76<sup>th</sup> OREGON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY – 2011 Regular Session MEASURE: HB 2104- B

STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

Joint Committee on Ways and Means

Carrier – House: Rep. Nathanson
Carrier – Senate: Sen. Nelson

Revenue: Revenue statement issued Fiscal: Fiscal statement issued

**Action:** Do Pass the A-Engrossed Measure with Amendments to Resolve Conflicts and as Printed B-Engrossed

**Vote:** 23 - 2 - 0

<u>House</u>

Yeas: Beyer, Buckley, Cowan, Freeman, Garrard, Komp, Kotek, McLane, Nathanson, Nolan, Richardson,

G. Smith, Whisnant

Nays: Thatcher

Exc: Senate

Yeas: Bates, Devlin, Edwards, Girod, Monroe, Nelson, Thomsen, Verger, Whitsett, Winters

Nays: Johnson

Exc:

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**Meeting Date:** June 15, 2011

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Increases fees paid by persons convicted of driving while under the influence of intoxicants (DUII) from \$130to \$230. Raises the portion that the Oregon Health Authority (OHA) collects from this fee from \$25 to \$125. Raises the filing fee for the diversion agreement from \$261to \$361.

## **ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

 Revenue generated to be dedicated to the Intoxicated Driver Program Fund (IDPF) to support indigent DUII treatment, interpreter services and the ignition interlock program

**EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT:** Resolves conflicts with HB 3075. Increases fees paid by persons convicted of driving while under the influence of intoxicants (DUII) to \$255. Raises the portion that the Oregon Health Authority (OHA) collects from this fee to \$150. Raises the filing fee for the diversion agreement to \$386.

**BACKGROUND:** ORS 813.270 created the Intoxicated Driver Program Fund in 1999 to pay for providing treatment for individuals who enter DUII diversion programs under ORS 813.200 and are found to be indigent. Payment for treatment under this subsection may include treatment for problem drinking, alcoholism or drug dependency.

The DUII diversion program created by ORS 813.200 allows first time DUII offenders an opportunity to see their DUII dismissed upon successful completion of a course of treatment determined by a mandatory alcohol assessment.