

**REVENUE IMPACT OF
PROPOSED LEGISLATION**
Seventy-Sixth Oregon Legislative
Assembly
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Legislative Revenue Office

Bill Number: HB 3657 - A
Revenue Area: Commercial Fishing
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Measure Description:

Reduces certain nonresident fees related to commercial fishing.

Revenue Impact (in \$Millions):

Fund Type	2011-13 Biennium	2013-15 Biennium
Department of Fish & Wildlife – Other Funds	(\$0.58)	(\$0.77)

Impact Explanation: The measure would reduce the charge for commercial fishing licenses and permits by nonresidents to no more than \$50 above resident licenses and permits. If these charges were fees in the traditional sense, the funds would only be used for administration of the licenses and permits, but money from these licenses and permits is also used for scientific study and management of the fisheries, so these changes constitute a revenue impact. The measure limits the fees to licenses purchased for calendar year 2012 and subsequent years but adds an emergency clause, making the new fees effective immediately.

Creates, Extends, or Expands Tax Expenditure: Yes No