

**HB 3394 A STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY**

**Carrier:** Rep. Lively

**House Committee On Human Services and Housing**

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**Action Date:** 04/08/19

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

**Vote:** 9-0-0-0

**Yeas:** 9 - Helt, Keny-Guyer, Meek, Mitchell, Noble, Sanchez, Schouten, Williams, Zika

**Fiscal:** No fiscal impact

**Revenue:** No revenue impact

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**Meeting Dates:** 4/1, 4/8

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**WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:**

Requires a research and referral entity to match funds as required by Early Learning Council rule. Takes effect on the 91st day following adjournment sine die.

**ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

- Services provided by Child Care Resource and Referral (CCRR) entities
- Challenges that CCRRs have trying to match funds
- Challenges in rural communities

**EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:**

Requires a research and referral entity to match funds as required by Early Learning Council rule.

**BACKGROUND:**

The Office of Child Care's resource and referral system: 1) provides information to parents and guardians; 2) provides training and technical assistance to existing and prospective child care providers; or 3) recruits qualified individuals to meet the child care needs of a community. ORS 329A.130 requires that "a resource and referral entity must match funds in an amount not less than 10 percent of the public funds received by the resource and referral entity."