

REVENUE: No revenue impact

FISCAL: Minimal fiscal impact, no statement issued

Action: Do Pass

Vote: 10 - 0 - 0

Yeas: Barton, Cameron, Garrett, Krieger, Olson, Shields, Smith J., Stiegler, Whisnant, Barker

Nays: 0

Exc.: 0

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Meeting Dates: 5/12

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Allows Attorney General to subpoena records of tobacco product distributors and manufacturers. Establishes that failure to comply with subpoena constitutes contempt of court. Clarifies applicability to all distributors of tobacco products.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Provisions of the measure

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: No amendment.

BACKGROUND: Under Oregon's Tobacco Master Settlement complementary legislation enacted in 2003, the Department of Justice has the ability to audit and require reporting from tobacco product distributors to protect Master Settlement funds. SB 214A adds an enforcement mechanism.