74th OREGON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY - 2007 Regular Session MEASURE: HB 2630 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY CARRIER: Sen. Kruse

Senate Committee on Education & General Government

REVENUE: No revenue impact

FISCAL: Minimal fiscal impact, no statement issued

Action: Do Pass **Vote:** 4 - 0 - 1

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Exc.: Westlund

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Meeting Dates: 4/12

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Permits a state employee or state officer to authorize deduction from salary or wages for the Oregon Veterans' Home Account.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

Provisions of the measure

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: No amendment.

BACKGROUND: The Oregon Veterans' Home provides intermediate and skilled nursing, and Alzheimer's disease care to some of Oregon's vulnerable veteran population. Care is provided in a 75,000 square foot, single-story facility through a contract with a private care provider. The Home has a maximum capacity of 151 patients. House Bill 2630 would allow state employees to voluntarily donate funds from their salary to the Oregon Veterans' Home.