78th OREGON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY – 2015 Regular Session MEASURE: HB 2430

STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

Senate Committee on Judiciary

REVENUE: Revenue statement issued FISCAL: Fiscal statement issued

Action: Vote:

Yeas: Nays: Exc.:

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Meeting Dates: 4/29

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Authorizes Department of Oregon State Police and State Fire Marshall to accept and distribute gifts, grants, donations and funds from any source, including services and property, to carry out duties of department or marshal. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

CARRIER:

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: No amendment.

BACKGROUND: Under current Oregon law, the General Fund of the State Treasury includes a State Police Account where all monies received by the Oregon State Police (OSP) must be paid. House Bill 2430 clarifies that the OSP may accept and distribute gifts, grants, donations and funds from any source, including services and property, to carry out OSP duties.

Similarly, current law authorizes the State Fire Marshal (Marshal) to accept gifts or grants of service or property. House Bill 2430 makes it clear that the Marshal may also distribute such gifts, which may include donations and funds from any source, to carry out the duties of the Marshal.

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