2009 Regular Legislative Session FISCAL ANALYSIS OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION Prepared by the Oregon Legislative Fiscal Office

MEASURE NUMBER: HB 3348 STATUS: Original

SUBJECT: Authorizes special agents employed by the Governor to apply for search warrants and sign

judge's name on duplicate original warrant

GOVERNMENT UNIT AFFECTED: Office of the Governor, Oregon Judicial Department

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EXPENDITURES:

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EFFECTIVE DATE: On Passage

LOCAL GOVERNMENT MANDATE: This bill does not affect local governments' service levels or shared revenues sufficient to trigger Section 15, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

ANALYSIS: This measure authorizes special agents employed by the Governor to apply for search warrants and sign judge's name on duplicate original warrant.

Passage of this bill would have no fiscal impact on the Office of the Governor and a minimal fiscal impact on the Oregon Judicial Department. If this bill is enacted, the number of applicants for search warrants may increase which could lead to an increase in the filing of felony and misdemeanor cases.