

REVENUE: No revenue impact

FISCAL: Minimal fiscal impact, no statement issued

Action:	Do Pass as Amended and Be Printed Engrossed
Vote:	9 - 1 - 0
Yeas:	Barton, Cameron, Garrett, Krieger, Shields, Smith J., Stiegler, Whisnant, Barker
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Meeting Dates:	5/5, 5/21, 5/26

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Requires driver to report to police officer or law enforcement agency immediately when involved in injury accident. Requires driver to report immediately an accident resulting in property damage in excess of \$1,500. Requires all drivers involved in an accident to report if one vehicle must be towed. Exempts operators of snowmobiles and law enforcement acting in the course of official duties. Requires passenger to report if driver is unable to do so. Makes failure to report a Class A traffic violation. Applies to accidents occurring on or after effective date the Act. Requires driver or passenger to make report to police officer or law enforcement agency by the quickest means available.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Provisions of the measure

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: Requires driver to report to police officer or law enforcement agency immediately when involved in an injury accident.

BACKGROUND: ORS 811.720 to 811.735 contains similar provisions for a driver and passenger to report an accident to the Department of Transportation within 72 hours. This measure requires the driver and the passenger to report to law enforcement as well immediately.