

HB 2601 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

Carrier: Rep. Gorsek

House Committee On Judiciary

Action Date: 02/07/17

Action: Do Pass.

Vote: 8-0-3-0

Yeas: 8 - Barker, Gorsek, Lininger, Olson, Post, Sanchez, Stark, Vial

Exc: 3 - Greenlick, Sprenger, Williamson

Fiscal: No fiscal impact

Revenue: No revenue impact

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WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Revises statutes to maintain accuracy. Corrects punctuation and grammatical errors. Conforms language to legislative form and style. Removes obsolete references, standardizes terminology, and removes statutes from inappropriate series. Updates references to merged state agencies. Corrects citation to federal law. Clarifies impact of organizational meetings on member appointment to committees. Makes other non-substantive corrections.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Reviser's bill prepared each long session
- Intention is no substantive changes
- Review by subject matter attorneys in Legislative Counsel

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

In every long session, the Office of Legislative Counsel introduces a "reviser's bill" to make non-substantive, corrective, and technical changes to Oregon law. House Bill 2601 is this session's reviser's bill.