FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION



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Bill Title: Relating to a Bureau of Labor and Industries study concerning youth apprenticeships; declaring an emergency.

Government Unit(s) Affected: Bureau of Labor and Industries

Summary of Fiscal Impact

2023-25 Biennium	General Fund	Lottery Funds	Other Funds	Federal Funds	Total Funds	Positions	FTE
Bureau of Labor and Industries	\$ 125,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 125,000	ı	-

2025-27 Biennium	General Fund	Lottery Funds	Other Funds	Federal Funds	Total Funds	Positions	FTE
Bureau of Labor and Industries	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	1	-

Measure Description

HB 4118 directs the Bureau of Labor and Industries (BOLI) to complete a comprehensive study of youth apprenticeship programs in the United States and prescribes requirements for the study. By June 30, 2024, BOLI is required to submit a report to the interim business and labor committees that includes preliminary findings and an evaluation of the study. The final report and recommendations are due to the interim committees on business and labor by November 15, 2024.

Fiscal Analysis

The fiscal impact of the measure to BOLI is a one-time cost of \$125,000 General Fund. These funds will permit BOLI to contract with a vendor to collect data, complete the study, write the report, and provide recommendations. The cost for the contract is based on similar requests in OregonBuys.

LFO notes that despite the emergency clause, the measure's timeline only permits approximately four months for the agency to obtain a vendor and present preliminary findings to the legislature. A shortened timeline may result in delayed or diminished reporting from the agency.

Relevant Dates

The measure declares an emergency and is effective on passage.

Preliminary findings on the study are due to the legislature by June 30,2024.

The final study report is due to the legislature by November 15,2024.

Reporting requirements are repealed as of January 2, 2025.

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