## 77th OREGON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY – 2013 Regular Session MEASURE: HB 2765 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY CARRIER:

House Committee on Transportation & Economic Development

**REVENUE:** No revenue impact **FISCAL:** Fiscal statement issued

**Action:** Without Recommendation as to Passage and Be Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

by Prior Reference

**Vote:** 9 - 0 - 1

Yeas: Bentz, Cameron, Davis, Doherty, Gorsek, Lively, Nathanson, Parrish, Read

Nays: 0

Exc.: McKeown

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**Meeting Dates:** 4/10

**WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:** Establishes Oregon Task Force on Economic Development. Sunsets task force on date of convening of 2015 regular session of Legislative Assembly. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

## **ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

Send to Ways and Means for further consideration

**EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT:** No amendment.

**BACKGROUND:** Job creation is a top priority of the Oregon government this legislative session. With an 8.3 percent unemployment rate, Oregon still has much work to do to make full recovery from the economic recession. House Bill 2765 allows the Legislative Assembly to evaluate and improve their economic development and job creation efforts.