

REVENUE: No revenue impact

FISCAL: Minimal fiscal impact, no statement issued

Action:	Do Pass the A-Engrossed Measure
Vote:	5 - 0 - 0
Yeas:	Beyer, Knopp, Kruse, Roblan, Hass
Nays:	0
Exc.:	0
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Meeting Dates:	3/21, 4/18

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Allows career schools to be regulated by agencies other than Oregon Department of Education (ODE). Establishes requirements for transitioning schools from ODE regulation to regulation by other agency, or reverse. Exempts from ODE regulation entities providing training primarily to members and for nursing assistant and medication aide with standards prescribed by Oregon State Board of Nursing. Declares emergency, effective July 1, 2013.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- History, interaction with nursing education
- Ability of specific professions to access expertise outside of ODE
- Clarification, standardization of exemption process

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: No amendment.

BACKGROUND: In some cases, state agencies other than the Oregon Department of Education may be in a better position to regulate certain career schools. For example, the Oregon State Board of Nursing has the expertise required to regulate private schools providing Certified Nursing Assistant training. House Bill 2187-A exempts these schools from Oregon Department of Education regulation and outlines the roles and responsibilities of agencies involved during a transition of regulatory authority. Students are granted protection during transitions through clear designation of agency responsibility during regulatory changes.