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Senator Findley posed a question relating to the cost of remote online notarization (RON). I believe Renee Hunter is discussing this with Ruth Miles of the Secretary of State's office.

The proposed LC0029 was drafted to be an enactment that was not software platform specific, and as there are several potential suppliers of RON notarization services, the price to the Notary may be different for different platforms.

As to the cost to the consumer, the person signing the document by RON notarization services, the proposed LC0029 contains an amendment to ORS 194.400 to put a cap of \$25 for each RON notarization. The cap language is in Section 58 of the draft LC0029.

If there are additional questions, please do not hesitate to contact Mark Comstock or Ruth Miles of the Oregon Secretary of State office.

The Oregon Law Commission urges a do pass recommendation when this bill comes up for consideration. Thank you for your consideration.

Very truly yours,

Commissioner,  
Oregon Law Commission

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