75th OREGON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY – 2010 Special Session BUDGET REPORT AND MEASURE SUMMARY

JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

MEASURE: HB 3626-A

Carrier – House: Rep. Kotek Carrier – Senate: Sen. Girod

Action: Do Pass the A-Engrossed Measure

Vote: 22 - 1 - 1

House – Yeas: Barker, Buckley, Cowan, Edwards, Garrard, Jenson, Komp, Kotek, Nathanson, Richardson

Nays: GilmanExc: G. Smith

Senate - Yeas: Bates, Courtney, Edwards, Girod, Johnson, Kruse, Monroe, Nelson, Shields, Verger, Whitsett, Winters

Nays:Exc:

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Meeting Date: February 18, 2010

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Budget Summary	2009-11 Legislatively Adopted Level		2010 Committee Recommendation	Committee Change from 2009-11 Leg. Adopted		
				\$	\$ Change	% Change
General Fund	\$	5,447,767,562	\$ 5,447,917,562	\$	150,000	0.003 %

Summary of Committee Action

This bill directs the Department of Education to establish a pilot program to provide vision screenings to the greatest number of students practicable in grades 1 through 8. The agency is directed to report back to the next regular session of the Legislature on the results of the program.

The Committee appropriated \$150,000 General Fund to fund the provisions of this measure. Of this amount, \$144,041 is for contracted services and other incidental expenses. The remainder covers staff time in support of the program. The measure also establishes guidelines for the vision screenings and allows the Department to enter into a contract for implementation of the program.