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77TH OREGON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY 2013 REGULAR SESSION STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY SENATE FINANCE AND REVENUE COMMITTEE MEASURE: SB 430 CARRIER:

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Action: Vote:

Yeas: Nays: Exc.:

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Meeting Dates: 3/6

WHAT THE BILL DOES: Creates a personal and corporate income tax subtraction for the contribution of food crops to charitable organizations. Defines terms and limits the subtraction to the greater of either the wholesale market price or the most recent sales price. Requires the subtraction to be reduced by any amount claimed as a deduction. Identifies eligibility criteria for the subtraction. Applicable to tax years 2013 through 2019.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

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EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS:

BACKGROUND: From 1977 through 2011, Oregon had an income tax credit for crop donations to gleaning cooperatives, food banks, or other qualifying charitable organizations located in Oregon. The credit was 10 percent of the wholesale market price of the crop. In its last year of applicability, tax year 2011, roughly 125 taxpayers claimed \$225,000 in tax credits, reducing their tax liability by roughly \$155,000.

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