



Open Government Impact Statement

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SUMMARY

Requires approval from Department of Consumer and Business Services or Oregon Health Authority before any mergers, acquisitions, contracts or affiliations of health care entities and other entities if entities meet or exceed specified thresholds in average net patient revenue or in gross amount of premiums in preceding three fiscal years. Specifies exceptions and procedures.

Requires Oregon Health Policy Board to establish criteria for approval by authority of mergers, acquisitions and affiliations based on specified factors.

OPEN GOVERNMENT IMPACT

Legislative Counsel has not adopted standards for drafting measures that establish exemptions from disclosure of public records.

This measure exempts from public disclosure information submitted to the Oregon Health Authority involving the sale, merger or acquisition of health care entities that is privileged or confidential.

If those public records that could be subject to public disclosure were instead subject to mandatory disclosure under public records law, the public could receive privileged and confidential information regarding health care entity sales, mergers and acquisitions.