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SUMMARY

Directs State Board of Higher Education to review potential for focusing higher education resources to assist state government and to report to Legislative Assembly.

JOINT RESOLUTION

2 Whereas the state's institutions of higher education are a source of

knowledge that can be applied to solving the state's public policy problems;

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5 Whereas the development and administration of public policy by state

government is enhanced through the availability of the best possible knowl-

7 edge base; and

8 Whereas the important knowledge resource of the state's institutions of

9 higher education is often not readily available to state policymakers and

10 administrators; and

11 Whereas other states have developed means to focus higher education

12 resources to assist in solving public problems; now, therefore,

Be It Resolved by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon:

14 (1) That the potential for focusing higher education resources to assist

state government through some readily available means be reviewed by the

16 State Board of Higher Education, and that the Chancellor of the Oregon

17 University System or the Chancellor's designee report on the review to the

18 Seventy-seventh Legislative Assembly.

19 (2) A copy of this resolution shall be sent to the directors of the State

20 Board of Higher Education and to the Chancellor of the Oregon University

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