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# MEMORANDUM

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**To:** Transportation & Economic Development Subcommittee

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**Date:** June 15, 2015

**Subject:** SB 131, relating to the Willamette Falls Navigation Canal and Locks

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SB 131 establishes a task force on the Willamette Falls Navigation Canal and Locks, and directs the task force to study the issues associated with repairing, re-opening, and operating the canal and locks. The task force is to make quarterly reports to the Legislative Assembly.

The measure, the original staff measure summary, a preliminary Joint Committee on Ways and Means staff measure summary, fiscal impact statement, and measure history are available on the Oregon Legislative Information System (OLIS).

The -2 amendment to this bill removes the requirement that the Oregon Department of Transportation provide staff support to the task force, and requires instead that Oregon Solutions at Portland State University provide staff support to the task force.

LFO recommends moving the – 2 amendment into the bill.

**MOTION:**

*Move the dash 2 amendment into SB 131.*

LFO recommends the measure be moved to the full Joint Committee on Ways and Means, as amended.

**MOTION:**

*Move SB 131, as amended, to the full committee with a “do pass” recommendation.*

**Carriers:**

Full: \_\_\_\_\_  
House: \_\_\_\_\_