

**SB 228**

**Relating to sources of radiation**

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SB 228 increases a number of fees and fee caps within the Radiation Protection Program, located in Public Health within the Oregon Health Authority. The bill increases the fee cap on tanning bed registrations from \$100 to \$150, which was last increased in 2007. It increases X-ray registration fees by 25%, which were also last increased in 2007. Finally, SB 228 increases the fee cap on radioactive materials licensing from \$3,000 to \$5,000. This cap was last increased in 1981.

The fiscal impact of these fee increases is included in the Oregon Health Authority's budget at \$593,755 Other Funds expenditure limitation. Without this increase, the program will need to reduce inspection staff by three full-time positions during the 2015-17 biennium.

The Human Services Subcommittee recommends SB 228 be reported out do pass.