### SB 381 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

# **Senate Committee On Business and Transportation**

Action Date: 03/01/17
Action: Do pass.

**Vote:** 5-0-0-0

Yeas: 5 - Beyer, Girod, Monroe, Riley, Thomsen

**Fiscal:** No fiscal impact **Revenue:** No revenue impact

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## WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Requires certain notices relating to real estate loans to be mailed to all addresses on file for the recipient, including post office boxes.

#### **ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

Example of person affected by failure to receive notice in post office box

### **EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:**

No amendment.

## **BACKGROUND:**

Many documents related to real estate loans are required to be mailed in hard copy to the designated recipients. The list of documents includes: payoff statements; trust deeds; requests for resolution conferences; notice of noncompliance with, or ineligibility for, foreclosure avoidance measures; notice of default; and notice of trustee sale. Statute specifies that these documents are to be mailed to the address on file; however, in some cases, the recipient relies upon a post office box for mail delivery, and some documents are not mailed in a method that allows delivery to a post office box.

Senate Bill 381 specifies that the documents listed above must be mailed to post office boxes, where applicable.

Carrier: Sen. Hansell