FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION

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Measure Description:

Approves certain new or increased fees adopted by Oregon Health Authority.

Government Unit(s) Affected:

Oregon Health Authority (OHA)

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:

SB 5530 is the fee ratification bill for the Oregon Health Authority. It contains fees that were administratively adopted by the Oregon Health Authority and approved by the Department of Administrative Services during the 2009-11 biennium.

ORS 291.055(1)(e) requires all new state agency fees or fee increases that were adopted after July 1 of any odd-numbered year, and that were not anticipated in the legislative budgeting process for an agency, to be rescinded on July 1 of the following biennium unless authorized by enabling legislation setting forth the approved fees. SB 5530 provides that enabling legislation.

Fees were established or adjusted for the Emergency Medical Services program, the Medical Marijuana program, the Lead Based Paint program, the Radiation Protection program, and the Drinking Water program. These fee modifications are expected to generate \$506,097 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.