75th OREGON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY - 2009 Regular Session STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY Senate Committee on Education and General Government

MEASURE: CARRIER:

KEVENUE. NO IEvenue impact	
FISCAL: Minimal fiscal impact, no statement issued	
Action:	Do Pass as Amended and Be Printed Engrossed
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Meeting Dates:	5/6, 5/11

REVENUE: No revenue impact

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Modifies list of documents upon which notarial officer may rely in identifying person. Specifies that fee for notarial act may not exceed \$10. Permits public body to collect fees for notarial acts.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Acceptable forms of identification to present to notary public
- Types of documents that have to be notarized

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: Specifies that fee for notarial act may not exceed \$10. Permits public body to collect fees for notarial acts.

BACKGROUND: Under current law, acceptable identification documents that a notary public may accept when identifying a signer require the person's photograph, signature and physical description. Under House Bill 2085A, documents – any one of which would be sufficient – include: a current driver license or identity card issued by any state, a current United States passport or current passport of a foreign country, a current United States military identification card, or a current identity card issued by a federally-recognized Indian tribe.