

**REVENUE:** No revenue impact

**FISCAL:** May have fiscal impact, statement not yet issued

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**Action:** Do Pass and Be Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means by prior reference

**Vote:** 8 - 0 - 1

**Yeas:** Barker, Bonamici, Cameron, Flores, Komp, Read, Whisnant, Macpherson

**Nays:** 0

**Exc.:** Krieger

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**Meeting Dates:** 4/18

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**WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:** Appropriates a yet to be determined sum of money out of the General Fund to the Oregon Department of Justice for the biennium beginning July 1, 2007, to be distributed to the Oregon District Attorneys Association for the purpose of paying the salary of an executive director for the association.

**ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

- Who would employ the executive director
- Costs of employing the executive director

**EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT:** No amendment.

**BACKGROUND:** Oregon's district attorneys maintain an association, the Oregon District Attorneys Association. Although district attorneys receive funding from the state, the state does not contribute any funds to run their association.