77th OREGON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY – 2013 Regular Session MEASURE: HB 2542 CARRIER: Sen. Prozanski

STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

Senate Committee on Judiciary

REVENUE: No revenue impact

FISCAL: Minimal fiscal impact, no statement issued

Do Pass Action: Vote: 5 - 0 - 0

> Close, Dingfelder, Kruse, Roblan, Prozanski Yeas:

Navs: Exc.: 0

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Meeting Dates: 4/30

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Directs Department of Transportation to revoke a license for three years where the defendant is convicted of failure to perform the duties of a driver to injured persons under ORS 811.705, and court notes on record that a person sustained serious physical injury.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

Bridges the gap between failure to perform duties of driver where death is involved and anything else

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: No amendment.

BACKGROUND: Previously, ORS 809.409(3) provided for a one year revocation, unless the court noted on the record there was a death involved in the accident, then the revocation would be for five years. This creates a three year revocation when a court notes on the record that a person suffered serious physical injury. If the court makes no findings as to injury or death of a person involved in the accident, the statute would still require a one year revocation of driving privileges.