

PRELIMINARY STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

CARRIER:

House Committee on Higher Education & Workforce Development

REVENUE: May have revenue impact, statement not yet issued

FISCAL: May have fiscal impact, statement not yet issued

SUBSEQUENT REFERRAL TO: None

Action:

Vote:

Yeas:

Nays:

Exc.:

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Meeting Dates: 2/3, 2/5

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Changes the entities responsible for analyzing biennial performance reviews submitted by Engineering and Technology Industry Council from Oregon University System Chancellor and State Board of Higher Education to Chief Education Officer and Oregon Education Investment Board. Effective July 1, 2014.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT:

BACKGROUND: Senate Bill 504 (1997) created the Engineering and Technology Industry Council (ETIC) to establish criteria and measurements for use in determining investments from the Oregon Engineering Education Investment Fund. Current oversight of ETIC resides with the Oregon State Board of Higher Education and the Chancellor of the Oregon University System, to which ETIC submits reports and recommendations. Given the anticipated changes in the scope and structure of the Board, House Bill 4020 directs ETIC to submit future reviews and proposals to the Chief Education Officer and the Oregon Education Investment Board (OEIB) instead. Upon sunset of the OEIB, submissions will be made to the Higher Education Coordinating Commission.