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To: Ways and Means Full Committee

From: Public Safety Subcommittee

Re: HB 3061 Relating to anonymous text message Internet websites

Representative Huffman: "HB 3061 creates the nine-member Task Force on Anonymous Text Message Services, which is charged with studying changes needed in Oregon law to regulate and prohibit the use of internet websites to send anonymous abusive and harassing text messages. The task force is required to report its findings and recommendations to the Legislature by September 15, 2019.

The measure is anticipated to have a minimal fiscal impact to the Department of Justice for staffing the task force, and for other agencies affected by the task force.

The Public Safety Subcommittee recommends HB 3061 be reported out do pass."