MEMORANDUM

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Senate: House:

To: Members of the Capital Construction Subcommittee From: Doug Wilson, Legislative Fiscal Office (503) 986-1837 Date: June 30, 2015 HB 3072 Work Session Recommendations Subject: **Background Information** HB 3072 relates to Career and Technical Education (CTE) and Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) education programs. The bill, as amended by the -A8 amendment generally integrates HB 2623 (Course Equivalency) and HB 2624 (Statewide Teacher Development/Mentoring) language with HB 3072 (CTE and STEM). The bill provides the authority for many of the new CTE and STEM related programs that are funded in the Oregon Department of Education's (ODE) budget including the Career Pathway Fund, STEM Innovation grants, CTE Summer program and a pilot project related to course equivalency. The bill also establishes the Connecting Education to Careers Account beginning in the 2017-19 biennium. Recommended Changes to the Bill: The Legislative Fiscal Office recommends the -A8 amendment to the bill. Sen. /Rep. moves the –A8 amendment to HB 3072. **HB 3072** Final Subcommittee Action: Final Motion: ____moves HB 3072 to the full committee as amended with a "do pass" Sen./Rep._ recommendation. **Carriers:** Full: