

REVENUE: No revenue impact

FISCAL: No fiscal impact

Action:	Do Pass
Vote:	8 - 0 - 0
Yeas:	Barnhart, Berger, Freeman, Garrett, Holvey, Wingard, Hunt, Olson
Nays:	-
Exc.:	-
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Meeting Dates:	6/8, 6/9

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Clarifies whether provisions that reference regular legislative session of Legislative Assembly apply to even-numbered or odd-numbered regular legislative session of Legislative Assembly. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Provisions of the measure
- Possible conflict with previously-passed legislation (Senate Bill 800)

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: No amendment.

BACKGROUND: In November 2010, Oregonians approved Ballot Measure 71, which amended the Oregon Constitution to require the Legislative Assembly to meet in limited regular sessions in odd-numbered years and in even-numbered years. Prior to the passage of Ballot Measure 71, the Oregon Legislature convened in regular session only in odd-numbered years. Therefore, statutory references relative to action taken in accordance with a legislative session, such as pre-session filing of measures, terms of service on Legislative Committees, Emergency Board, and Education Commission, budgetary procedures, and reporting by state agencies, commissions and task forces to the Legislative Assembly, referred to a singular “regular session” that convened biennially. Now that the Legislative Assembly meets annually in regular session, statutory references to “regular session” need to specify an odd-numbered or even-numbered regular session.

Senate Bill 10 specifies whether the following provisions apply to even-numbered or odd-numbered regular legislative sessions: provisions related to pre-session filing of measures; legislative committees, Emergency Board, and Education Commission of the United States; state financial administration; annual assessment of Energy Facility Site certificates; and reports and other information submitted biennially.

It has been determined that Senate Bill 10 does not conflict with Senate Bill 800 because Senate Bill 800’s repeal of ORS 336.245 (Section 42 of Senate Bill 10) takes place well after the effective date of Senate Bill 10.

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