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Measure Description:

Modifies definition of "energy facility" for purposes of regulation of energy facilities by Energy Facility Siting Council.

Government Unit(s) Affected:

Oregon Parks and Recreation Department (OPRD), Counties, Department of Fish and Wildlife (ODFW), Department of Land Conservation and Development (DLCD), Land Use Board of Appeals (LUBA), Oregon Department of Agriculture (ODA), Department of Aviation, Department of Energy (DOE)

Analysis:

This fiscal impact statement is for the purpose of transmitting the measure from the House Committee on Energy and Environment to the Joint Committee on Ways and Means.

The legislation would make a number of changes to laws regulating energy and energy facilities which are implemented and enforced by the Department of Energy in coordination with other state agencies.

The bill is anticipated to have an impact on the Department of Energy related to staff workloads in the energy siting division and an assortment of other position functions. A more complete fiscal analysis on the measure will be prepared as the measure is considered in the Joint Committee on Ways and Means.

Further Analysis Required