
MEMORANDUM

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To: *Capital Construction Subcommittee*

From: *Paul Siebert, Legislative Fiscal Office*

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Subject: *HB 4020 A*
Work Session

House Bill 4020A transfers responsibility for the Engineering and Technology Industry Council (ETIC) reporting requirements from the Oregon University System (OUS) to the Oregon Education Investment Board (OEIB). In addition, the bill transfers the responsibility for ETIC from OEIB to the Higher Education Coordinating Commission (HECC) when the OEIB sunsets in March of 2016. Oversight of ETIC expenditures assumes a memorandum of understanding between OUS and OEIB about dedicating the appropriate staffing for ETIC will be entered into. Proponents of the bill have stated that OEIB and HECC are not necessarily the long term home for the ETIC mission, but they are considered the best temporary home for the program as all options are explored for the 2015-17 biennium. Proponents of the bill have stated that there is no intent to stay at OEIB long term.

The Work Session packet, including, -A3 amendment, fiscal impact statement, and SMS, are available on the Oregon Legislative Information System (OLIS). The measure has no revenue impact and a fiscal impact.

Amendment

The -A3 amendment decreases the General Fund appropriation to the Oregon University System \$14,805,721 and increases the General Fund appropriation to the Oregon Education Investment Board \$14,805,721 to reflect the temporary transfer of ETIC.

Motion #1: Move the -A3 amendment to HB 4020.

Measure as Modified

The measure, as amended, is recommended to be moved to the full Committee on Joint Ways and Means.

Motion #2: Move HB 4020 to the full committee with a “do pass” recommendation, as amended.

Chair to assign carriers:

Full: _____

House: _____

Senate: _____