75th OREGON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY - 2009 Regular Session **MEASURE: CARRIER:**

STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

House Committee on Human Services

REVENUE: No revenue impact **FISCAL:** Fiscal statement issued

Action: Do Pass and Be Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means by Prior Reference

Vote: 9 - 0 - 0

> Boone, Cowan, Dembrow, Freeman, Huffman, Maurer, Olson, VanOrman, Tomei Yeas:

HB 3466 A

Navs: Exc.: 0

Keely West, Administrator Prepared By:

Meeting Dates: 4/6, 4/13

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Creates a voluntary database within the State Police Law Enforcement Data System (LEDS) that provides information to assist law enforcement officers in identifying individuals in need of medical, mental health and social services. Directs the Department of Human Services to develop enrollment and revocation forms for submission of personal medical diagnosis, medication and contact information to the database. Identifies consent requirements for enrollment. Defines qualifying diagnosis that allows for registry.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

Provisions of the measure

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: No amendment.

BACKGROUND: The precursor to HB 3466 (HB 2054) was the result of the efforts of state law enforcement officials, community mental health representatives, and clients of the mental health system and their families. After numerous high profile events involving individuals with mental illness stakeholders agreed on the importance of three goals:

- Protection for at risk individuals in the community;
- Protection for officers working in the field; and
- Peace of mind for families of at risk individuals.

HB 3466 expands the categories eligible for enrollment in the database as a result of ongoing discussion with system stakeholders.