

HB 2793 A STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

Carrier: Rep. Huffman

House Committee On Judiciary

Action Date: 04/18/17

Action: Do pass with amendments. (Printed A-Eng.)

Vote: 9-0-2-0

Yeas: 9 - Barker, Gorsek, Greenlick, Lininger, Olson, Post, Sanchez, Stark, Williamson

Exc: 2 - Sprenger, Vial

Fiscal: Has minimal fiscal impact

Revenue: No revenue impact

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WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Requires defendant, upon conviction of commercial sexual solicitation, to notify court of all licenses, certificates, permits and registrations the person holds. Requires court to notify all of these issuing entities. Defendant is subject to contempt of court for knowingly failing to provide this information. Requires these issuing entities to notify applicants that applicant must agree to comply with this provision. Revokes hunting and angling licenses or tags from Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife for one year. Creates and requires defendant to complete john school. Creates diversion program for this offense. Requires suspension for six months of driving privileges upon conviction unless court finds compelling circumstances.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Standards and location for john school
- When sentencing consequences occur
- Goal of the measure
- Reentry concerns

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

Replaces measure.

BACKGROUND:

House Bill 2793-A attempts to address sex trafficking by reducing demand. It increases the consequences of a conviction for commercial sexual solicitation, while also providing for the opportunity of diversion.