

REVENUE: No revenue impact

FISCAL: No fiscal impact

Action:	Do Pass as Amended and Be Printed Engrossed
Vote:	6 - 0 - 0
Yeas:	Boone, Huffman, Matthews, Parrish, Esquivel, Witt
Nays:	0
Exc.:	0
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Meeting Dates:	4/5, 4/19

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Requires Adjutant General to notify Governor when Oregon National Guard unit is called into active federal service outside Oregon, pursuant to Title 10 of United States Code, if service member in unit is sibling of person killed while serving. Requires notification to include statement of military necessity for placing service member in unit or that placement of service member is at their request and in compliance with regulations adopted by Oregon National Guard.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Ameliorate loss to family
- Establish process for surviving sibling deployment
- Service members concern for unit cohesion

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: Replaces measure.

BACKGROUND: Current regulations require service members whose sibling has been killed on active duty to request a waiver releasing them from active duty status. House Bill 2019A reverses the process for deploying a surviving sibling by establishing a process to determine if surviving siblings should be deployed instead of placing the burden on the surviving sibling to request a waiver.