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Requested by SENATE COMMITTEE ON GENERAL GOVERNMENT AND ACCOUNTABILITY

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 89

- On page 1 of the printed bill, line 3, after "293.231," insert "293.233,".
- In line 6, delete "(3)" and insert "(4)".
- 3 In line 21, after "(3)" insert "(a)".
- In line 26, delete the period and insert "and notify the state agency of the
- 5 assignment.
- 6 "(b) Nothing in this subsection prohibits the department from offering for
- 7 assignment the debt to a private collection agency at any time within the
- 8 six-month period.".
- On page 2, line 34, restore "a state agency" and delete "the Department
- 10 of Revenue".
- In line 35, delete "of" and insert "against" and delete "department".
- In line 36, delete "or any other".
- On page 3, line 12, after "under" insert "subsection (6) of".
- In line 21, after "(13)" insert "(a)".
- 15 After line 23, insert:
- 16 "(b) The department shall set forth in writing the standards described in
- paragraph (a) of this subsection and shall transmit the writing to a private
- collection agency before assigning an account to the agency under this sec-
- 19 tion.
- 20 "(14)(a) A state agency may recall an account assigned to the Department
- of Revenue if the account is deemed uncollectible under ORS 293.240 or set-

- tled by compromise under ORS 293.240, or if the account may not be collected
- 2 under state or federal law or is eligible for cancellation under state or fed-
- 3 eral law.
- 4 "(b) If an account recalled under this subsection was assigned to a private
- 5 collection agency, the department shall cancel and recall the account from
- 6 the private collection agency.".
- On page 4, line 18, after the period insert "The notice must provide that
- 8 the debtor may, within 30 days and in a manner prescribed by the depart-
- 9 ment, contest the setoff and request a hearing before the department. No is-
- sues may be considered at the hearing that were previously litigated or that
- the debtor failed to raise timely after being given due notice of rights of
- 12 appeal.".
- In line 34, delete "provided" and insert "prohibited" and after "of" insert
- state".

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- On page 6, after line 30, insert:
- **"SECTION 4a.** ORS 293.233 is amended to read:
- "293.233. (1) A state agency may use rules adopted by the Oregon De-
- 18 partment of Administrative Services for exempting liquidated and delinquent
- 19 accounts from assignment to the Department of Revenue or a private
- 20 collection agency. The state agency shall provide documentation and justi-
- 21 fication for exempting liquidated and delinquent accounts from assignment.
- 22 "(2) The Oregon Department of Administrative Services shall adopt rules
- 23 governing the procedure that a state agency may follow in exempting a liq-
- 24 uidated and delinquent account from assignment, including but not limited
- 25 to adequacy of the documentation and justification that a state agency is
- 26 required to provide under this section.".
- 27 On page 9, line 27, after "293.231," insert "293.233,".
- In line 34, after "293.231," insert "293.233,".

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