

REVENUE: No revenue impact

FISCAL: No fiscal impact

Action: Do Pass
Vote: 3 - 0 - 2
Yeas: Beyer, Kruse, Walker
Nays: 0
Exc.: Prozanski, Burdick
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Meeting Dates: 4/26

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Repeals an obsolete provision concerning jury trials in county courts.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Jury trials are no longer available in county courts defined in ORS Chapter 5

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: No amendment.

BACKGROUND: ORS 5.110 states that “[a] county court trial jury shall consist of six persons drawn by lot from the jurors in attendance upon the court at a particular term and sworn to try and determine a question of fact.”