75th OREGON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY – 2010 Special Session **MEASURE: SB 1061** CARRIER: Sen. Atkinson

STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

Senate Committee on Veterans' Affairs

REVENUE: No revenue impact

FISCAL: No fiscal impact **Action:** Do Pass Vote: 3 - 0 - 2

> Atkinson, Monnes Anderson, Schrader Yeas:

Navs:

Exc.: Boquist, Morrisette

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Meeting Dates:

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Continues the Adjutant General in his or her term even if the Adjutant General is older than 65 and federal recognition is withdrawn because of the Adjutant General's age.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Adjutant General could not serve on federalized active duty without a federal waiver
- State issue

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: No amendment.

BACKGROUND: The Governor of Oregon is the Commander in Chief of the military and naval forces of the State of Oregon, Article V, section 9, Oregon Constitution. The Governor, as Commander in Chief, must appoint an Adjutant General of Oregon National Guard, Article X, section 3, Oregon Constitution. Major General Raymond Rees is currently the Adjutant General.