

SB 5531 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

Joint Committee On Ways and Means

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WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

SB 5531 is the fee bill for the Health Related Licensing Boards. The only fee included in the measure is for the Board of Medical Imaging for the Oregon health care workforce database.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Fiscal impact of the fee bill
- Number of licensing boards that participate in the Oregon health care workforce database
- Costs to Oregon Health Authority to administer the database

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

During the interim, the Board of Medical Imaging adopted a fee for the health care workforce information data collected from licensees at the time of renewal. This action was subsequently approved by the Department of Administrative Services in accordance with the process outlined in statute. This fee established by administrative rule must be authorized by enabling legislation to prevent the fee from automatically being rescinded upon adjournment of the current legislative session.

The fee for the workforce data has been established by the Oregon Health Authority as \$4 per licensee for a two-year license and \$2 per licensee for a one-year license. The Board will charge this \$4 fee for their biennial license to the licensee and pass the revenue to the Oregon Health Authority. The fee revenue is anticipated to be \$25,100 in 2017-19.