

REVENUE: No revenue impact

FISCAL: Minimal fiscal impact, no statement issued

Action: Do Pass
Vote: 5 - 0 - 0
Yeas: Beyer, Kruse, Prozanski, Walker, Burdick
Nays: 0
Exc.: 0
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Meeting Dates: 2/27

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Requires the money award section of a judgment document to include the amount of the money award, separate from the interest owed, payment of costs or disbursements or attorney fees. Provides that the separate record maintained by the circuit court administrator for judgments be called the judgment lien record.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Intersection with SB 322 A

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: No amendment.

BACKGROUND: As written, ORS 18.042 states that the money award section of a judgment document must include the amount of the money award. SB 501 clarifies that the term “money award” is the monetary amount awarded in the judgment, not including the other statutory money involved in such judgments.

The records for judgments are currently called the “separate record.” This bill replaces that language with “judgment lien record,” which is not used in any other statutory provisions other than are included in this bill.