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Measure Description:

Establishes requirements for approving recovery schools. Prescribes standards and funding provisions related to approved recovery schools. Provides that allocations made from the Statewide Education Initiatives Account must be in an amount necessary to pay the difference between the actual cost of providing education to students at an approved recovery school and the amounts received from State School Fund allocations to provide education to students at an approved recovery school.

Government Unit(s) Affected:

Oregon Department of Education, School Districts, Cities, Counties, Department of Human Services, Oregon Health Authority, Teacher Standards and Practices Commission, Oregon Youth Authority

Analysis:

This fiscal impact statement is for the purpose of transmitting the measure from the House Committee on Education to the House Committee on Revenue.

House Bill 2767, as amended by the -2 amendments, requires the Oregon Department of Education (ODE) to provide or cause to be provided appropriate education for students enrolled in an approved recovery school. For purposes of providing education to students at an approved recovery school, ODE must make payments from amounts available in the State School Fund and the Statewide Education Initiatives Account. ODE may contract with a school district, education service district, or public charter school to provide or cause to be provided appropriate education to students enrolled in an approved recovery school. Allocations made from the Statewide Education Initiatives Account must be in an amount necessary to pay the difference between the actual cost of providing education to students at an approved recovery school and the amounts received from State School Fund allocations to provide education to students at an approved recovery school. Funds allocated must be adjusted annually following the distribution to reflect the actual weighted average daily membership of students in an approved recovery school. The measure directs ODE to form an advisory committee with representatives from other state agencies to provide recommendations, input, and guidance related to approved recovery schools. The measure takes effect on July 1, 2023.

A more complete fiscal analysis on the measure will be prepared as the measure is considered in the House Committee on Revenue.

Further Analysis Required

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