

**PRELIMINARY** STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

CARRIER:

Senate Committee on Education

**REVENUE: No revenue impact**

**FISCAL: May have fiscal impact, statement not yet issued**

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**Action:**

**Vote:**

**Yeas:**

**Nays:**

**Exc.:**

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**Meeting Dates:** 4/2

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**WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:** Requires four-year post-secondary institutions that enroll one or more students who receive Oregon Opportunity Grants to adopt protocol to ensure that students who are victims of sexual assault on grounds or facilities of institution receive services and assistance. Specifies criteria for protocol. First applies to 2016-2017 academic year.

**ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

**EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT:**

**BACKGROUND:** Out of 5,446 women surveyed for the 2007 Campus Sexual Assault Study by the National Institute of Justice, 28.5% reported having experienced an attempted or completed sexual assault either before or since entering college. Of the 5,446 women surveyed, 19 percent reported experiencing completed or attempted sexual assault since entering college, a slightly larger percentage than those experiencing such incidents before entering college.

Senate Bill 759 addresses campus sexual assaults, requiring that four-year post-secondary institutions that enroll one or more students who receive Oregon Opportunity Grants to adopt protocol to ensure that students who are victims of sexual assault on their grounds or facilities receive necessary services and assistance.