" and insert "issuance by the clerk of a
31	writ of execution of judgment of restitution".
32	On page 8, delete lines 1 and 2.
33	In line 3, delete "(b)" and insert "(a)".
34	In line 4, delete "(c)" and insert "(b)".
35	In line 5, delete "(d)" and insert "(c)".

1 In line 22, after "claims" insert "must be pursuant to ORS chapter 90 or the rental agreement 2 and".

In line 26, after "clerk" delete the rest of the line and lines 27 and 28 and insert "may issue a writ of execution of judgment of restitution. The clerk may not issue the writ earlier than 24 hours after the court's ruling. Further notice to the defendant is not".

6 Delete line 31.

7 In line 32, delete "upon".

8 In line 37, after "order" insert "and without further notice to either party".

9 Delete line 40 and insert:

10 "(b) Twelve months following entry of the order".

11 In line 41, delete "completion of the period covered by the order".

12 In line 45, after "may" insert "only".

13 On page 10, line 17, delete "Except as provided in section 15" and insert "If a court entered a 14 judgment other than pursuant to section 10".

15 On page 14, after line 10, insert:

"<u>SECTION 22.</u> Sections 23 and 24 of this 2001 Act are added to and made a part of ORS
 90.505 to 90.840.

"SECTION 23. A rental agreement for a space for a manufactured dwelling or floating
 home must be a month-to-month or fixed term tenancy. A rental agreement for a fixed term
 tenancy must have a duration or term of at least two years.

<sup>21</sup> "<u>SECTION 24.</u> (1) Except if renewed or extended as provided by this section, a fixed term <sup>22</sup> tenancy for space for a manufactured dwelling or floating home shall, upon reaching its <sup>23</sup> ending date, automatically renew as a month-to-month tenancy having the same terms and <sup>24</sup> conditions, other than duration and rent increases pursuant to ORS 90.600, unless the <sup>25</sup> tenancy is terminated pursuant to ORS 90.380 (3)(b), 90.400 (2), (3) or (9), 90.630 or 90.632.

"(2) To renew or extend a fixed term tenancy for another term, of any duration that is consistent with section 23 of this 2001 Act, the landlord shall submit the proposed new rental agreement to the tenant at least 60 days prior to the ending date of the term. The landlord shall include with the proposed agreement a written statement that summarizes any new or revised terms, conditions, rules or regulations.

"(3) Notwithstanding ORS 90.610 (3), a landlord's proposed new rental agreement may
 include new or revised terms, conditions, rules or regulations, if the new or revised terms,
 conditions, rules or regulations:

"(a)(A) Fairly implement a statute or ordinance adopted after the creation of the existing
 agreement; or

36 "(B) Are the same as those offered to new or prospective tenants in the facility at the 37 time the proposed agreement is submitted to the tenant and for the six-month period pre-38 ceding the submission of the proposed agreement or, if there have been no new or prospec-39 tive tenants during the six-month period, are the same as are customary for the rental 40 market;

41 "(b) Are consistent with the rights and remedies provided to tenants under ORS chapter
42 90, including the right to keep a pet pursuant to ORS 90.530;

43 "(c) Do not relate to the age, size, style, construction material or year of construction
 44 of the manufactured dwelling or floating home contrary to ORS 90.632 (2); and

45 "(d) Do not require an alteration of the manufactured dwelling or floating home or al-

1 teration or new construction of an accessory building or structure.

2 (4) A tenant shall accept or reject a landlord's proposed new rental agreement at least 30 days prior to the ending of the term by giving written notice to the landlord. 3

(5) If a landlord fails to submit a proposed new rental agreement as provided by sub-4 5 section (2) of this section, the tenancy renews as a month-to-month tenancy as provided by 6 subsection (1) of this section.

7 "(6) If a tenant fails to accept or unreasonably rejects a landlord's proposed new rental 8 agreement as provided by subsection (4) of this section, the fixed term tenancy terminates 9 on the ending date without further notice and the landlord may take possession by complying 10 with ORS 105.105 to 105.168.

11 (7) If a tenancy terminates under conditions described in subsection (6) of this section, 12 and the tenant surrenders or delivers possession of the premises to the landlord prior to the 13 filing of an action pursuant to ORS 105.110, the tenant has the right to enter into a written 14 storage agreement with the landlord, with the tenant having the same rights and responsibilities as a lienholder under ORS 90.675 (18), except that the landlord may limit the term 15 16 of the storage agreement to not exceed six months. Unless the parties agree otherwise, the 17 storage agreement must commence upon the date of the termination of the tenancy. The 18 rights under ORS 90.675 of any lienholder are delayed until the end of the tenant storage 19 agreement.

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"SECTION 25. ORS 90.770 is repealed and section 26 of this 2001 Act is enacted in lieu thereof.

22 "SECTION 26. (1) In order to foster the role of the Manufactured Dwelling Park Om-23 budsman in mediating and resolving disputes between landlords and tenants of manufactured 24 dwelling and floating home facilities, the Housing and Community Services Department shall 25 establish procedures to maintain the confidentiality of information received by the ombuds-26 man pertaining to individual landlords and tenants of facilities and to landlord-tenant dis-27 putes. The procedures must comply with the provisions of this section.

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(2) Except as provided in subsection (3) of this section, the department shall treat as 29 confidential and not disclose:

30 (a) The identity of a landlord, tenant or complainant involved in a dispute or of a person 31 who provides information to the department in response to a department investigation of a 32 dispute;

33 (b) Information provided to the department by a landlord, tenant, complainant or other 34 person relating to a dispute; or

35 "(c) Information discovered by the department in investigating a dispute.

36 "(3) The department may disclose:

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"(a) Information described in subsection (2) of this section to a state agency; and

38 (b) Information described in subsection (2) of this section if the landlord, tenant, 39 complainant or other person who provided the information being disclosed, or the legal rep-40 resentative thereof, consents orally or in writing to the disclosure and specifies to whom the 41 disclosure may be made. Only the landlord, tenant, complainant or other person who pro-42 vided the information to the department may authorize or deny the disclosure of the infor-43 mation.

44 (4) This section does not prohibit the department from compiling and disclosing exam-45 ples and statistics that demonstrate information such as the type of dispute, frequency of 1 occurrence and geographical area where the dispute occurred if the identity of the landlord,

## 2 tenant, complainant and other persons are protected.

"SECTION 27. ORS 90.100 is amended to read:

"90.100. Subject to additional definitions contained in this chapter that apply to specific sections
or parts thereof, and unless the context otherwise requires, in this chapter:

6 "(1) 'Accessory building or structure' means any portable, demountable or permanent structure,
7 including but not limited to cabanas, ramadas, storage sheds, garages, awnings, carports, decks,
8 steps, ramps, piers and pilings, that is:

"(a) Owned and used solely by a tenant of a manufactured dwelling or floating home; or

"(b) Provided pursuant to a written rental agreement for the sole use of and maintenance by atenant of a manufactured dwelling or floating home.

"(2) 'Action' includes recoupment, counterclaim, setoff, suit in equity and any other proceedingin which rights are determined, including an action for possession.

"(3) 'Applicant screening charge' means any payment of money required by a landlord of an applicant prior to entering into a rental agreement with that applicant for a residential dwelling unit, the purpose of which is to pay the cost of processing an application for a rental agreement for a residential dwelling unit.

18 "(4) 'Building and housing codes' include any law, ordinance or governmental regulation con-19 cerning fitness for habitation, or the construction, maintenance, operation, occupancy, use or ap-20 pearance of any premises or dwelling unit.

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## "(5) 'Conduct' means the commission of an act or the failure to act.

"[(5)] (6) 'Dealer' means any person in the business of selling, leasing or distributing new or used
manufactured dwellings or floating homes to persons who purchase or lease a manufactured dwelling
or floating home for use as a residence.

25 "[(6)] (7) 'Drug and alcohol free housing' means a rental agreement as described in ORS 90.243. 26 "[(7)] (8) 'Dwelling unit' means a structure or the part of a structure that is used as a home, 27 residence or sleeping place by one person who maintains a household or by two or more persons 28 who maintain a common household. 'Dwelling unit' regarding a person who rents a space for a 29 manufactured dwelling or recreational vehicle or regarding a person who rents moorage space for 30 a floating home as defined in ORS 830.700, but does not rent the home, means the space rented and 31 not the manufactured dwelling, recreational vehicle or floating home itself.

32 "[(8)] (9) 'Essential service' means:

"(a) For a tenancy not consisting of rental space for a manufactured dwelling, floating home or
 recreational vehicle owned by the tenant and not otherwise subject to ORS 90.505 to 90.840:

"(A) Heat, plumbing, hot and cold running water, gas, electricity, light fixtures, locks for exte rior doors, latches for windows and any cooking appliance or refrigerator supplied or required to
 be supplied by the landlord; and

"(B) Any other service or habitability obligation imposed by the rental agreement or ORS 90.320,
the lack or violation of which creates a serious threat to the tenant's health, safety or property or
makes the dwelling unit unfit for occupancy.

"(b) For a tenancy consisting of rental space for a manufactured dwelling, floating home or
 recreational vehicle owned by the tenant or that is otherwise subject to ORS 90.505 to 90.840:

43 "(A) Sewage disposal, water supply, electrical supply and, if required by applicable law, any
44 drainage system; and

"(B) Any other service or habitability obligation imposed by the rental agreement or ORS 90.730,

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the lack or violation of which creates a serious threat to the tenant's health, safety or property or
 makes the rented space unfit for occupancy.

3 "[*(9)*] **(10)** 'Facility' means:

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4 "(a) A place where four or more manufactured dwellings are located, the primary purpose of 5 which is to rent space or keep space for rent to any person for a fee; or

6 "(b) A moorage of contiguous dwelling units that may be legally transferred as a single unit and 7 are owned by one person where four or more floating homes are secured, the primary purpose of 8 which is to rent space or keep space for rent to any person for a fee.

9 "[(10)] (11) 'Facility purchase association' means a group of three or more tenants who reside 10 in a facility and have organized for the purpose of eventual purchase of the facility.

"[(11)] (12) 'Fee' means a nonrefundable payment of money.

"[(12)] (13) 'First class mail' does not include certified or registered mail, or any other form of mail that may delay or hinder actual delivery of mail to the recipient.

"(14) 'Fixed term tenancy' means a tenancy that has a fixed term of existence, continuing
 to a specific ending date and terminating on that date without requiring further notice to
 effect the termination.

"[(13)] (15) 'Floating home' has the meaning given that term in ORS 830.700. As used in this
chapter, 'floating home' includes an accessory building or structure.

"[(14)] (16) 'Good faith' means honesty in fact in the conduct of the transaction concerned.

"[(15)] (17) 'Hotel or motel' means 'hotel' as that term is defined in ORS 699.005.

21 "[(16)] (18) 'Informal dispute resolution' means, but is not limited to, consultation between the 22 landlord or landlord's agent and one or more tenants, or mediation utilizing the services of a third 23 party.

24 "[(17)] (19) 'Landlord' means the owner, lessor or sublessor of the dwelling unit or the building 25 or premises of which it is a part. 'Landlord' includes a person who is authorized by the owner, lessor 26 or sublessor to manage the premises or to enter into a rental agreement.

27 "[(18)] (20) 'Landlord's agent' means a person who has oral or written authority, either express
28 or implied, to act for or on behalf of a landlord.

29 "[(19)] (21) 'Last month's rent deposit' means a type of security deposit, however designated, the 30 primary function of which is to secure the payment of rent for the last month of the tenancy.

31 "[(20)] (22) 'Manufactured dwelling' means a residential trailer, a mobile home or a manufac-32 tured home as those terms are defined in ORS 446.003 (26). 'Manufactured dwelling' includes an ac-33 cessory building or structure. 'Manufactured dwelling' does not include a recreational vehicle.

"[(21)] (23) 'Manufactured dwelling park' has the meaning given that term in ORS 446.003.

"(24) 'Month-to-month tenancy' means a tenancy that automatically renews and contin ues for successive monthly periods on the same terms and conditions originally agreed to,
 or as revised by the parties, until terminated by one or both of the parties.

38 "[(22)] (25) 'Organization' includes a corporation, government, governmental subdivision or 39 agency, business trust, estate, trust, partnership or association, two or more persons having a joint 40 or common interest, and any other legal or commercial entity.

41 "[(23)] (26) 'Owner' includes a mortgagee in possession and means one or more persons, jointly
 42 or severally, in whom is vested:

43 "(a) All or part of the legal title to property; or

44 "(b) All or part of the beneficial ownership and a right to present use and enjoyment of the 45 premises. 1 "[(24)] (27) 'Person' includes an individual or organization.

2 "[(25)] (28) 'Premises' means a dwelling unit and the structure of which it is a part and facilities 3 and appurtenances therein and grounds, areas and facilities held out for the use of tenants generally or whose use is promised to the tenant. 4

5 "[(26)] (29) 'Prepaid rent' means any payment of money to the landlord for a rent obligation not 6 yet due. In addition, 'prepaid rent' means rent paid for a period extending beyond a termination date. 7

"[(27)] (30) 'Recreational vehicle' has the meaning given that term in ORS 446.003.

8 "[(28)] (31) 'Rent' means any payment to be made to the landlord under the rental agreement, periodic or otherwise, in exchange for the right of a tenant and any permitted pet to occupy a 9 10 dwelling unit to the exclusion of others. 'Rent' does not include security deposits, fees or utility or 11 service charges as described in ORS 90.315 (4) and 90.510 (8).

12 "[(29)] (32) 'Rental agreement' means all agreements, written or oral, and valid rules and regu-13 lations adopted under ORS 90.262 or 90.510 (6) embodying the terms and conditions concerning the 14 use and occupancy of a dwelling unit and premises. 'Rental agreement' includes a lease. A rental 15 agreement shall be either a week-to-week tenancy, month-to-month tenancy or fixed term tenancy.

16 "[(30)] (33) 'Roomer' means a person occupying a dwelling unit that does not include a toilet and 17 either a bathtub or a shower and a refrigerator, stove and kitchen, all provided by the landlord, and 18 where one or more of these facilities are used in common by occupants in the structure.

19 "[(31)] (34) 'Screening or admission criteria' means a written statement of any factors a landlord 20 considers in deciding whether to accept or reject an applicant and any qualifications required for 21 acceptance. 'Screening or admission criteria' includes, but is not limited to, the rental history, 22 character references, public records, criminal records, credit reports, credit references and incomes 23 or resources of the applicant.

24 "[(32)] (35) 'Security deposit' means any refundable payment or deposit of money, however des-25 ignated, the primary function of which is to secure the performance of a rental agreement or any 26 part of a rental agreement, but does not mean a fee.

27 "[(33)] (36) 'Squatter' means a person occupying a dwelling unit who is not so entitled under a 28 rental agreement or who is not authorized by the tenant to occupy that dwelling unit. 'Squatter' 29 does not include a tenant who holds over as described in ORS 90.427 (4).

30 "[(34)] (37) 'Statement of policy' means the summary explanation of information and facility 31 policies to be provided to prospective and existing tenants under ORS 90.510.

32 "[(35)] (38) 'Surrender' means an agreement, express or implied, as described in ORS 90.148 be-33 tween a landlord and tenant to terminate a rental agreement that gave the tenant the right to oc-34 cupy a dwelling unit.

35 "[(36)] (39) 'Tenant' means a person, including a roomer, entitled under a rental agreement to 36 occupy a dwelling unit to the exclusion of others, including a dwelling unit owned, operated or 37 controlled by a public housing authority. 'Tenant' also includes a minor, as defined and provided for 38 in ORS 109.697. As used in ORS 90.505 to 90.840, 'tenant' includes only a person who owns and oc-39 cupies as a residence a manufactured dwelling or a floating home in a facility and persons residing 40 with that tenant under the terms of the rental agreement.

41 "[(37)] (40) 'Transient lodging' means a room or a suite of rooms.

42 "[(38)] (41) 'Transient occupancy' means occupancy in transient lodging that has all of the fol-43 lowing characteristics:

44 "(a) Occupancy is charged on a daily basis and is not collected more than six days in advance; 45 "(b) The lodging operator provides maid and linen service daily or every two days as part of the

- 1 regularly charged cost of occupancy; and
- 2 "(c) The period of occupancy does not exceed 30 days.
- "[(39)] (42) 'Vacation occupancy' means occupancy in a dwelling unit, not including transient
   occupancy in a hotel or motel, that has all of the following characteristics:
- 5 "(a) The occupant rents the unit for vacation purposes only, not as a principal residence;
- 6 "(b) The occupant has a principal residence other than at the unit; and
- 7 "(c) The period of authorized occupancy does not exceed 45 days.
- 8 "[(40)] (43) 'Week-to-week tenancy' means a tenancy that has all of the following characteristics:
- 9 "(a) Occupancy is charged on a weekly basis and is payable no less frequently than every seven10 days;
- "(b) There is a written rental agreement that defines the landlord's and the tenant's rights and responsibilities under this chapter; and
- "(c) There are no fees or security deposits, although the landlord may require the payment ofan applicant screening charge, as provided in ORS 90.295.".
- 15 In line 11, delete "22" and insert "28".
- 16 In line 17, delete "by a purchaser".
- 17 In line 18, after "days" insert "by a purchaser".
- 18 In line 37, delete "23" and insert "29".
- 19 On page 15, after line 11, insert:
- 20 "SECTION 29a. ORS 90.155 is amended to read:

21 "90.155. (1) Except as provided in ORS 90.300, 90.425 and 90.675, where this chapter requires 22 written notice, service or delivery of that written notice shall be executed by one or more of the 23 following methods:

- 24 "(a) Personal delivery to the landlord or tenant;
- 25 "(b) First class mail to the landlord or tenant; or
- "(c) If a written rental agreement so provides, both first class mail and attachment to a designated location. In order for a written rental agreement to provide for mail and attachment service of written notices from the landlord to the tenant, the agreement must also provide for such service of written notices from the tenant to the landlord. Mail and attachment service of written notices shall be executed as follows:
- 31 "(A) For written notices from the landlord to the tenant, the first class mail notice copy shall 32 be addressed to the tenant at the premises and the second notice copy shall be attached in a secure 33 manner to the main entrance to that portion of the premises of which the tenant has possession; and 34 "(B) For written notices from the tenant to the landlord, the first class mail notice copy shall 35 be addressed to the landlord at an address as designated in the written rental agreement and the 36 second notice copy shall be attached in a secure manner to the landlord's designated location, which 37 shall be described with particularity in the written rental agreement, reasonably located in relation
- 38 to the tenant and available at all hours.
- "(2) If a notice is served by mail, the minimum period for compliance or termination of tenancy,
  as appropriate, shall be extended by three days, and the notice shall include the extension in the
  period provided.
- 42 "(3) A landlord or tenant may utilize alternative methods of notifying the other so long as the
  43 alternative method is in addition to one of the service methods described in subsection (1) of this
  44 section.
- 45 "(4) Notwithstanding ORS 90.510 (4), after 30 days' written notice, a landlord may

1 unilaterally amend a rental agreement for a manufactured dwelling or floating home that is

<sup>2</sup> subject to ORS 90.505 to 90.840 to provide for service or delivery of written notices by mail

3 and attachment service as provided by subsection (1)(c) of this section.".

4 In line 12, delete "24" and insert "30".

- 5 In line 32, delete "25" and insert "31".
- 6 On page 17, line 5, delete "26" and insert "32".
- 7 In line 23, after "unlawful" insert ", but not unsafe,".

8 In line 25, delete "the tenant must vacate the unit and a" and insert "although the unit is safe 9 for an existing tenant to occupy, another".

10 On page 18, line 10, after "secure" insert "the execution of".

- 11 In line 28, after "secure" insert "the".
- 12 In line 29, after "the" insert "applicant under this section or to the".
- 13 On page 19, line 12, delete "27" and insert "33".
- 14 On page 22, after line 4, insert:
- 15 **"SECTION 34.** ORS 90.415 is amended to read:

"90.415. (1) Except as otherwise provided in this section, a landlord waives the right to terminate a rental agreement for a particular breach if the landlord:

"(a) During two or more separate rental periods, accepts rent with knowledge of the default bythe tenant; or

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"(b) Accepts performance by a tenant that varies from the terms of the rental agreement.

21 "(2) For purposes of subsection (1)(a) of this section, a landlord has not accepted rent if within 22 six days after receipt of the rent payment, the landlord refunds the rent.

"(3) A landlord does not waive the right to terminate as described in subsection (1)(a) of this
section if the termination is pursuant to ORS 90.400 (3).

"(4) A landlord does not waive the right to terminate as described in subsection (1) of this section if the landlord and tenant agree otherwise after the breach has occurred.

"(5) If a tenancy consists of rented space for a manufactured dwelling or floating home
as described in ORS 90.505, a landlord does not waive the right to terminate as described in
subsection (1) of this section if:

30 "(a) The breach or default at issue concerns:

"(A) Disrepair or deterioration of the manufactured dwelling or floating home pursuant
 to ORS 90.632; or

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"(B) A failure to maintain the space, as provided by ORS 90.740 (2), (4)(b) and (4)(h); or

"(b) The breach or default at issue concerns the tenant's conduct and, following the
 breach or default, but prior to acceptance of rent or performance as described in subsection
 (1) of this section, the landlord gives written notice to the tenant regarding the breach or
 default that:

"(A) Describes specifically the conduct that constitutes the breach or default, either as
 a separate and distinct breach or default, a series or group of breaches or defaults or a
 continuous or ongoing breach or default;

41 "(B) States that the tenant is required to discontinue the conduct or correct the breach
 42 or default; and

43 "(C) States that a reoccurrence of the conduct that constitutes a breach or default may
44 result in a termination of the tenancy pursuant to ORS 90.630. For a continuous or ongoing
45 breach or default, the landlord's notice remains effective for 12 months.

1 "[(5)] (6) Prior to giving a nonpayment of rent termination notice pursuant to ORS 90.400 (2), a 2 landlord who accepts partial rent for a rental period does not waive the right to terminate for 3 nonpayment if:

4 "(a) The landlord accepted the partial rent before the landlord gave any notice of intent to
5 terminate under ORS 90.400 (2) based on the tenant's agreement to pay the balance by a time cer6 tain; and

"(b) The tenant does not pay the balance of the rent as agreed.

8 "[(6)] (7) A landlord who accepts partial rent under subsection [(5)] (6) of this section may pro-9 ceed to serve a notice under ORS 90.400 (2) to terminate the tenancy if the balance of the rent is 10 not paid, provided:

"(a) The notice is served no earlier than it would have been permitted under ORS 90.400 (2) had
no rent been accepted; and

"(b) The notice permits the tenant to avoid termination of the tenancy for nonpayment of rent by paying the balance within 72 hours or 144 hours, as the case may be, or by any date to which the parties agreed, whichever is later.

16 "[(7)] (8) After giving a nonpayment of rent termination notice pursuant to ORS 90.400 (2), a 17 landlord who accepts partial rent for a rental period does not waive the right to terminate for 18 nonpayment if the landlord and tenant agree in writing that the acceptance does not constitute 19 waiver.

"[*(8)*] (9) A written agreement under subsection [*(7)*] (8) of this section may provide that the
landlord may proceed to terminate the rental agreement and take possession in the manner provided
by ORS 105.105 to 105.168 without serving a new notice under ORS 90.400 (2) in the event the tenant
fails to pay the balance of the rent by a time certain.

"[(9)] (10) A landlord's acceptance of partial rent for a rental period does not waive the right to terminate the rental agreement if the entire amount of the partial payment was from funds paid under the United States Housing Act of 1937 (42 U.S.C. 1437f) or any state low income rental housing fund administered by the Housing and Community Services Department.

28 "[(10)] (11) A landlord who accepts rent after the giving of a notice of termination by the land-29 lord or the tenant, other than a nonpayment of rent notice, does not waive the right to terminate 30 on that notice if:

<sup>31</sup> "(a) The landlord accepts rent prorated to the termination date specified in the notice; or

"(b) Within six days after receipt of the rent payment, the landlord refunds at least the unused
 balance of the rent prorated for the period beyond the termination date.

"[(11)] (12) A landlord who has served a notice of termination for cause under ORS 90.400 (1), 90.630 or 90.632 does not waive the right to terminate on that notice by accepting rent for the rental period and beyond the period covered by the notice if within six days after the end of the remedy or correction period described in the applicable statute, the landlord refunds the rent for the period beyond the termination date.

"[(12)] (13) A landlord who has served a notice of termination for cause under ORS 90.400 (1),
90.630 or 90.632 and who has commenced proceedings under ORS 105.105 to 105.168 to recover possession of the premises does not waive the right to terminate on that notice:

42 "(a) By accepting rent for any period beyond the expiration of the notice during which the43 tenant remains in possession provided:

44 "(A) The landlord notifies the tenant in writing, in or after the service of the notice of termi-45 nation for cause, that acceptance of rent while a termination action is pending will not waive the

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1 right to terminate on that notice; and

2 "(B) The rent does not cover a period extending beyond the date of its acceptance.

<sup>3</sup> "(b) By serving a notice of nonpayment of rent under ORS 90.400 (2).

4 "[(13)] (14) A landlord and tenant may by written agreement provide that monthly rent shall be
5 paid in regular installments of less than a month pursuant to a schedule specified in the agreement.
6 Those installment rent payments [shall] are not [be considered to be] partial rent, as that term is

7 used in this section.

8 "[(14)] (15) Unless otherwise agreed, a landlord does not waive the right to terminate as de-9 scribed in subsection (1) of this section by accepting:

"(a) A last month's rent deposit collected at the beginning of the tenancy, even if the deposit
 covers a period beyond a termination date; or

"(b) Rent distributed pursuant to a court order releasing money paid into court as provided byORS 90.370 (1).

"[(15)] (16) When a landlord must refund rent under this section, the refund shall be made to the tenant or other payer by personal delivery or first class mail and may be in the form of the tenant's or other payer's check or any other form of check or money.

17 "SECTION 35. ORS 90.425 is amended to read:

18 "90.425. (1) As used in this section:

"(a) 'Current market value' means the amount in cash, as determined by the county assessor, that could reasonably be expected to be paid for a manufactured dwelling or floating home by an informed buyer to an informed seller, each acting without compulsion in an arm's length transaction occurring on the assessment date for the tax year or on the date of a subsequent reappraisal by the county assessor.

"(b) 'Dispose of the personal property' means that, if reasonably appropriate, the landlord may throw away the property or may give it without consideration to a nonprofit organization or to a person unrelated to the landlord. The landlord may not retain the property for personal use or benefit.

"(c) 'Goods' includes those goods left inside a recreational vehicle, manufactured dwelling or floating home or left upon the rental space outside a recreational vehicle, manufactured dwelling or floating home, whether the recreational vehicle, dwelling or home is located inside or outside of a facility.

"(d) 'Lienholder' means any lienholder of an abandoned recreational vehicle, manufactured
 dwelling or floating home, if the lien is of record or the lienholder is actually known to the landlord.

34 "(e) 'Of record' means:

"(A) For a manufactured dwelling or recreational vehicle, that a security interest has
 been properly recorded with the Department of Transportation pursuant to ORS 802.200
 (1)(a)(A) and 803.097 for a dwelling or vehicle registered and titled by the department pursu ant to ORS 820.500.

(B) For a floating home, that a security interest has been properly recorded with the
State Marine Board pursuant to ORS 830.740 to 830.755 for a home registered and titled with
the board pursuant to ORS 830.715.

42 "[(e)] (f) 'Owner' means any owner of an abandoned recreational vehicle, manufactured dwelling
43 or floating home, if different from the tenant and either of record or actually known to the landlord.
44 "[(f)] (g) 'Personal property' means goods, vehicles and recreational vehicles and includes man45 ufactured dwellings and floating homes not located in a facility. 'Personal property' does not include

manufactured dwellings and floating homes located in a facility and therefore subject to being
 stored, sold or disposed of as provided under ORS 90.675.

"(2) A landlord [*shall*] may not store, sell or dispose of abandoned personal property except as
provided by this section. This section governs the rights and obligations of landlords, tenants and
any lienholders or owners in any personal property abandoned or left upon the premises by the
tenant or any lienholder or owner in the following circumstances:

7 "(a) The tenancy has ended by termination or expiration of a rental agreement or by 8 relinquishment or abandonment of the premises and the landlord reasonably believes under all the 9 circumstances that the tenant has left the personal property upon the premises with no intention 10 of asserting any further claim to the premises or to the personal property;

"(b) The tenant has been absent from the premises continuously for seven days after termination of a tenancy by a court order that has not been executed; or

<sup>13</sup> "(c) The landlord elects to remove the personal property pursuant to ORS 105.165.

"(3) Prior to selling or disposing of the tenant's personal property under this section, the landlord must give a written notice to the tenant [*which*] that shall be:

16 "(a) Personally delivered to the tenant; or

17 "(b) Sent by first class mail addressed and mailed to the tenant at:

18 "(A) The premises;

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"(B) Any post-office box held by the tenant and actually known to the landlord; and

"(C) The most recent forwarding address if provided by the tenant or actually known to the landlord.

"(4)(a) In addition to the notice required by subsection (3) of this section, in the case of an abandoned recreational vehicle, manufactured dwelling or floating home, a landlord shall also give a copy of the notice described in subsection (3) of this section to:

"(A) Any lienholder of the recreational vehicle, manufactured dwelling or floating home;

<sup>26</sup> "(B) Any owner of the recreational vehicle, manufactured dwelling or floating home;

"(C) The tax collector of the county where the manufactured dwelling or floating home is lo-cated; and

<sup>29</sup> "(D) The assessor of the county where the manufactured dwelling or floating home is located.

30 "(b) The landlord shall give the notice copy required by this subsection by personal delivery or 31 first class mail, except that for any lienholder, mail service shall be **both** by first class mail [*with* 32 *certificate of mailing*] **and by certified mail with return receipt requested**.

"(c) A notice to lienholders under paragraph (a)(A) of this subsection must be sent to
 each lienholder at each address:

35 "(A) Actually known to the landlord;

36 **"(B) Of record; and** 

"(C) Provided to the landlord by the lienholder in a written notice that identifies the personal property subject to the lien and that was sent to the landlord by certified mail with return receipt requested within the preceding five years. The notice must identify the personal property by describing the physical address of the property.

41 "(5) The notice required under subsection (3) of this section shall state that:

42 "(a) The personal property left upon the premises is considered abandoned;

"(b) The tenant or any lienholder or owner must contact the landlord by a specified date, as
provided in subsection (6) of this section, to arrange for the removal of the abandoned personal
property;

1 "(c) The personal property is stored at a place of safekeeping, except that if the property in-2 cludes a manufactured dwelling or floating home, the dwelling or home shall be stored on the rented 3 space;

4 "(d) The tenant or any lienholder or owner, except as provided by subsection (17) of this section,
5 may arrange for removal of the personal property by contacting the landlord at a described tele6 phone number or address on or before the specified date;

"(e) The landlord shall make the personal property available for removal by the tenant or any
lienholder or owner, except as provided by subsection (17) of this section, by appointment at reasonable times;

"(f) If the personal property is considered to be abandoned pursuant to subsection (2)(a) or (b) of this section, the landlord may require payment of removal and storage charges, as provided by subsection (7)(d) of this section, prior to releasing the personal property to the tenant or any lienholder or owner;

"(g) If the personal property is considered to be abandoned pursuant to subsection (2)(c) of this section, the landlord [*shall*] **may** not require payment of storage charges prior to releasing the personal property;

"(h) If the tenant or any lienholder or owner fails to contact the landlord by the specified date, or after that contact, fails to remove the personal property within 30 days for recreational vehicles, manufactured dwellings and floating homes or 15 days for all other personal property, the landlord may sell or dispose of the personal property. If the landlord reasonably believes that the personal property will be eligible for disposal pursuant to subsection (10)(b) of this section and the landlord intends to dispose of the property if it is not claimed, the notice shall state that belief and intent; and

"(i) If the personal property includes a recreational vehicle, manufactured dwelling or floating
home and if applicable, there is a lienholder or owner that has a right to claim the recreational
vehicle, dwelling or home, except as provided by subsection (17) of this section.

"(6) For purposes of subsection (5) of this section, the specified date by which a tenant,
lienholder or owner must contact a landlord to arrange for the disposition of abandoned personal
property shall be:

"(a) For abandoned recreational vehicles, manufactured dwellings or floating homes, not less
 than 45 days after personal delivery or [*first class*] mailing of the notice; or

"(b) For all other abandoned personal property, not less than five days after personal delivery
 or eight days after [*first class*] mailing of the notice.

"(7) After notifying the tenant as required by subsection (3) of this section, the landlord:

"(a) Shall store any abandoned manufactured dwelling or floating home on the rented space and
 shall exercise reasonable care for the dwelling or home;

"(b) Shall store all other abandoned personal property of the tenant, including goods left inside a recreational vehicle, manufactured dwelling or floating home or left upon the rented space outside a recreational vehicle, dwelling or home, in a place of safekeeping and shall exercise reasonable care for the personal property, except that the landlord may:

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"(A) Promptly dispose of rotting food; and

42 "(B) Allow an animal control agency to remove any abandoned pets or livestock. If an animal 43 control agency will not remove the abandoned pets or livestock, the landlord shall exercise reason-44 able care for the animals given all the circumstances, including the type and condition of the ani-45 mals, and may give the animals to an agency that is willing and able to care for the animals, such 1 as a humane society or similar organization;

"(c) Except for manufactured dwellings and floating homes, may store the abandoned personal
property at the dwelling unit, move and store it elsewhere on the premises or move and store it at
a commercial storage company or other place of safekeeping; and

5 "(d) [*Shall be*] **Is** entitled to reasonable or actual storage charges and costs incidental to storage 6 or disposal, including any cost of removal to a place of storage. In the case of an abandoned man-7 ufactured dwelling or floating home, the storage charge shall be no greater than the monthly space 8 rent last payable by the tenant.

9 (3) If a tenant, lienholder or owner, upon the receipt of the notice provided by subsection 10 or (4) of this section or otherwise, responds by actual notice to the landlord on or before the spec-11 ified date in the landlord's notice that the tenant, lienholder or owner intends to remove the per-12 sonal property from the premises or from the place of safekeeping, the landlord must make that 13 personal property available for removal by the tenant, lienholder or owner by appointment at rea-14 sonable times during the next 15 days or, in the case of a recreational vehicle, manufactured 15 dwelling or floating home, 30 days, subject to subsection (17) of this section. If the personal property 16 is considered to be abandoned pursuant to subsection (2)(a) or (b) of this section, but not pursuant 17 to subsection (2)(c) of this section, the landlord may require payment of removal and storage 18 charges, as provided in subsection (7)(d) of this section, prior to allowing the tenant, lienholder or 19 owner to remove the personal property. Acceptance by a landlord of such payment [shall] does not 20 operate to create or reinstate a tenancy or create a waiver pursuant to ORS 90.415.

21 "(9) Except as provided in subsections (17) to (19) of this section, if the tenant, lienholder or 22 owner of a recreational vehicle, manufactured dwelling or floating home does not respond within the 23 time provided by the landlord's notice, or the tenant, lienholder or owner does not remove the per-24 sonal property within the time required by subsection (8) of this section or by any date agreed to 25 with the landlord, whichever is later, the tenant's, lienholder's or owner's personal property [shall 26 be] is conclusively presumed to be abandoned. The tenant and any lienholder or owner that have 27 been given notice pursuant to subsection (3) or (4) of this section shall, except with regard to the 28 distribution of sale proceeds pursuant to subsection (12) of this section, have no further right, title 29 or interest to the personal property and may not claim or sell the property.

"(10) If the personal property is presumed to be abandoned under subsection (9) of this section,
the landlord then may:

"(a) Sell the personal property at a public or private sale, provided that prior to the sale of a
 recreational vehicle, manufactured dwelling or floating home:

"(A) The landlord may seek to transfer the certificate of title and registration to the personal
 property by complying with the requirements of the appropriate state agency; and

36 "(B) The landlord shall:

"(i) Place a notice in a newspaper of general circulation in the county in which the recreational
vehicle, manufactured dwelling or floating home is located. The notice shall state:

<sup>39</sup> "(I) That the recreational vehicle, manufactured dwelling or floating home is abandoned;

40 "(II) The tenant's and owner's name, if of record or actually known to the landlord;

"(III) The address and any space number where the recreational vehicle, manufactured dwelling
or floating home is located, and if actually known to the landlord, the plate, registration or other
identification number as noted on the certificate of title;

44 "(IV) Whether the sale is by private bidding or public auction;

45 "(V) Whether the landlord is accepting sealed bids and, if so, the last date on which bids will

1 be accepted; and

"(VI) The name and telephone number of the person to contact to inspect the recreational vehicle, manufactured dwelling or floating home;

4 "(ii) At a reasonable time prior to the sale, give a copy of the notice required by sub5 subparagraph (i) of this subparagraph to the tenant and to any lienholder and owner, by personal
6 delivery or first class mail, except that for any lienholder, mail service shall be by first class mail
7 with certificate of mailing;

8 "(iii) Obtain an affidavit of publication from the newspaper to show that the notice required 9 under sub-subparagraph (i) of this subparagraph ran in the newspaper at least one day in each of 10 two consecutive weeks prior to the date scheduled for the sale or the last date bids will be accepted; 11 and

"(iv) Obtain written proof from the county that all property taxes on the manufactured dwelling or floating home have been paid or, if not paid, that the county has authorized the sale, with the sale proceeds to be distributed pursuant to subsection (12) of this section;

"(b) Destroy or otherwise dispose of the personal property if the landlord determines that:

"(A) For a manufactured dwelling or floating home, the current market value of the property is
\$3,500 or less as determined by the county assessor; or

(B) For all other personal property, the reasonable current fair market value is \$500 or less or so low that the cost of storage and conducting a public sale probably exceeds the amount that would be realized from the sale; or

21 "(c) Consistent with paragraphs (a) and (b) of this subsection, sell certain items and destroy or 22 otherwise dispose of the remaining personal property.

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"(11)(a) A public or private sale authorized by this section shall:

"(A) For a recreational vehicle, manufactured dwelling or floating home, be conducted consistent with the terms listed in subsection (10)(a)(B)(i) of this section. Every aspect of the sale including
the method, manner, time, place and terms must be commercially reasonable; or

"(B) For all other personal property, be conducted under the provisions of ORS 79.5040 (3).

(b) If there is no buyer at a sale of a manufactured dwelling or floating home, the personal property [*shall be*] **is** considered to be worth \$3,500 or less, regardless of current market value, and the landlord may destroy or otherwise dispose of the personal property.

<sup>31</sup> "(12)(a) The landlord may deduct from the proceeds of the sale:

32 "(A) The reasonable or actual cost of notice, storage and sale; and

33 "(B) Unpaid rent.

34 "(b) If the sale was of a manufactured dwelling or floating home, after deducting the amounts 35 listed in paragraph (a) of this subsection, the landlord shall remit the remaining proceeds, if any, to 36 the county tax collector to the extent of any unpaid property taxes owed on the dwelling or home.

"(c) If the sale was of a recreational vehicle, manufactured dwelling or floating home, after deducting the amounts listed in paragraphs (a) and (b) of this subsection, if applicable, the landlord shall remit the remaining proceeds, if any, to any lienholder to the extent of any unpaid balance owed on the lien on the recreational vehicle, dwelling or home.

"(d) After deducting the amounts listed in paragraphs (a), (b) and (c) of this subsection, if applicable, the landlord shall remit to the tenant or owner the remaining proceeds, if any, together
with an itemized accounting.

"(e) If the tenant or owner cannot after due diligence be found, the remaining proceeds shall
 be deposited with the county treasurer of the county in which the sale occurred, and if not claimed

1 within three years shall revert to the general fund of the county available for general purposes.

"(13) The county tax collector shall cancel all unpaid property taxes owed on a manufactured
dwelling or floating home, as provided under ORS 311.790, if:

4 "(a) The landlord disposes of the manufactured dwelling or floating home after a determination
5 described in subsection (10)(b) of this section;

6 "(b) There is no buyer of the manufactured dwelling or floating home at a sale described under 7 subsection (11) of this section; or

8 "(c) The proceeds of a sale described under subsection (11) of this section are insufficient to
9 satisfy the unpaid property taxes owed on the dwelling or home after distribution of the proceeds
10 pursuant to subsection (12) of this section.

"(14) The landlord [*shall not be*] **is not** responsible for any loss to the tenant, lienholder or owner resulting from storage of personal property in compliance with this section unless the loss was caused by the landlord's deliberate or negligent act. In the event of a deliberate and malicious violation, the landlord [*shall be*] **is** liable for twice the actual damages sustained by the tenant, lienholder or owner.

16 "(15) Complete compliance in good faith with this section shall constitute a complete defense in 17 any action brought by a tenant, lienholder or owner against a landlord for loss or damage to such 18 personal property disposed of pursuant to this section.

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"(16) If a landlord does not comply with this section:

"(a) The tenant [*shall be*] is relieved of any liability for damage to the premises caused by conduct that was not deliberate, intentional or grossly negligent and for unpaid rent and may recover
from the landlord up to twice the actual damages sustained by the tenant;

"(b) A lienholder or owner aggrieved by the noncompliance may recover from the landlord the
actual damages sustained by the lienholder or owner. ORS 90.255 does not authorize an award of
attorney fees to the prevailing party in any action arising under this paragraph; and

"(c) A county tax collector aggrieved by the noncompliance may recover from the landlord the actual damages sustained by the tax collector, if the noncompliance is part of an effort by the landlord to defraud the tax collector. ORS 90.255 does not authorize an award of attorney fees to the prevailing party in any action arising under this paragraph.

30 "(17) In the case of an abandoned recreational vehicle, manufactured dwelling or floating home, 31 the provisions of this section regarding the rights and responsibilities of a tenant to the abandoned 32 vehicle, dwelling or home shall also apply to any lienholder except that the lienholder [*shall*] **may** 33 not sell or remove the vehicle, dwelling or home unless:

"(a) The lienholder has foreclosed its lien on the recreational vehicle, manufactured dwelling
 or floating home;

"(b) The tenant or a personal representative or designated person described in subsection
(19) of this section has waived [*the tenant's*] all rights under this section pursuant to subsection
[(25)] (23) of this section; or

39 "(c) The notice and response periods provided by subsections (6) and (8) of this section have 40 expired.

41 "(18)(a) In the case of an abandoned manufactured dwelling or floating home but not including 42 a dwelling or home abandoned following a termination pursuant to ORS 90.429 and except as pro-43 vided by subsection [(21)(d)] (19)(d) and (e) of this section, if a lienholder makes a timely response 44 to a notice of abandoned personal property **pursuant to subsections (6) and (8) of this section** 45 and so requests, a landlord shall enter into a written **storage** agreement with the lienholder providing that the dwelling or home [shall] may not be sold or disposed of by the landlord for up to 12 months[, so long as the lienholder makes timely periodic payment of all future storage charges as provided by subsection (7)(d) of this section and maintains the dwelling or home and the rented space on which it is stored]. A storage agreement entitles the lienholder to store the personal property on the previously rented space during the term of the agreement, but does not entitle

6 anyone to occupy the personal property.

"(b) The lienholder's right to [such an] a storage agreement [shall arise] arises upon the failure
of the tenant, owner or, in the case of a deceased tenant, the personal representative, designated
person, heir or devisee to remove or sell the dwelling or home within the allotted time.

10 (c) To exercise the right to a storage agreement under this subsection, in addition to 11 contacting the landlord with a timely response as described in paragraph (a) of this sub-12 section, the lienholder must enter into the proposed storage agreement within 60 days after 13 the landlord gives a copy of the agreement to the lienholder. The landlord shall give a copy 14 of the proposed storage agreement to the lienholder in the same manner as provided by subsection (4)(b) of this section. The landlord may include a copy of the proposed storage 15 16 agreement with the notice of abandoned property required by subsection (4) of this section. 17 A lienholder enters into a storage agreement by signing a copy of the agreement provided 18 by the landlord and personally delivering or mailing the signed copy to the landlord within 19 the 60-day period.

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"(d) The storage agreement may require, in addition to other provisions agreed to by the landlord and the lienholder, that:

"(A) The lienholder make timely periodic payment of all storage charges, as described in subsection (7)(d) of this section, accruing from the commencement of the 45-day period de-scribed in subsection (6) of this section. A storage charge may include a utility or service charge, as described in ORS 90.510 (8), if limited to charges for electricity, water, sewer service and natural gas and if incidental to the storage of personal property. A storage charge may not be due more frequently than monthly;

(B) The lienholder pay a late charge or fee for failure to pay a storage charge by the
 date required in the agreement, if the amount of the late charge is no greater than for late
 charges described in the rental agreement between the landlord and the tenant; and

"(C) The lienholder maintain the personal property and the space on which the personal
 property is stored in a manner consistent with the rights and obligations described in the
 rental agreement between the landlord and the tenant.

34 "[(19)] (e) During the term of an agreement described under this subsection [(18) of this 35 section], the lienholder shall have the right to remove or sell the property, subject to the provisions 36 of its lien. Selling the property includes a sale to a purchaser who wishes to leave the dwelling or 37 home on the rented space and become a tenant, subject to any conditions previously agreed to by 38 the landlord and tenant regarding the landlord's approval of a purchaser or, if there was no such 39 agreement, any reasonable conditions by the landlord regarding approval of any purchaser who 40 wishes to leave the dwelling or home on the rented space and become a tenant. The landlord also 41 may condition approval for occupancy of any purchaser of the property upon payment of all unpaid 42 storage charges and maintenance costs.

43 "(f)(A) If the lienholder violates the storage agreement, the landlord may terminate [*it upon*]
44 the agreement by giving at least 90 days' written notice to the lienholder stating facts sufficient
45 to notify the lienholder of the reason for the termination. Unless the lienholder corrects the vio-

lation within the notice period, the agreement [*shall terminate*] **terminates** as provided and the
 landlord may sell or dispose of the dwelling or home without further notice to the lienholder.

3 "(B) After a landlord gives a termination notice pursuant to subparagraph (A) of this paragraph for failure of the lienholder to pay a storage charge and the lienholder corrects 4 5 the violation, if the lienholder again violates the storage agreement by failing to pay a subsequent storage charge, the landlord may terminate the agreement by giving at least 30 days' 6 7 written notice to the lienholder stating facts sufficient to notify the lienholder of the reason 8 for termination. Unless the lienholder corrects the violation within the notice period, the 9 agreement terminates as provided and the landlord may sell or dispose of the property 10 without further notice to the lienholder.

"(C) A lienholder may terminate a storage agreement at any time upon at least 14 days'
 written notice to the landlord and may remove the property from the rented space if the
 lienholder has paid all storage charges and other charges as provided in the agreement.

"[(20)] (g) Upon the failure of a lienholder to enter into a storage agreement as provided by this subsection or upon termination of an agreement [described under subsection (18) of this section], unless the parties otherwise agree or the lienholder has sold or removed the manufactured dwelling or floating home, the landlord may sell or dispose of the property pursuant to this section without further notice to the lienholder.

"[*(21)*] **(19)** If the personal property consists of an abandoned manufactured dwelling or floating home and is considered abandoned as a result of the death of a tenant who was the only tenant and who owned the dwelling or home, [*the provisions of subsections (1) to (20), (23), (24) and (26) of*] this section [*shall apply*] **applies**, except as follows:

"(a) [*The provisions of this section regarding the rights and responsibilities of a tenant to the abandoned dwelling or home shall apply to*] Any personal representative named in a will or appointed by a court to act for the deceased tenant or any person designated in writing by the tenant to be contacted by the landlord in the event of the tenant's death **has the same rights and responsi-bilities regarding the abandoned dwelling or home as a tenant**.

28 "(b) The notice required by subsection (3) of this section shall be:

<sup>29</sup> "(A) Sent by first class mail to the deceased tenant at the premises; and

"(B) Personally delivered or sent by first class mail to any personal representative or designated
 person if actually known to the landlord.

32 "(c) The notice described in subsection (5) of this section shall refer to any personal represen-33 tative or designated person, instead of the deceased tenant, and shall incorporate the provisions of 34 this subsection.

35 "(d) If a personal representative, designated person or other person entitled to possession of the 36 property, such as an heir or devisee, responds by actual notice to a landlord within the 45-day period 37 provided by subsection (6) of this section and so requests, the landlord shall enter into a written 38 storage agreement with the representative or person providing that the dwelling or home [shall] 39 may not be sold or disposed of by the landlord for up to 90 days or until conclusion of any probate 40 proceedings, whichever is later[, so long as the representative or person makes timely periodic payment 41 of all future storage charges as provided by subsection (7)(d) of this section and maintains the dwelling 42 or home and the rented space on which it is stored]. A storage agreement entitles the represen-43 tative or person to store the personal property on the previously rented space during the 44 term of the agreement, but does not entitle anyone to occupy the personal property. If such 45 an agreement is entered, the landlord [shall] may not enter a similar agreement with a lienholder

pursuant to subsection (18) of this section until the agreement with the personal representative or
 designated person ends.

"(e) If a personal representative or other person requests that a landlord enter into a storage agreement, subsections (18)(c), (d) and (f)(C) of this section apply, with the representative or person having the rights and responsibilities of a lienholder with regard to the storage agreement.

7 "[(e)] (f) During the term of an agreement described under paragraph (d) of this subsection, the 8 representative or person shall have the right to remove or sell the dwelling or home, including a 9 sale to a purchaser or a transfer to an heir or devisee where the purchaser, heir or devisee wishes 10 to leave the dwelling or home on the rented space and become a tenant, subject to any conditions 11 previously agreed to by the landlord and tenant regarding the landlord's approval for occupancy of 12 a purchaser, heir or devisee or, if there was no such agreement, any reasonable conditions by the 13 landlord regarding approval for occupancy of any purchaser, heir or devisee who wishes to leave the 14 dwelling or home on the rented space and become a tenant. The landlord also may condition approval for occupancy of any purchaser, heir or devisee of the dwelling or home upon payment of all 15 16 unpaid storage charges and maintenance costs.

"(g) If the representative or person violates the storage agreement, the landlord may terminate [*it upon*] the agreement by giving at least 30 days' written notice to the representative or person stating facts sufficient to notify the representative or person of the reason for the termination. Unless the representative or person corrects the violation within the notice period, the agreement [*shall terminate*] terminates as provided and the landlord may sell or dispose of the dwelling or home without further notice to the representative or person.

"[(22)] (h) Upon the failure of a representative or person to enter into a storage agreement as provided by this subsection or upon termination of an agreement [described under subsection (21)(d) of this section], unless the parties otherwise agree or the representative or person has sold or removed the manufactured dwelling or floating home, the landlord may sell or dispose of the property pursuant to this section without further notice to the representative or person.

"(20) If a governmental agency determines that the condition of a manufactured dwelling, floating home or recreational vehicle abandoned under this section constitutes an extreme health or safety hazard under state or local law and the agency determines that the hazard endangers others in the facility and requires quick removal of the property, the landlord may sell or dispose of the property pursuant to this subsection. The landlord shall comply with all provisions of this section, except as follows:

(a) The date provided in subsection (6) of this section by which a tenant, lienholder, owner, personal representative or designated person must contact a landlord to arrange for the disposition of the property shall be not less than 15 days after personal delivery or mailing of the notice required by subsection (3) of this section.

38 "(b) The date provided in subsections (8) and (9) of this section by which a tenant, 39 lienholder, owner, personal representative or designated person must remove the property 40 shall be not less than seven days after the tenant, lienholder, owner, personal representative 41 or designated person contacts the landlord.

42 "(c) The notice required by subsection (3) of this section shall be as provided in sub 43 section (5) of this section, except that:

"(A) The dates and deadlines in the notice for contacting the landlord and removing the
 property shall be consistent with this subsection;

"(B) The notice shall state that a governmental agency has determined that the property
 constitutes an extreme health or safety hazard and must be removed quickly; and

"(C) The landlord shall attach a copy of the agency's determination to the notice.

"(d) If the tenant, a lienholder, owner, personal representative or designated person does
not remove the property within the time allowed, the landlord or a buyer at a sale by the
landlord under subsection (11) of this section shall promptly remove the property from the
facility.

"(e) A landlord is not required to enter into a storage agreement with a lienholder,
 owner, personal representative or designated person pursuant to subsection (18) of this sec tion.

"[(23)] (21) In the case of an abandoned recreational vehicle, manufactured dwelling or floating home that is owned by someone other than the tenant, the provisions of this section regarding the rights and responsibilities of a tenant to the abandoned vehicle, dwelling or home shall also apply to that owner, with regard only to the vehicle, dwelling or home, and not to any goods left inside or outside the vehicle, dwelling or home.

16 "[(24)] (22) In the case of an abandoned motor vehicle, the procedure authorized by ORS 98.830 17 and 98.835 for removal of abandoned motor vehicles from private property may be used by a landlord 18 as an alternative to the procedures required in this section.

"[(25)] (23)(a) [Except for personal property that is subject to subsection (21) of this section,] A landlord may sell or dispose of a tenant's abandoned personal property without complying with the provisions of this section if, after termination of the tenancy or no more than seven days prior to the termination of the tenancy, the [landlord and the tenant and, in the case of a recreational vehicle, manufactured dwelling or floating home, any lienholder and owner] following parties so agree in a writing entered into in good faith[.]:

25 **"(A) The landlord;** 

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(B) The tenant, or for an abandonment as the result of the death of a tenant who was the only tenant, the personal representative, designated person or other person entitled to possession of the personal property, such as an heir or devisee, as described in subsection (19) of this section; and

"(C) In the case of a manufactured dwelling, floating home or recreational vehicle, any
 owner and any lienholder.

"(b) A landlord [*shall*] may not, as part of a rental agreement, require a tenant, a personal
 representative, a designated person or any lienholder or owner to waive any right provided by
 this section.

"[(26)] (24) Until personal property is conclusively presumed to be abandoned under subsection
(9) of this section, a landlord [*shall*] does not have a lien pursuant to ORS 87.152 for storing the
personal property.

38 "SECTION 35a. ORS 90.510 is amended to read:

<sup>39</sup> "90.510. (1) [*Effective July 1, 1992*,] Every landlord who rents a space for a manufactured dwelling or floating home shall provide a written statement of policy to prospective and existing tenants. The purpose of the statement of policy is to provide disclosure of the landlord's policies to prospective tenants and to existing tenants who have not previously received a statement of policy. The statement of policy is not a part of the rental agreement. The statement of policy shall provide **all of** the following information in summary form:

45 "(a) The location and approximate size of the space to be rented.[;]

1 "(b) The federal fair-housing age classification and present zoning that affect the use of the 2 rented space.[;]

"(c) The facility policy regarding rent adjustment and a rent history for the space to be rented. The rent history must, at a minimum, show the rent amounts on January 1 of each of the five preceding calendar years or during the length of the landlord's ownership, leasing or subleasing of the facility, whichever period is shorter.[;]

"(d) All personal property, services and facilities to be provided by the landlord.[;]

8 "(e) All installation charges imposed by the landlord and installation fees imposed by govern9 ment agencies.[;]

"(f) The facility policy regarding rental agreement termination including, but not limited to,
closure of the facility.[;]

12 "(g) The facility policy regarding facility sale.[,]

13 "(h) The facility policy regarding informal dispute resolution.[;]

"(i) Utilities and services available, the person furnishing them and the person responsible for
 payment.[;]

"(j) If a tenants' association exists for the facility, a one-page summary about the tenants' association that shall be provided to the landlord by the tenants' association.[; and]

18 "(k) Any facility policy regarding the removal of a manufactured dwelling, including a statement 19 that removal requirements may impact the market value of a dwelling.

"(2) The rental agreement and the facility rules and regulations shall be attached as an exhibit to the statement of policy. If the recipient of the statement of policy is a tenant, the rental agreement attached to the statement of policy shall be a copy of the agreement entered by the landlord and tenant.

24 "(3) [Effective July 1, 1992:]

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"(a) Prospective tenants shall receive a copy of the statement of policy before signing a rental
 agreement;

"(b) Existing tenants who have not previously received a copy of the statement of policy
and who are on month-to-month rental agreements shall receive a copy of the statement of policy
at the time [*the next*] a 90-day notice of a rent increase is issued; and

"(c) All other existing tenants who have not previously received a copy of the statement
 of policy shall receive a copy of the statement of policy upon the expiration of their [*current*] rental
 agreement and before signing a new agreement.

"(4) Every landlord who rents a space for a manufactured dwelling or floating home shall provide a written rental agreement, except as provided by ORS 90.710 (2)(d), that shall be signed by the landlord and tenant and that cannot be unilaterally amended by one of the parties to the contract except by:

- 37 "(a) Mutual agreement of the parties;
- 38 "(b) Actions pursuant to ORS 90.530 or 90.600; or
- <sup>39</sup> "(c) Those provisions required by changes in statute or ordinance.
- 40 "(5) The agreement required by subsection (4) of this section shall specify:
- 41 "(a) The location and approximate size of the rented space;
- 42 "(b) The federal fair-housing age classification;
- 43 "(c) The rent per month;

44 "(d) All personal property, services and facilities to be provided by the landlord;

45 "(e) All security deposits, fees and installation charges imposed by the landlord;

1 "(f) Improvements that the tenant may or must make to the rental space, including plant mate-2 rials and landscaping;

"(g) Provisions for dealing with improvements to the rental space at the termination of the
 tenancy;

5 "(h) Any conditions the landlord applies in approving a purchaser of a manufactured dwelling 6 or floating home as a tenant in the event the tenant elects to sell the home. Those conditions shall 7 be in conformance with state and federal law and may include, but are not limited to, conditions as 8 to pets, number of occupants and screening or admission criteria;

9 "(i) That the tenant [*shall*] may not sell the tenant's manufactured dwelling or floating home to
10 a person who intends to leave the manufactured dwelling or floating home on the rental space until
11 the landlord has accepted the person as a tenant;

12 "(j) The term of the tenancy;

"(k) The process by which the rental agreement or rules and regulations may be changed, which
shall identify that the rules and regulations may be changed with 60 days' notice unless tenants
of at least 51 percent of the [*tenants*] eligible spaces file an objection within 30 days; and

"(L) The process by which notices shall be given by either landlord or tenant.

"(6) Every landlord who rents a space for a manufactured dwelling or floating home shall provide rules and regulations concerning the tenant's use and occupancy of the premises. A violation of the rules and regulations may be cause for termination of a rental agreement. However, this subsection does not create a presumption that all rules and regulations are identical for all tenants at all times. A rule or regulation shall be enforceable against the tenant only if:

22 "(a) The rule or regulation:

23 "(A) Promotes the convenience, safety or welfare of the tenants;

24 "(B) Preserves the landlord's property from abusive use; or

25 "(C) Makes a fair distribution of services and facilities held out for the general use of the ten-26 ants.

27 "(b) The rule or regulation:

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"(A) Is reasonably related to the purpose for which it is adopted and is reasonably applied;

29 "(B) Is sufficiently explicit in its prohibition, direction or limitation of the tenant's conduct to 30 fairly inform the tenant of what the tenant shall or shall not do to comply; and

<sup>31</sup> "(C) Is not for the purpose of evading the obligations of the landlord.

32 "(7)(a) A landlord who rents a space for a manufactured dwelling or floating home may adopt 33 a rule or regulation regarding occupancy guidelines. If adopted, an occupancy guideline in a facility 34 shall be based on reasonable factors and shall not be more restrictive than limiting occupancy to 35 two people per bedroom.

36 "(b) As used in this subsection:

37 "(A) 'Reasonable factors' may include but are not limited to:

38 "(i) The size of the dwelling.

39 "(ii) The size of the rented space.

40 "(iii) Any discriminatory impact for reasons identified in ORS 659.033.

41 "(iv) Limitations placed on utility services governed by a permit for water or sewage disposal.

42 "(B) 'Bedroom' means a room that is intended to be used primarily for sleeping purposes and 43 does not include bathrooms, toilet compartments, closets, halls, storage or utility space and similar 44 areas.

45 "(8)(a) If a written rental agreement so provides, a landlord may require a tenant to pay to the

1 landlord a utility or service charge that has been billed by a utility or service provider to the 2 landlord for utility or service provided directly to the tenant's dwelling unit or to a common area 3 available to the tenant as part of the tenancy. A utility or service charge that shall be assessed to a tenant for a common area must be described in the written rental agreement separately and dis-4 5 tinctly from such a charge for the tenant's dwelling unit. A landlord [shall] may not increase the 6 utility or service charge to the tenant by adding any costs of the landlord, such as a handling or 7 administrative charge, other than those costs billed to the landlord by the provider for utilities or 8 services as provided by this subsection.

9 "(b) A utility or service charge [*shall not be considered to be*] **is not** rent or a fee. Nonpayment 10 of a utility or service charge shall not constitute grounds for termination of a rental agreement for 11 nonpayment of rent pursuant to ORS 90.400 (2), but shall constitute grounds for termination of a 12 rental agreement for cause pursuant to ORS 90.630.

"(c) As used in this section, 'utility or service' has the meaning given that term in ORS 90.315(1).

"(9) Intentional and deliberate failure of the landlord to comply with subsections (1) to (3) of this
section [*shall be*] is cause for suit or action to remedy the violation or to recover actual damages.
The prevailing party is entitled to reasonable attorney fees and court costs.

"(10) A receipt signed by the potential tenant or tenants for documents required to be delivered by the landlord pursuant to subsections (1) to (3) of this section [*shall be*] **is** a defense for the landlord in an action against the landlord for nondelivery of the documents.

21 "(11) A suit or action arising under subsection (9) of this section must be commenced within one 22 year after the discovery or identification of the alleged violation.

"(12) Every landlord who publishes a directory of tenants and tenant services must include a
one-page summary regarding any tenants' association[, which shall be provided to the landlord by].
The tenants' association shall provide the summary to the landlord.

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"SECTION 35b. ORS 90.530 is amended to read:

<sup>27</sup> "90.530. (1) Notwithstanding a change in the rules and regulations of a manufactured dwelling <sup>28</sup> or floating home facility that would prohibit pets, a tenant may keep a pet that is otherwise legally <sup>29</sup> living with the tenant at the time the landlord provides notice of the proposed change to the rules <sup>30</sup> and regulations of the facility. The tenant may replace a pet with a pet similar to the one living <sup>31</sup> with the tenant at the time the landlord provided notice of the proposed change. New rules and <sup>32</sup> regulations that regulate the activities of pets shall apply to all pets in the facility, including those <sup>33</sup> pets that were living in the facility prior to the adoption of the new rules or regulations.

"(2) A rental agreement [*commencing on or after November 1, 1997*,] between a landlord renting
a space for a manufactured dwelling or floating home and a [*person*] tenant renting the space [, *shall*] must comply with the following:

"(a) A landlord [*shall*] may not charge a one-time, monthly or other periodic amount based on
 the tenant's possession of a pet.

39 "(b) A landlord may provide written rules regarding control, sanitation, number, type and size 40 of pets. The tenant shall sign a pet agreement and provide proof of liability insurance. The tenant 41 shall make the landlord a co-insured for the purpose of receiving notice in the case of cancellation 42 of the insurance.

43 "(c) A landlord may charge a tenant an amount for a violation of a written pet agreement or
44 rules relating to pets not to exceed \$50 for each violation.

45 "SECTION 36. ORS 90.600 is amended to read:

<sup>1</sup> "90.600. (1) [*In the case of*] **If** a rental agreement **is a month-to-month tenancy** to which ORS <sup>2</sup> 90.505 to 90.840 apply, the landlord may not increase the rent unless the landlord gives notice in <sup>3</sup> writing to each affected tenant at least 90 days prior to the effective date of the rent increase <sup>4</sup> specifying the amount of the increase, the amount of the new rent and the date on which the in-<sup>5</sup> crease becomes effective.

"(2) This section does not create a right to increase rent that does not otherwise exist.

7 "(3) This section does not require a landlord to compromise, justify or reduce a rent increase8 that the landlord otherwise is entitled to impose.

"(4) Neither ORS 90.510 (1), requiring a landlord to provide a statement of policy, nor ORS
90.510 (4), requiring a landlord to provide a written rental agreement, [*shall be construed to*] create
a basis for tenant challenge of a rent increase, judicially or otherwise.

12 "(5)(a) The tenants who reside in a facility may elect one committee of seven or fewer members 13 in a facility-wide election to represent the tenants. One tenant of record for each rented space may 14 vote in the election. Upon written request from the tenants' committee, the landlord or a representative of the landlord shall meet with the committee within 10 to 30 days of the request to discuss 15 16 the tenants' nonrent concerns regarding the facility. Unless the parties agree otherwise, upon a 17 request from the tenants' committee, a landlord or representative of the landlord shall meet with the 18 tenants' committee at least once, but not more than twice, each calendar year. The meeting shall 19 be held on the premises if the facility has suitable meeting space for that purpose, or at a location 20 reasonably convenient to the tenants. After the meeting, the tenants' committee shall send a written 21 summary of the issues and concerns addressed at the meeting to the landlord. The landlord or the 22 landlord's representative shall make a good faith response in writing to the committee's summary 23 within 60 days.

"(b) The tenants' committee [*shall be*] **is** entitled to informal dispute resolution in accordance with ORS 446.547 if the landlord or landlord's representative fails to meet with the tenants' committee or fails to respond in good faith to the written summary as required by paragraph (a) of this subsection.

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"SECTION 36a. ORS 90.610 is amended to read:

"90.610. (1) As used in this section, 'eligible space' means each space in the facility as long
as:

"(a) The space is rented to a tenant and the tenancy is subject to ORS 90.505 to 90.840;
 and

"(b) The tenant who occupies the space has not:

"(A) Previously agreed to a rental agreement that includes the proposed rule or regu lation change; or

"(B) Become subject to the proposed rule or regulation change as a result of a change
 in rules or regulations previously adopted in a manner consistent with this section.

"[(1)] (2) Notwithstanding ORS 90.245 (1), the parties to a rental agreement to which ORS 90.505
 to 90.840 applies shall provide for a process establishing informal dispute resolution of disputes that
 may arise concerning the rental agreement for a manufactured dwelling or floating home space.

41 "[(2)] (3) The landlord may propose changes in rules or regulations, including changes that make 42 a substantial modification of the landlord's bargain with a tenant, by giving written notice of the 43 proposed rule or regulation change, and unless tenants of at least 51 percent of the [*rented*] eligible 44 spaces in the facility object in writing within 30 days of the date the notice was served, the change 45 shall [*be*] become effective for all tenants of those spaces on a date not less than 60 days after the

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- 1 the date the notice was served. If the tenant requests an informal dispute resolution, the landlord
- 2 may not file an action for possession pursuant to ORS 105.105 to 105.168 until 30 days after the date
- of the tenant's request for informal dispute resolution or the date the informal dispute resolution is
  complete, whichever occurs first.
- 5 "[(7)] (10) [No] An agreement under this section [shall] may not require informal dispute re-6 solution of disputes relating to:

7 "(a) Facility closure;

8 "(b) Facility sale; or

9 "(c) Rent, including but not limited to amount, increase and nonpayment.

"[(8)] (11) ORS 90.510 (1) to (3), requiring a landlord to provide a statement of policy, [shall not
be construed to] do not create a basis for a tenant to demand informal dispute resolution of a rent
increase.

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"SECTION 37. ORS 90.620 is amended to read:

"90.620. (1) The tenant who rents a space for a manufactured dwelling or floating home may terminate [*the*] **a** rental agreement **that is a month-to-month or fixed term tenancy without cause** by giving to the landlord, **at any time during the tenancy**, not less than 30 days' notice in writing prior to the date designated in the notice for **the** termination **of the tenancy**.

"[(2) The agreement to rent required by ORS 90.510 may provide for termination on a specified
 date not less than 30 days after the parties enter into the agreement.]

"(2) The tenant may terminate a rental agreement that is a month-to-month or fixed
term tenancy for cause pursuant to ORS 90.315, 90.360 (1), 90.365 (2), 90.375 or 90.380.

"(3) [No] A tenant [shall] may not be required to give the landlord more than 30 days' written
 notice to terminate.

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"SECTION 38. ORS 90.630 is amended to read:

25 "90.630. (1) Except as provided in subsection [(5)] (4) of this section, the landlord may terminate 26 [the] a rental agreement that is a month-to-month or fixed term tenancy for space for a manu-27 factured dwelling or floating home by giving to the tenant not less than 30 days' notice in writing 28 before the date designated in the notice for termination if the tenant:

"(a) Violates a law or ordinance related to the tenant's conduct as a tenant, including but not
limited to a material noncompliance with ORS 90.740;

31 "(b) Violates a rule or rental agreement provision related to the tenant's conduct as a tenant 32 and imposed as a condition of occupancy, including but not limited to a material noncompliance with 33 a rental agreement regarding a program of recovery in drug and alcohol free housing; or

34 "(c) Fails to pay a:

35 "(A) Late charge pursuant to ORS 90.260;

36 "(B) Fee pursuant to ORS 90.302; or

<sup>37</sup> "(C) Utility or service charge pursuant to ORS 90.510 (8).

"[(2) As used in subsection (1) of this section, 'conduct' includes both the commission of an act and
 the failure to act.]

40 "[(3)] (2) A violation making a tenant subject to termination under subsection (1) of this section 41 includes a tenant's failure to maintain the space as required by law, ordinance, rental agreement 42 or rule, but does not include the physical condition of the dwelling or home. Termination of a rental 43 agreement based upon the physical condition of a dwelling or home shall only be as provided in ORS 44 90.632.

"[(4)] (3) The notice required by subsection (1) of this section shall state facts sufficient to notify

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1 the tenant of the reasons for termination of the tenancy.

2 "[(5)] (4) The tenant may avoid termination of the tenancy by correcting the violation within the 3 30-day period specified in subsection (1) of this section. However, if substantially the same act or 4 omission which constituted a prior violation of which notice was given recurs within six months 5 after the date of the notice, the landlord may terminate the tenancy upon at least 20 days' written 6 notice specifying the violation and the date of termination of the tenancy.

7 "[(6)] (5) The landlord of a facility may terminate [the] a rental agreement that is a monthto-month or fixed term tenancy for a facility space if the facility or a portion of it that includes the space is to be closed and the land or leasehold converted to a different use, which is not required by the exercise of eminent domain or by order of state or local agencies, by:

"(a) Not less than 365 days' notice in writing before the date designated in the notice for termination; or

"(b) Not less than 180 days' notice in writing before the date designated in the notice for termination, if the landlord finds space acceptable to the tenant to which the tenant can move the manufactured dwelling or floating home and the landlord pays the cost of moving and set-up expenses or \$3,500, whichever is less.

17 "[*(7)*] **(6)** The landlord may:

"(a) Provide greater financial incentive to encourage the tenant to accept an earlier termination
date than that provided in subsection [(6)] (5) of this section; or

20 "(b) Contract with the tenant for a mutually acceptable arrangement to assist the tenant's move.

"[(8)] (7) The Housing and Community Services Department shall adopt rules to implement the provisions of subsection [(6)] (5) of this section.

23 "[(9)(a)] (8)(a) A landlord [*shall*] may not increase the rent for the purpose of offsetting the 24 payments required under this section.

(b) There shall be no increase in the rent after a notice of termination is given pursuant to thissection.

27 "[(10)] (9) This section does not limit a landlord's right to terminate a tenancy for nonpayment 28 of rent pursuant to ORS 90.400 (2) or for other cause pursuant to ORS 90.380 [(3)(b)] (5)(b), 90.400 29 (3) or (9) or 90.632 by complying with ORS 105.105 to 105.168.

"[(11)] (10) A tenancy shall terminate on the date designated in the notice and without regard
to the expiration of the period for which, by the terms of the rental agreement, rents are to be paid.
Unless otherwise agreed, rent is uniformly apportionable from day to day.

33 "[(12)] (11) Nothing in subsection [(6)] (5) of this section shall prevent a landlord from relocating 34 a floating home to another comparable space in the same facility or another facility owned by the 35 same owner in the same city if the landlord desires or is required to make repairs, to remodel or 36 to modify the tenant's original space.

"[(13)(a)] (12)(a) Notwithstanding any other provision of this section or ORS 90.400, the landlord may terminate the rental agreement for space for a manufactured dwelling or floating home because of repeated late payment of rent by giving the tenant not less than 30 days' notice in writing before the date designated in that notice for termination and may take possession in the manner provided in ORS 105.105 to 105.168 if:

42 "(A) The tenant has not paid the monthly rent prior to the eighth day of the rental period as 43 described in ORS 90.400 (2)(b)(A) or the fifth day of the rental period as described in ORS 90.400 44 (2)(b)(B) in at least three of the preceding 12 months and the landlord has given the tenant a notice 45 for nonpayment of rent pursuant to ORS 90.400 (2)(b) during each of those three instances of non1 payment;

"(B) The landlord warns the tenant of the risk of a 30-day notice for termination with no right to correct the cause, upon the occurrence of a third notice for nonpayment of rent within a 12-month period. The warning must be contained in at least two notices for nonpayment of rent that precede the third notice within a 12-month period or in separate written notices that are given concurrent with, or a reasonable time after, each of the two notices for nonpayment of rent; and

"(C) The 30-day notice of termination states facts sufficient to notify the tenant of the cause for
termination of the tenancy and is given to the tenant concurrent with or after the third or a subsequent notice for nonpayment of rent.

10 "(b) Notwithstanding subsection [(3)] (2) of this section, a tenant who receives a 30-day notice 11 of termination pursuant to this subsection shall have no right to correct the cause for the notice.

"(c) The landlord may give a copy of the notice required by paragraph (a) of this subsection to any lienholder of the manufactured dwelling or floating home by first class mail with certificate of mailing or by any other method allowed by ORS 90.150 (2) and (3). A landlord is not liable to a tenant for any damages incurred by the tenant as a result of the landlord giving a copy of the notice in good faith to a lienholder. A lienholder's rights and obligations regarding an abandoned manufactured dwelling or floating home shall be as provided under ORS 90.675.

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"SECTION 39. ORS 90.632 is amended to read:

"90.632. (1) A landlord may terminate a month-to-month or fixed term rental agreement and require the tenant to remove a manufactured dwelling or floating home from a facility, due to the physical condition of the manufactured dwelling or floating home, only by complying with this section and ORS 105.105 to 105.168. A termination shall include removal of the dwelling or home.

"(2) A landlord shall not require removal of a manufactured dwelling or floating home, or consider a dwelling or home to be in disrepair or deteriorated, because of the age, size, style or original construction material of the dwelling or home or because the dwelling or home was built prior to adoption of the National Manufactured Home Construction and Safety Standards Act of 1974 (42 U.S.C. 5403), in compliance with the standards of that Act in effect at that time or in compliance with the state building code as defined in ORS 455.010.

"(3) Except as provided in subsection (5) of this section, if the tenant's dwelling or home is in disrepair or is deteriorated, a landlord may terminate a rental agreement and require the removal of a dwelling or home by giving to the tenant not less than 30 days' written notice before the date designated in the notice for termination.

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"(4) The notice required by subsection (3) of this section shall:

"(a) State facts sufficient to notify the tenant of the causes or reasons for termination of the
 tenancy and removal of the dwelling or home;

36 "(b) State that the tenant can avoid termination and removal by correcting the cause for ter-37 mination and removal within the notice period;

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"(c) Describe what is required to correct the cause for termination;

"(d) Describe the tenant's right to give the landlord a written notice of correction, where to give
the notice and the deadline for giving the notice in order to ensure a response by the landlord, all
as provided by subsection (6) of this section; and

42 "(e) Describe the tenant's right to have the termination and correction period extended as pro43 vided by subsection (7) of this section.

44 "(5) The tenant may avoid termination of the tenancy by correcting the cause within the period 45 specified. However, if substantially the same condition that constituted a prior cause for termination of which notice was given recurs within 12 months after the date of the notice, the landlord may
 terminate the tenancy and require the removal of the dwelling or home upon at least 30 days'
 written notice specifying the violation and the date of termination of the tenancy.

4 "(6) During the termination notice or extension period, the tenant may give the landlord written 5 notice that the tenant has corrected the cause for termination. Within a reasonable time after the 6 tenant's notice of correction, the landlord shall respond to the tenant in writing, stating whether the 7 landlord agrees that the cause has been corrected. If the tenant's notice of correction is given at 8 least 14 days prior to the end of the termination notice or extension period, failure by the landlord 9 to respond as required by this subsection shall be a defense to a termination based upon the land-10 lord's notice for termination.

"(7) Except when the disrepair or deterioration creates a risk of imminent and serious harm to other dwellings, homes or persons within the facility, the 30-day period provided for the tenant to correct the cause for termination and removal shall be extended by at least:

14 **"(a) An additional** 60 [*additional*] days if:

15 "[(a)] (A) The necessary correction involves exterior painting, roof repair, concrete pouring or 16 similar work and the weather prevents that work during a substantial portion of the 30-day period; 17 or

(b) (B) The nature or extent of the correction work is such that it cannot reasonably be completed within 30 days because of factors such as the amount of work necessary, the type and complexity of the work and the availability of necessary repair persons; or

"(b) An additional six months if the disrepair or deterioration has existed for more than
the preceding 12 months with the landlord's knowledge or acceptance as described in ORS
90.415 (1).

"(8) In order to have the period for correction extended as provided in subsection (7) of this section, a tenant must give the landlord written notice describing the necessity for an extension in order to complete the correction work. The notice must be given a reasonable amount of time prior to the end of the notice for termination period.

28 "(9) A tenancy shall terminate on the date designated in the notice and without regard to the 29 expiration of the period for which, by the terms of the rental agreement, rents are to be paid. Un-30 less otherwise agreed, rent is uniformly apportionable from day to day.

31 "(10) This section does not limit a landlord's right to terminate a tenancy for nonpayment of 32 rent pursuant to ORS 90.400 (2) or for other cause pursuant to ORS 90.380 (3)(b), 90.400 (3) or (9) 33 or 90.630 by complying with ORS 105.105 to 105.168.

"(11) A landlord may give a copy of the notice for termination required by this section to any lienholder of the dwelling or home, by first class mail with certificate of mailing or by any other method allowed by ORS 90.150 (2) and (3). A landlord is not liable to a tenant for any damages incurred by the tenant as a result of the landlord giving a copy of the notice in good faith to a lienholder.

<sup>39</sup> "(12) When a tenant has been given a notice for termination pursuant to this section and has <sup>40</sup> subsequently abandoned the dwelling or home as described in ORS 90.675 (2), any lienholder shall <sup>41</sup> have the same rights as provided by ORS 90.675, including the right to correct the cause of the <sup>42</sup> notice, within the 90-day period provided by ORS 90.675 (18) [and (19)] notwithstanding the expira-<sup>43</sup> tion of the notice period provided by this section for the tenant to correct the cause.

44 "SECTION 40. ORS 90.675 is amended to read:

45 "90.675. (1) As used in this section:

1 "(a) 'Current market value' means the amount in cash, as determined by the county assessor, 2 that could reasonably be expected to be paid for personal property by an informed buyer to an in-3 formed seller, each acting without compulsion in an arms-length transaction occurring on the as-4 sessment date for the tax year or on the date of a subsequent reappraisal by the county assessor.

5 "(b) 'Dispose of the personal property' means that, if reasonably appropriate, the landlord may 6 throw away the property or may give it without consideration to a nonprofit organization or to a 7 person unrelated to the landlord. The landlord may not retain the property for personal use or 8 benefit.

9 "(c) 'Lienholder' means any lienholder of abandoned personal property, if the lien is of record
10 or the lienholder is actually known to the landlord.

"(d) 'Of record' means:

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"(A) For a manufactured dwelling, that a security interest has been properly recorded
with the Department of Transportation pursuant to ORS 802.200 (1)(a)(A) and 803.097 for a
dwelling registered and titled by the department pursuant to ORS 820.500.

"(B) For a floating home, that a security interest has been properly recorded with the
 State Marine Board pursuant to ORS 830.740 to 830.755 for a home registered and titled with
 the board pursuant to ORS 830.715.

"[(d)] (e) 'Personal property' means only a manufactured dwelling or floating home located in a facility and subject to ORS 90.505 to 90.840. 'Personal property' does not include goods left inside a manufactured dwelling or floating home or left upon a rented space and subject to disposition under ORS 90.425.

"(2) A landlord [*shall*] may not store, sell or dispose of abandoned personal property except as
provided by this section. This section governs the rights and obligations of landlords, tenants and
any lienholders in any personal property abandoned or left upon the premises by the tenant or any
lienholder in the following circumstances:

"(a) The tenancy has ended by termination or expiration of a rental agreement or by relinquishment or abandonment of the premises and the landlord reasonably believes under all the circumstances that the tenant has left the personal property upon the premises with no intention of asserting any further claim to the premises or to the personal property;

"(b) The tenant has been absent from the premises continuously for seven days after termination
 of a tenancy by a court order that has not been executed; or

<sup>32</sup> "(c) The landlord elects to remove the personal property pursuant to ORS 105.165.

"(3) Prior to selling or disposing of the tenant's personal property under this section, the landlord must give a written notice to the tenant [*which*] that shall be:

35 "(a) Personally delivered to the tenant; or

<sup>36</sup> "(b) Sent by first class mail addressed and mailed to the tenant at:

37 "(A) The premises;

<sup>38</sup> "(B) Any post-office box held by the tenant and actually known to the landlord; and

"(C) The most recent forwarding address if provided by the tenant or actually known to thelandlord.

41 "(4)(a) A landlord shall also give a copy of the notice described in subsection (3) of this section
42 to:

43 "(A) Any lienholder of the personal property;

44 "(B) The tax collector of the county where the personal property is located; and

45 "(C) The assessor of the county where the personal property is located.

"(b) The landlord shall give the notice copy required by this subsection by personal delivery or
 first class mail, except that for any lienholder, mail service shall be **both** by first class mail [*with certificate of mailing*] and by certified mail with return receipt requested.

4 "(c) A notice to lienholders under paragraph (a)(A) of this subsection must be sent to
 5 each lienholder at each address:

6 "(A) Actually known to the landlord;

7 **"(B) Of record; and** 

8 "(C) Provided to the landlord by the lienholder in a written notice that identifies the 9 personal property subject to the lien and that was sent to the landlord by certified mail with 10 return receipt requested within the preceding five years. The notice must identify the per-11 sonal property by describing the physical address of the property.

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"(5) The notice required under subsection (3) of this section shall state that:

13 "(a) The personal property left upon the premises is considered abandoned;

"(b) The tenant or any lienholder must contact the landlord by a specified date, as provided in subsection (6) of this section, to arrange for the removal of the abandoned personal property;

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"(c) The personal property is stored on the rented space;

"(d) The tenant or any lienholder, except as provided by subsection (17) of this section, may arrange for removal of the personal property by contacting the landlord at a described telephone number or address on or before the specified date;

"(e) The landlord shall make the personal property available for removal by the tenant or any
 lienholder, except as provided by subsection (17) of this section, by appointment at reasonable times;

"(f) If the personal property is considered to be abandoned pursuant to subsection (2)(a) or (b)
of this section, the landlord may require payment of storage charges, as provided by subsection (7)(b)
of this section, prior to releasing the personal property to the tenant or any lienholder;

"(g) If the personal property is considered to be abandoned pursuant to subsection (2)(c) of this section, the landlord [*shall*] **may** not require payment of storage charges prior to releasing the personal property;

"(h) If the tenant or any lienholder fails to contact the landlord by the specified date or fails to remove the personal property within 30 days after that contact, the landlord may sell or dispose of the personal property. If the landlord reasonably believes the county assessor will determine that the current market value of the personal property is \$3,500 or less, and the landlord intends to dispose of the property if it is not claimed, the notice shall state that belief and intent; and

"(i) If applicable, there is a lienholder that has a right to claim the personal property, except
as provided by subsection (17) of this section.

35 "(6) For purposes of subsection (5) of this section, the specified date by which a tenant or 36 lienholder must contact a landlord to arrange for the disposition of abandoned personal property 37 shall be not less than 45 days after personal delivery or [*first class*] mailing of the notice.

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"(7) After notifying the tenant as required by subsection (3) of this section, the landlord:

"(a) Shall store the abandoned personal property of the tenant on the rented space and shallexercise reasonable care for the personal property; and

"(b) [*Shall be*] Is entitled to reasonable or actual storage charges and costs incidental to storage
or disposal. The storage charge shall be no greater than the monthly space rent last payable by the
tenant.

44 "(8) If a tenant or lienholder, upon the receipt of the notice provided by subsection (3) or (4) 45 of this section or otherwise, responds by actual notice to the landlord on or before the specified date

1 in the landlord's notice that the tenant or lienholder intends to remove the personal property from 2 the premises, the landlord must make that personal property available for removal by the tenant or 3 lienholder by appointment at reasonable times during the next 30 days, subject to subsection (17) of this section. If the personal property is considered to be abandoned pursuant to subsection (2)(a) 4 5 or (b) of this section, but not pursuant to subsection (2)(c) of this section, the landlord may require 6 payment of storage charges, as provided in subsection (7)(b) of this section, prior to allowing the 7 tenant or lienholder to remove the personal property. Acceptance by a landlord of such payment 8 [shall] does not operate to create or reinstate a tenancy or create a waiver pursuant to ORS 90.415. 9 "(9) Except as provided in subsections (17) to (19) of this section, if the tenant or lienholder does 10 not respond within the time provided by the landlord's notice, or the tenant or lienholder does not 11 remove the personal property within 30 days after responding to the landlord or by any date agreed 12 to with the landlord, whichever is later, the personal property [shall be] is conclusively presumed 13 to be abandoned. The tenant and any lienholder that have been given notice pursuant to subsection

(3) or (4) of this section shall, except with regard to the distribution of sale proceeds pursuant to
subsection (12) of this section, have no further right, title or interest to the personal property and
may not claim or sell the property.

"(10) If the personal property is presumed to be abandoned under subsection (9) of this section,the landlord then may:

<sup>19</sup> "(a) Sell the personal property at a public or private sale, provided that prior to the sale:

"(A) The landlord may seek to transfer the certificate of title and registration to the personal
 property by complying with the requirements of the appropriate state agency; and

22 "(B) The landlord shall:

"(i) Place a notice in a newspaper of general circulation in the county in which the personal
 property is located. The notice shall state:

25 "(I) That the personal property is abandoned;

26 "(II) The tenant's name;

"(III) The address and any space number where the personal property is located, and if actually
known to the landlord, the plate, registration or other identification number as noted on the title;

29 "(IV) Whether the sale is by private bidding or public auction;

"(V) Whether the landlord is accepting sealed bids and, if so, the last date on which bids will
 be accepted; and

"(VI) The name and telephone number of the person to contact to inspect the personal property; "(ii) At a reasonable time prior to the sale, give a copy of the notice required by subsubparagraph (i) of this subparagraph to the tenant and to any lienholder, by personal delivery or first class mail, except that for any lienholder, mail service shall be by first class mail with certificate of mailing;

"(iii) Obtain an affidavit of publication from the newspaper to show that the notice required under sub-subparagraph (i) of this subparagraph ran in the newspaper at least one day in each of two consecutive weeks prior to the date scheduled for the sale or the last date bids will be accepted; and

"(iv) Obtain written proof from the county that all property taxes on the personal property have
been paid or, if not paid, that the county has authorized the sale, with the sale proceeds to be distributed pursuant to subsection (12) of this section; or

44 "(b) Destroy or otherwise dispose of the personal property if the landlord determines from the 45 county assessor that the current market value of the property is \$3,500 or less. 1 "(11)(a) A public or private sale authorized by this section shall be conducted consistent with 2 the terms listed in subsection (10)(a)(B)(i) of this section. Every aspect of the sale including the 3 method, manner, time, place and terms must be commercially reasonable.

"(b) If there is no buyer at a sale described under paragraph (a) of this subsection, the personal
property [*shall be*] is considered to be worth \$3,500 or less, regardless of current market value, and
the landlord may destroy or otherwise dispose of the personal property.

7 "(12)(a) The landlord may deduct from the proceeds of the sale:

8 "(A) The reasonable or actual cost of notice, storage and sale; and

9 "(B) Unpaid rent.

"(b) After deducting the amounts listed in paragraph (a) of this subsection, the landlord shall remit the remaining proceeds, if any, to the county tax collector to the extent of any unpaid property taxes owed on the dwelling or home.

"(c) After deducting the amounts listed in paragraphs (a) and (b) of this subsection, if applicable,
the landlord shall remit the remaining proceeds, if any, to any lienholder to the extent of any unpaid
balance owed on the lien on the personal property.

"(d) After deducting the amounts listed in paragraphs (a), (b) and (c) of this subsection, if applicable, the landlord shall remit to the tenant the remaining proceeds, if any, together with an itemized accounting.

"(e) If the tenant cannot after due diligence be found, the remaining proceeds shall be deposited
with the county treasurer of the county in which the sale occurred, and if not claimed within three
years shall revert to the general fund of the county available for general purposes.

"(13) The county tax collector shall cancel all unpaid property taxes as provided under ORS
 311.790 if:

"(a) The landlord disposes of the personal property after a determination described in subsection
 (10)(b) of this section;

26 "(b) There is no buyer of the personal property at a sale described under subsection (11) of this 27 section; or

"(c) The proceeds of a sale described under subsection (11) of this section are insufficient to satisfy the unpaid property taxes owed on the dwelling or home after distribution of the proceeds pursuant to subsection (12) of this section.

31 "(14) The landlord [*shall not be*] **is not** responsible for any loss to the tenant or lienholder re-32 sulting from storage of personal property in compliance with this section unless the loss was caused 33 by the landlord's deliberate or negligent act. In the event of a deliberate and malicious violation, 34 the landlord [*shall be*] **is** liable for twice the actual damages sustained by the tenant or lienholder.

"(15) Complete compliance in good faith with this section shall constitute a complete defense in
 any action brought by a tenant or lienholder against a landlord for loss or damage to such personal
 property disposed of pursuant to this section.

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"(16) If a landlord does not comply with this section:

"(a) The tenant [*shall be*] is relieved of any liability for damage to the premises caused by conduct that was not deliberate, intentional or grossly negligent and for unpaid rent and may recover
from the landlord up to twice the actual damages sustained by the tenant;

42 "(b) A lienholder aggrieved by the noncompliance may recover from the landlord the actual
43 damages sustained by the lienholder. ORS 90.255 does not authorize an award of attorney fees to
44 the prevailing party in any action arising under this paragraph; and

45 "(c) A county tax collector aggrieved by the noncompliance may recover from the landlord the

actual damages sustained by the tax collector, if the noncompliance is part of an effort by the
 landlord to defraud the tax collector. ORS 90.255 does not authorize an award of attorney fees to
 the prevailing party in any action arising under this paragraph.

4 "(17) The provisions of this section regarding the rights and responsibilities of a tenant to the
5 abandoned personal property shall also apply to any lienholder, except that the lienholder [*shall*]
6 **may** not sell or remove the dwelling or home unless:

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"(a) The lienholder has foreclosed its lien on the manufactured dwelling or floating home;

8 "(b) The tenant or a personal representative or designated person described in subsection
9 (19) of this section has waived [the tenant's] all rights under this section pursuant to subsection
10 [(23)] (21) of this section; or

11 "(c) The notice and response periods provided by subsections (6) and (8) of this section have 12 expired.

13 "(18)(a) Except as provided by subsection [(21)(d)] (19)(d) and (e) of this section, if a lienholder 14 makes a timely response to a notice of abandoned personal property pursuant to subsections (6) and (8) of this section and so requests, a landlord shall enter into a written storage agreement 15 16 with the lienholder providing that the personal property [shall] may not be sold or disposed of by 17 the landlord for up to 12 months[, so long as the lienholder makes timely periodic payment of all future 18 storage charges as provided by subsection (7)(b) of this section and maintains the property and the 19 rented space on which it is stored. A storage agreement entitles the lienholder to store the 20 personal property on the previously rented space during the term of the agreement, but does 21 not entitle anyone to occupy the personal property.

"(b) The lienholder's right to [*such an*] **a storage** agreement [*shall arise*] **arises** upon the failure of the tenant or, in the case of a deceased tenant, the personal representative, designated person, heir or devisee to remove or sell the dwelling or home within the allotted time.

25 (c) To exercise the right to a storage agreement under this subsection, in addition to 26 contacting the landlord with a timely response as described in paragraph (a) of this sub-27 section, the lienholder must enter into the proposed storage agreement within 60 days after 28 the landlord gives a copy of the agreement to the lienholder. The landlord shall give a copy 29 of the proposed storage agreement to the lienholder in the same manner as provided by 30 subsection (4)(b) of this section. The landlord may include a copy of the proposed storage 31 agreement with the notice of abandoned property required by subsection (4) of this section. 32 A lienholder enters into a storage agreement by signing a copy of the agreement provided 33 by the landlord and personally delivering or mailing the signed copy to the landlord within 34 the 60-day period.

"(d) The storage agreement may require, in addition to other provisions agreed to by the
 landlord and the lienholder, that:

"(A) The lienholder make timely periodic payment of all storage charges, as described in subsection (7)(b) of this section, accruing from the commencement of the 45-day period described in subsection (6) of this section. A storage charge may include a utility or service charge, as described in ORS 90.510 (8), if limited to charges for electricity, water, sewer service and natural gas and if incidental to the storage of personal property. A storage charge may not be due more frequently than monthly;

43 "(B) The lienholder pay a late charge or fee for failure to pay a storage charge by the
44 date required in the agreement, if the amount of the late charge is no greater than for late
45 charges imposed on facility tenants;

"(C) The lienholder maintain the personal property and the space on which the personal property is stored in a manner consistent with the rights and obligations described in the rental agreement that the landlord currently provides to tenants as required by ORS 90.510 (4); and

5 (D) The lienholder repair any defects in the physical condition of the personal property 6 that existed prior to the lienholder entering into the storage agreement, if the defects and 7 necessary repairs are reasonably described in the storage agreement and, for homes that 8 were first placed on the space within the previous 24 months, the repairs are reasonably 9 consistent with facility standards in effect at the time of placement. The lienholder shall 10 have 90 days after entering into the storage agreement to make the repairs. Failure to make 11 the repairs within the allotted time constitutes a violation of the storage agreement and the 12 landlord may terminate the agreement by giving at least 14 days' written notice to the 13 lienholder stating facts sufficient to notify the lienholder of the reason for termination. Un-14 less the lienholder corrects the violation within the notice period, the agreement terminates as provided and the landlord may sell or dispose of the property without further notice to 15 16 the lienholder.

"(e) Notwithstanding subsection (7)(b) of this section, a landlord may increase the storage charge if the increase is part of a facility-wide rent increase for all facility tenants, the increase is no greater than the increase for other tenants and the landlord gives the lienholder written notice consistent with the requirements of ORS 90.600 (1).

"[(19)] (f) During the term of an agreement described under this subsection [(18) of this section], the lienholder shall have the right to remove or sell the property, subject to the provisions of its lien. Selling the property includes a sale to a purchaser who wishes to leave the property on the rented space and become a tenant, subject to the provisions of ORS 90.680. The landlord may condition approval for occupancy of any purchaser of the property upon payment of all **unpaid** storage charges and maintenance costs.

"(g)(A) Except as provided in paragraph (d)(D) of this subsection, if the lienholder violates the storage agreement, the landlord may terminate [*it upon*] the agreement by giving at least 90 days' written notice to the lienholder stating facts sufficient to notify the lienholder of the reason for the termination. Unless the lienholder corrects the violation within the notice period, the agreement [*shall terminate*] terminates as provided and the landlord may sell or dispose of the property without further notice to the lienholder.

33 (B) After a landlord gives a termination notice pursuant to subparagraph (A) of this paragraph for failure of the lienholder to pay a storage charge and the lienholder corrects 34 35 the violation, if the lienholder again violates the storage agreement by failing to pay a sub-36 sequent storage charge, the landlord may terminate the agreement by giving at least 30 days' 37 written notice to the lienholder stating facts sufficient to notify the lienholder of the reason 38 for termination. Unless the lienholder corrects the violation within the notice period, the 39 agreement terminates as provided and the landlord may sell or dispose of the property 40 without further notice to the lienholder.

41 "(C) A lienholder may terminate a storage agreement at any time upon at least 14 days'
42 written notice to the landlord and may remove the property from the facility if the lienholder
43 has paid all storage charges and other charges as provided in the agreement.

44 "[(20)] (h) Upon the failure of a lienholder to enter into a storage agreement as provided
45 by this subsection or upon termination of an agreement [described under subsection (18) of this

1 section], unless the parties otherwise agree or the lienholder has sold or removed the property, the

landlord may sell or dispose of the property pursuant to this section without further notice to the
lienholder.

4 "[(21)] (19) If the personal property is considered abandoned as a result of the death of a tenant
5 who was the only tenant, [the provisions of subsections (1) to (20) of] this section [shall apply]
6 applies, except as follows:

7 "(a) The provisions of this section regarding the rights and responsibilities of a tenant to the abandoned personal property shall apply to any personal representative named in a will or appointed by a court to act for the deceased tenant or any person designated in writing by the tenant to be contacted by the landlord in the event of the tenant's death.

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"(b) The notice required by subsection (3) of this section shall be:

12 "(A) Sent by first class mail to the deceased tenant at the premises; and

"(B) Personally delivered or sent by first class mail to any personal representative or designated
 person if actually known to the landlord.

"(c) The notice described in subsection (5) of this section shall refer to any personal representative or designated person, instead of the deceased tenant, and shall incorporate the provisions of this subsection.

18 "(d) If a personal representative, designated person or other person entitled to possession of the 19 property, such as an heir or devisee, responds by actual notice to a landlord within the 45-day period 20 provided by subsection (6) of this section and so requests, the landlord shall enter into a written 21 storage agreement with the representative or person providing that the personal property [shall] 22 may not be sold or disposed of by the landlord for up to 90 days or until conclusion of any probate 23 proceedings, whichever is later[, so long as the representative or person makes timely periodic payment 24 of all future storage charges as provided by subsection (7)(b) of this section and maintains the property 25 and the rented space on which it is stored]. A storage agreement entitles the representative or 26 person to store the personal property on the previously rented space during the term of the 27 agreement, but does not entitle anyone to occupy the personal property. If such an agreement 28 is entered, the landlord [shall] may not enter a similar agreement with a lienholder pursuant to 29 subsection (18) of this section until the agreement with the personal representative or designated 30 person ends.

(e) If a personal representative or other person requests that a landlord enter into a storage agreement, subsections (18)(c) to (e) and (g)(C) of this section apply, with the representative or person having the rights and responsibilities of a lienholder with regard to the storage agreement.

<sup>35</sup> "[*(e)*] **(f)** During the term of an agreement described under paragraph (d) of this subsection, the <sup>36</sup> representative or person shall have the right to remove or sell the property, including a sale to a <sup>37</sup> purchaser or a transfer to an heir or devisee where the purchaser, heir or devisee wishes to leave <sup>38</sup> the property on the rented space and become a tenant, subject to the provisions of ORS 90.680. The <sup>39</sup> landlord also may condition approval for occupancy of any purchaser, heir or devisee of the property <sup>40</sup> upon payment of all **unpaid** storage charges and maintenance costs.

"(g) If the representative or person violates the storage agreement, the landlord may terminate [*it upon*] the agreement by giving at least 30 days' written notice to the representative or person stating facts sufficient to notify the representative or person of the reason for the termination. Unless the representative or person corrects the violation within the notice period, the agreement [*shall terminate*] terminates as provided and the landlord may sell or dispose of the property with1 out further notice to the representative or person.

2 "[(22)] (h) Upon the failure of a representative or person to enter into a storage agree-3 ment as provided by this subsection or upon termination of an agreement [described under subsection (21)(d) of this section, unless the parties otherwise agree or the representative or person has 4 5 sold or removed the property, the landlord may sell or dispose of the property pursuant to this 6 section without further notice to the representative or person.

7 (20) If a governmental agency determines that the condition of personal property aban-8 doned under this section constitutes an extreme health or safety hazard under state or local 9 law and the agency determines that the hazard endangers others in the facility and requires 10 quick removal of the property, the landlord may sell or dispose of the property pursuant to 11 this subsection. The landlord shall comply with all provisions of this section, except as fol-12 lows:

13 (a) The date provided in subsection (6) of this section by which a tenant, lienholder, 14 personal representative or designated person must contact a landlord to arrange for the disposition of the property shall be not less than 15 days after personal delivery or mailing 15 16 of the notice required by subsection (3) of this section.

17 (b) The date provided in subsections (8) and (9) of this section by which a tenant, 18 lienholder, personal representative or designated person must remove the property shall be 19 not less than seven days after the tenant, lienholder, personal representative or designated 20 person contacts the landlord.

21 (c) The notice required by subsection (3) of this section shall be as provided in sub-22 section (5) of this section, except that:

23 "(A) The dates and deadlines in the notice for contacting the landlord and removing the 24 property shall be consistent with this subsection;

25 "(B) The notice shall state that a governmental agency has determined that the property 26 constitutes an extreme health or safety hazard and must be removed quickly; and

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"(C) The landlord shall attach a copy of the agency's determination to the notice.

28 (d) If the tenant, a lienholder or a personal representative or designated person does 29 not remove the property within the time allowed, the landlord or a buyer at a sale by the 30 landlord under subsection (11) of this section shall promptly remove the property from the 31 facility.

32 (e) A landlord is not required to enter into a storage agreement with a lienholder, per-33 sonal representative or designated person pursuant to subsection (18) of this section.

34 "[(23)] (21)(a) [Except for personal property that is subject to subsection (21) of this section,] A 35 landlord may sell or dispose of a tenant's abandoned personal property without complying with the 36 provisions of this section if, after termination of the tenancy or no more than seven days prior to 37 the termination of the tenancy, the [landlord and the tenant and any lienholder] following parties 38 so agree in a writing entered into in good faith[.]:

39 "(A) The landlord;

40 "(B) The tenant, or for an abandonment as the result of the death of a tenant who was 41 the only tenant, the personal representative, designated person or other person entitled to 42 possession of the personal property, such as an heir or devisee, as described in subsection 43 (19) of this section; and

44 "(C) Any lienholder.

**(b)** A landlord [shall] **may** not, as part of a rental agreement, as a condition to approving a

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1 sale of property on rented space under ORS 90.680 or in any other manner, require a tenant, a

2 **personal representative, a designated person** or any lienholder to waive any right provided by

3 this section.

4 "[*(24)*] **(22)** Until personal property is conclusively presumed to be abandoned under subsection 5 (9) of this section, a landlord [*shall*] **does** not have a lien pursuant to ORS 87.152 for storing the 6 personal property.".

7 In line 5, delete "28" and insert "41".

8 In line 6, after "91.120." delete the rest of the line and insert "An employee described in ORS
9 90.110 (7) may only be evicted".

10 In line 7, delete "may only evict the employee".

11 In line 11, delete "29" and insert "42".

12 In line 28, delete "30" and insert "43".

13 On page 23, line 43, delete "31" and insert "44".

14 On page 25, after line 25, insert:

15 "SECTION 45. ORS 90.635 is amended to read:

"90.635. (1) If a facility is closed or a portion of a facility is closed, resulting in the termination of the rental agreement between the landlord of the facility and a tenant renting space for a manufactured dwelling, whether because of the exercise of eminent domain, by order of the state or local agencies, or as provided under ORS 90.630 [(6)] (5), the landlord shall provide notice to the tenant of the tax credit provided under ORS 316.153. The notice shall state the eligibility requirements for the credit, information on how to apply for the credit and any other information required by the Manufactured Dwelling Park Ombudsman by rule.

"(2) The notice described under subsection (1) of this section shall be sent to a tenant affected
by a facility closure on or before:

25 "(a) The date notice of rental termination must be given to the tenant under ORS 90.630 [(6)]
26 (5), if applicable; or

"(b) In the event of facility closure by exercise of eminent domain or by order of a state or local
agency, within 15 days of the date the landlord received notice of the closure.

"(3) The landlord shall forward to the Manufactured Dwelling Park Ombudsman a list of the names and addresses of tenants to whom notice under this section has been sent.

31 "(4) The Manufactured Dwelling Park Ombudsman may adopt rules to implement this section, 32 including rules specifying the form and content of the notice described under this section.".

33 In line 26, delete "32" and insert "46".

34 On page 28, line 11, delete "33" and insert "47".

35 In line 37, delete "34" and insert "48".

36 In line 42, after "sheriff" insert "or process server" and after "and" insert "the sheriff".

37 On page 29, delete lines 16 through 45 and delete pages 30 and 31.

38 On page 32, delete lines 1 through 30 and insert:

39 "SECTION 49. ORS 90.775 is amended to read:

40 "90.775. The Housing and Community Services Department may adopt rules necessary to carry
41 out the provisions of [*ORS 90.770*] section 26 of this 2001 Act.

42 "SECTION 49a. ORS 105.138 is amended to read:

43 "105.138. (1) Notwithstanding ORS 105.137 (5), if a party to an action to which ORS 90.505 to
44 90.840 apply moves for an order compelling arbitration and abating the proceedings, the court shall
45 summarily determine whether the controversy between the parties is subject to an arbitration

agreement enforceable under section ORS 90.610 [(1)] (2) and, if so, shall issue an order compelling the parties to submit to arbitration in accordance with the agreement and abating the action for not more than 30 days, unless the parties agree to an order of abatement for a longer period acceptable to the court.

5 "(2) If the court issues an order compelling arbitration under subsection (1) of this section, the 6 court [*shall*] **may** not order the payment of rent into court pending the arbitration unless the court 7 finds such an order is necessary to protect the rights of the parties.

8 **"SECTION 50.** ORS 316.153 is amended to read:

9 "316.153. (1) As used in this section:

"(a) 'Involuntary move' means a move forced on an owner due to the termination of the owner's
rental agreement for a facility space resulting from the closure of the facility, or portion of the facility, as defined in ORS 90.100.

13 "(b) 'Mobile home' has the meaning given 'manufactured dwelling' in ORS 446.003, and includes 14 only a mobile home with a fair market value of \$50,000 or less on the date that the mobile home is 15 involuntarily moved.

16 "(c) 'Qualified individual' means an individual who:

"(A) Owns and occupies as a principal residence, on the date of the involuntary move, a mobilehome involuntarily moved; and

"(B) Has a federal adjusted gross income, as described under ORS 316.013, of \$30,000 or less for the tax year in which the mobile home is involuntarily moved.

21 "(2) A qualified individual is allowed a credit against the taxes otherwise due under this chap-22 ter. The amount of the credit is the lesser of:

23 "(a) \$1,500; or

"(b) The actual cost of moving and setting up the mobile home after subtracting any payments
or reimbursements received by the qualified individual under ORS 90.630 [*(6) and (7)*] (5) and (6).

26 "(3)(a) One-third of the total amount of credit allowed under this section must be claimed by the 27 qualified individual for the tax year in which the mobile home is involuntarily moved and one-third 28 of the credit in each of the two tax years immediately following.

29 (b) Any credit which is not used by the taxpayer in a particular year may be carried forward 30 and offset against the taxpayer's tax liability for the next succeeding tax year. Any credit remaining 31 unused in the next succeeding tax year may be carried forward and used in the second succeeding 32 tax year, and likewise any credit not used in that second succeeding tax year may be carried for-33 ward and used in the third succeeding tax year, and any credit not used in that third succeeding 34 tax year may be carried forward and used in the fourth succeeding tax year, and any credit not used 35 in that fourth succeeding tax year may be carried forward and used in the fifth succeeding tax year, 36 but may not be carried forward for any tax year thereafter.

"(c) The credit allowed to a qualified individual is available for only one involuntary move ofa mobile home.

"(d) If the taxpayer is married at the close of the tax year, the credit shall be allowed to only one taxpayer if the spouses file separate returns for the tax year. Marital status shall be determined as provided under section 21 (e)(3) and (4) of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended and in effect on December 31, 1998.

43 "SECTION 51. (1) Except as provided in subsection (2) of this section, sections 23 and 24
44 of this 2001 Act and the amendments to ORS 90.600, 90.620 and 90.630 by sections 36, 37 and
45 38 of this 2001 Act apply to month-to-month and fixed term manufactured dwelling and

1 floating home tenancies entered into before, on or after the effective date of this 2001 Act.

"(2) Rental agreements that are fixed term tenancies entered into before the effective date of this 2001 Act are not made invalid by the duration of the rental agreement being less than two years. Upon renewal or extension as provided in section 24 of this 2001 Act, the rental agreement must comply with the requirement for a minimum two-year term as provided in section 23 of this 2001 Act.

<sup>7</sup> "SECTION 52. (1) The amendments to ORS 90.510 (5) and 90.530 by sections 35a and 35b
<sup>8</sup> of this 2001 Act apply to rental agreements entered into before, on or after the effective date
<sup>9</sup> of this 2001 Act.

"(2) The amendments to ORS 90.530 by section 35b of this 2001 Act do not affect the right
of a landlord to keep or continue to hold any one-time, monthly or other periodic amounts
charged for a tenant's possession of a pet pursuant to a rental agreement entered into before
November 1, 1997, and collected before the effective date of this 2001 Act.

"SECTION 53. The amendments to ORS 90.610 by section 36a of this 2001 Act apply to any
 proposed rule or regulation change for which the landlord gives notice on or after the ef fective date of this 2001 Act.

<sup>17</sup> "<u>SECTION 54.</u> A landlord may, as provided in ORS 90.510 (4)(c), unilaterally amend a
<sup>18</sup> rental agreement existing on the effective date of this 2001 Act to incorporate the amend<sup>19</sup> ments to ORS 90.510 and 90.610 by sections 35a and 36a of this 2001 Act.

"<u>SECTION 55.</u> Section 54 of this 2001 Act is repealed January 2, 2006. The repeal of section 54 of this 2001 Act by this section does not affect the validity of any unilateral amend ment of a rental agreement made pursuant to section 54 of this 2001 Act.

23 "<u>SECTION 56.</u> Notwithstanding sections 5, 6, 15 and 16 of this 2001 Act, prior to January
 24 1, 2004, a clerk of the court may:

"(1) Make available either the forms set forth in sections 5 and 6 of this 2001 Act or the
 form set forth in ORS 105.125 (1999 Edition) for plaintiff use in bringing an eviction com plaint.

"(2) Use either the forms set forth in sections 15 and 16 of this 2001 Act or the form set
 forth in ORS 105.154 (2) (1999 Edition) for issuing a notice of restitution.

30 "<u>SECTION 57.</u> Section 28, chapter 104, Oregon Laws 2001 (Enrolled House Bill 2609)
 31 (amending ORS 90.632), is repealed.".

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