

Joint Committee on Ways and Means

Carrier – House: Rep. Komp
Carrier – Senate: Sen. Monroe

Revenue: No revenue impact

Fiscal: Fiscal statement issued

Action: Do Pass

Vote: 21 – 4 – 1

House

Yeas: Barker, Buckley, Frederick, Huffman, Jenson, Komp, McLane, Nathanson, Read, Smith, Tomei, Williamson

Nays: Freeman, Hanna

Exc: Richardson

Senate

Yeas: Bates, Devlin, Edwards, Girod, Hansell, Johnson, Monroe, Steiner Hayward, Winters

Nays: Thomsen, Whitsett

Exc:

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Meeting Date: May 31, 2013

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Allows State Board of Chiropractic Examiners and State Board of Pharmacy to establish certain fees by rule. Distinguishes chiropractic assistant from other ancillary personnel used by chiropractors. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- ORS 291.050 (commonly known as the SB 333 approval process), agencies must obtain legislative approval after administratively changing fees. If the changes are not ratified by the Legislature, the fees must return to their original levels.

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: No amendment.

BACKGROUND: Currently, many of the health professional licensing boards have statutory language allowing them to set appropriate licensing, application, registration and other fees by administrative rule. The Board of Pharmacy and the Board of Chiropractic Examiners are the two health boards which have fees and maximums stated in statute.

Additionally, “ancillary personnel” is referenced in the Board of Chiropractic Examiners governing statutes. The Board of Chiropractic Examiners is requesting that the term be deleted and replaced with chiropractic assistant.