

FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION

Measure: HB 5003 - A

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Measure Description:

Approves certain new or increased fees adopted by State Department of Agriculture.

Government Unit(s) Affected:

Department of Agriculture

REVENUES: See Analysis

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:

ORS 291.055(1)(e) requires all new state agency fees or fee increases adopted after July 1 of any odd-numbered year to be rescinded on July 1 unless authorized by enabling legislation setting forth the approved fees. This bill provides the enabling legislation necessary to approve fees adopted through Administrative Rule by the Department of Agriculture during the 2009-11 interim. Fees were adjusted for field inspections of vegetable and specialty seed crops, seed sampling, inspection, and verification, as well as for exotic animal registration. These fee modifications are anticipated to create \$205,784 Other Funds revenue during the 2011-13 biennium. The 2011-13 budget assumes the continuation of the revenue from the fees included in this bill.