

PRELIMINARY STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

CARRIER:

Senate Committee on Human Services and Early Childhood

REVENUE: No revenue impact

FISCAL: No fiscal impact

SUBSEQUENT REFERRAL TO: None

Action:

Vote:

Yeas:

Nays:

Exc.:

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Meeting Dates: 2/12, 2/17

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Relieves Department of Corrections (DOC) and others from joint, annual rulemaking to govern purchase of products manufactured by Oregon Corrections Enterprises (OCE).

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Obsolete, redundant statutes
- DAS rules governing purchase of goods

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: No amendment.

BACKGROUND: Oregon law currently requires annual, joint promulgation of rules by the state’s correctional entities, charitable institutions, and political subdivisions, to govern the purchase of products manufactured by Oregon Corrections Enterprises (OCE). The Department of Administrative Services’ purchasing rules, which are generally applicable to the Department of Corrections (DOC) and other state entities, provides for the purchase of OCE goods, and may obviate the need for separate or additional, annual joint rulemaking.

Senate Bill 234 repeals joint rulemaking requirements applicable to the state’s correctional entities and others, to govern the purchase of OCE goods.