

77th OREGON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY – 2013 Regular Session  
STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY  
House Committee on Education

**\*\* CORRECTED \*\***  
**MEASURE: HB 2640 A**  
**CARRIER: Rep. Gelser**

**REVENUE: No revenue impact**

**FISCAL: Minimal fiscal impact, no statement issued**

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<b>Action:</b>	Do Pass as Amended and Be Printed Engrossed
<b>Vote:</b>	7 - 1 - 1
<b>Yeas:</b>	Fagan, Gomberg, Gorsek, Huffman, Reardon, Whisnant, Gelser
<b>Nays:</b>	Parrish
<b>Exc.:</b>	Sprenger
<b>Prepared By:</b>	Rick Berkobien, Administrator
<b>Meeting Dates:</b>	3/15, 4/15

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**WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:** Increases Board composition from 12 members to 15 members, including 14 appointees. Requires Governor, when determining appointments, to consult with Oregon’s oldest nonprofit network that provides statewide representation of parents to select parent of student in public school, and consult with organization that represents school district boards to select one member of a board. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

**ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

- Whether parent groups other than the Parent Teacher Association (PTA) should be involved
- Importance of parent involvement
- Current levels of involvement of PTA

**EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT:** Increases Board composition from 12 members to 15 members, including 14 appointees. Requires Governor, when determining appointments, to consult with Oregon’s oldest nonprofit network that provides statewide representation of parents to select parent of student in public school, and consult with organization that represents school district boards to select one member of a board.

**BACKGROUND:** The Oregon Education Investment Board (OEIB) was created in 2011 with the enactment of Senate Bill 909. The OEIB is chaired by Governor John Kitzhaber and is composed of twelve board members who are community and education leaders and the Superintendent of Springfield Public Schools, who serves as alternate chair. The OEIB’s goal is that by the year 2025, 100 percent of Oregonians will earn a high school diploma or its equivalent, 40 percent will earn a post-secondary credential, and 40 percent will obtain a bachelor’s degree or higher. The work of the Oregon Education Investment Board builds on the efforts of the Oregon Education Investment Team , created by the Governor in February 2011.

The Oregon PTA is the largest network of parents in Oregon.

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