

77TH OREGON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY
2013 REGULAR SESSION
STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY
HOUSE REVENUE COMMITTEE

MEASURE: HB 2871
CARRIER:

REVENUE:
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Action:
Vote:

Yeas:
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Meeting Dates: 2/25

WHAT THE BILL DOES: Makes permanent the pilot project that required certain occupational licensees to demonstrate that they were in compliance with Oregon tax laws as a condition of issuance or renewal of their license. Phases in the program between 2014 and 2018, gradually increasing the number of licensees subject to the program. Requires the Department of Revenue to establish an automated method for tax compliance certification by January 1, 2014.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

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EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS:

BACKGROUND: In 2009, the Legislature passed HB 3082, which created a pilot project to be implemented by the Department of Revenue that required certain occupational licensees to be in compliance with Oregon tax law before obtaining or renewing their occupational license. In Phase I of the pilot project they worked with three licensing boards: the Mortuary and Cemetery Board, the Construction Contractors Board, and the Board of Tax Practitioners. In Phase II, they worked with the Department of Consumer and Business Services and the Plumbing Board, the Board of Architect Examiners, and the Department of Agriculture.

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