

HB 3431 -4 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

House Committee On Rules

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WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Excludes certain vending facilities on public property from requirement that licensed persons who are blind be provided with priority or preference for management of facility.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

-4 Defines "visitor venues" and exempts venues from statutory priorities and preferences, other than priority to operate vending machines. Defines "vending machines." Declares emergency, effective on passage.

BACKGROUND:

Since 1957, Oregon law has provided a preference in the management of certain vending facilities for individuals who are blind and licensed by the Commission for the Blind. This statutory series was amended significantly in 2017 House Bill 3253.