76th OREGON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY – 2011 Regular Session MEASURE: SB 942 A STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY CARRIER:

Senate Committee on Environment & Natural Resources

REVENUE: No revenue impact FISCAL: Fiscal statement issued

Action: Without Recommendation as to Passage, but with Amendments and Be Printed Engrossed and

Be Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

Vote: 5 - 0 - 0

Yeas: Hass, Olsen, Prozanski, Thomsen, Dingfelder

Nays: 0 **Exc.:** 0

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Meeting Dates: 4/19, 4/21

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Directs Department of Administrative Services (DAS) to adopt and annually update plan by which state agencies must implement goal related to sustainability in ORS 184.423. Specifies content of plan. Directs DAS to undertake certain activities to assist agencies in achieving goals. Directs each state agency to establish green team program to allow agency employees to voluntarily organize to participate in activities related to sustainability.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Opportunities for agencies to reduce energy use
- Agency sustainability plans
- Executive Order addressing sustainability issued by Governor Kulongoski

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: Removes provisions requiring state agencies to purchase 20 percent less paper for internal operations during each calendar year than purchased in 2009.

BACKGROUND: Executive Order 03-03, issued by Governor Ted Kulongoski, directed 20 state agencies to prepare sustainability plans for their agency. Senate 942 A would direct DAS to adopt and annually update a plan by which agencies implement statutory goals related to sustainability.