REVENUE IMPACT OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION

79th Oregon Legislative Assembly 2017 Regular Session Legislative Revenue Office Bill Number: SB 171

Revenue Area: Insurance Taxes Economist: Chris Allanach Date: 2/14/2017

Only Impacts on Original or Engrossed Versions are Considered Official

Measure Description:

Moves the sunset date for the fire insurance tax credit from January 1, 2018 to January 1, 2024.

Revenue Impact (in \$Millions):

	Fiscal Year		Biennium		
	2017-18	2018-19	2017-19	2019-21	2021-23
Corporation Excise Tax	\$0	-\$4.1	-\$4.1	-\$8.4	-\$9.1
Retaliatory Tax	\$0	\$2.7	\$2.7	\$5.5	\$5.9
General Fund	\$0	-\$1.4	-\$1.4	\$2.9	\$3.2

Impact Explanation:

The estimated impact for the corporation excise tax is based on an analysis of historical corporation tax returns (tax years 2000 through 2014). In recent years, an average of 250 taxpayers have claimed \$8.4 million in tax credits each year; an average of \$3.7 million has been used to reduced corporation excise tax liability. Historical use is projected through tax years 2023. The estimated impact on the retaliatory tax is based on an analysis of the interaction between the two taxes.

Creates, Extends, or Expands Tax Expenditure: Yes oximes No oximes

The policy purpose of this measure appears to be a method of funding the Office of the State Fire Marshall.

Further Analysis Required

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