

SB 21 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

Senate Committee On Rules

Action Date: 05/20/19

Action: Without recommendation as to passage and be returned to President's desk for referral to another committee.

Vote: 5-0-0-0

Yeas: 5 - Baertschiger Jr, Boquist, Burdick, Dembrow, Roblan

Fiscal: Fiscal impact issued

Revenue: No revenue impact

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Meeting Dates: 5/20

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Requires Department of Human Services to report to the Legislative Assembly by September 15, 2019, any modification of laws governing its programs that are necessary to implement changes to its budget. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Referral to Senate President

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

The mission of the Department of Human Services (DHS) is to help Oregonians achieve safety, well-being, and independence through services that protect, empower, respect choice, and preserve dignity. DHS supports children, families, people with intellectual and developmental disabilities, and seniors through five program areas: Child Welfare, Self-Sufficiency, Vocational Rehabilitation, Aging and People with Disabilities, and Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities.

Senate Bill 21 requires DHS to report to relevant interim committees of the Legislative Assembly by September 15, 2019, any modification of laws needed to implement changes to its budget (if any) that were made during the 2019 regular session.