

REVENUE IMPACT OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION

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Bill Number:	HB 2320-A
Revenue Area:	Other Funds
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Measure Description:

Authorizes the State Court Administrator to enter into intergovernmental agreements with the United States Financial Management Service and the Internal Revenue Service, for the purpose of offsetting federal tax refunds of debtors against debtors' liquidated and delinquent accounts owing to state courts or any other part of the state judicial branch. Requires the Oregon Lottery Commission to notify the State Court Administrator when a winner, whose prize exceeds \$600, is delinquent in paying liquidated accounts owed to states courts or any other part of the state judicial branch. Prioritizes delinquent child support obligations over the payment of the delinquent judicial accounts.

Revenue Impact:

	2007-08	2008-09	2007-09 Biennium	2009-11 Biennium
State Other Funds	\$175,000	\$175,000	\$350,000	\$350,000

Impact Explanation:

The revenue impact includes only the expected revenue from Lottery winnings. Currently, there is no federal statute that would allow the redirection of federal income tax refunds to Oregon's Judicial Department. However, federal legislation has been introduced that would accomplish this. If the federal legislation becomes law, then the revenue impact could be as much as \$58 million per biennium.

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