SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

SB 1567 Relating to energy infrastructure resilience

To: Ways and Means Full Committee From: Natural Resources Subcommittee

Carrier: Senator Frederick

SB 1567 directs owners or operators of bulk oils or liquid fuels terminals in Columbia, Multnomah, or Lane Counties to conduct and submit seismic vulnerability assessments to the Department of Environmental Quality. Additionally, the measure directs the Department of Energy (ODOE) to develop an energy security plan.

DEQ anticipates costs of \$712,318 General Fund and four positions, three of which are permanent, for startup and implementation of this new program. ODOE anticipates costs of \$327,996 and notes that funding for the energy security plan was included in the federal 2021 Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act.

These costs are reflected in the -A10 amendment, along with language intended to address any potential federal preemption due to the federal Pipeline Safety Improvement Act of 2002.

The Natural Resources Subcommittee recommends SB 1567 be amended by the –A10 amendment and be reported out do pass, as amended.