

FULL COMMITTEE PONY

HB 2838

Relating to incarcerated veterans

HB 2838 establishes a task force on incarcerated veterans, to be staffed by the Oregon Department of Veterans' Affairs. Membership of the task force consists of representatives from the Legislative Assembly, ODVA, Department of Corrections, and two appointments by the Governor of individuals with direct experience regarding incarcerated veterans. The task force is directed to research, study and make recommendations related to incarcerated veterans and submit a report to the Legislature.

Funding for the Department of Veterans' Affairs is included for reimbursement of eligible expenses for task force members and services and supplies costs related to producing the report.

The Transportation and Economic Development Subcommittee recommends HB 2838 be amended by the -A4 amendment and be reported out do pass, as amended.