

**REVENUE IMPACT OF
PROPOSED LEGISLATION**
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Legislative Revenue Office

Bill Number: HB 2163 - A
Revenue Area: Lottery Revenue
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*Only Impacts on Original or Engrossed
Versions are Considered Official*

Measure Description:

Requires Director of Oregon State Lottery to employ individual to advise director and Oregon State Lottery Commission on mental health and addiction issues associated with Oregon State Lottery.

Revenue Impact (in \$Millions): indeterminate impacts on Lottery revenue.

The impacts on lottery revenue are likely but can't be determined without further visibility of how the measure will be implemented.

Impact Explanation:

The measure as amended revises the mission of the Oregon Lottery by requiring it to balance its mission to maximize revenue with a mission to serve the public good. The public good is defined as only those things related to information about potential risks and responsible use. The public good has been interpreted differently up to this point in time. The intent of the voters in adopting the Lottery Act was applied as the public good as a whole. The measure changes that to a more limited function of strictly to informing users about potential harms and responsible use of Lottery products. This change in emphases will have impacts on the amounts of revenue generated by the lottery which is focused differently today.

Creates, Extends, or Expands Tax Expenditure: Yes No

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