

FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION

Measure: HR 2

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Measure Description:

Celebrates friendship between United States of America and Republic of Turkey by proposing Oregonian-Turkish Friendship Task Force.

Government Unit(s) Affected:

Legislative Assembly, Legislative Administration

Summary of Fiscal Impact:

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:

House Resolution 2 proposes the creation of an Oregonian-Turkish Friendship Task Force to further the long-standing Oregon-Turkey relations, build upon time-honored friendships, as well as to promote further cultural, educational, academic, political and economic relations between Oregonians and the Turkish people. The measure directs Legislative Administration to send a copy of this resolution to the Pacifica Institute doing business as the Rosegarden Turkish-American Cultural Center and to its umbrella organization, the West America Turkic Council.

The fiscal impact of this measure cannot be determined because the bill does not specify the following aspects of the task force:

- Duration: What is the start date? If applicable, what is the sunset date?
- Membership: How many members? Are the members from the executive branch, legislative branch or non-governmental agencies? What are the geographical locations of the members? Will the members be reimbursed for their travel expenses?
- Mission and Duties: What are the responsibilities of the task force? Will the task force be required to hold organizational and/or public meetings? How many meetings are required? Where will the meetings be held? Will the task force be required to conduct research or produce a report?
- Support: Which agency will be responsible for providing administrative and staff support to the task force? Which agency will be responsible for the cost of the task force?