2007 Regular Legislative Session
FISCAL ANALYSIS OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION
Prepared by the Oregon Legislative Fiscal Office

MEASURE NUMBER: SB 151 **STATUS:** A-Engrossed
SUBJECT: Sunset extension for Oregon Enterprise Zone Program and Legislative report on performance of enterprise zones and tax incentives
GOVERNMENT UNIT AFFECTED: Economic and Community Development Department [Commission]
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	2007-2009	2009-2011
EXPENDITURES:		
Economic and Community Development Department – Lottery Funds	$ 100,000	$ --

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2008

GOVERNOR'S BUDGET: This bill is not anticipated by the Governor's recommended budget.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT MANDATE: This bill does not affect local governments' service levels or shared revenues sufficient to trigger Section 15, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

COMMENTS: This measure extends the sunset date for the Enterprise Zone Program, which is administered by the Oregon Economic and Community Development Department (OECDD), from June 30th, 2009 to June 30th, 2021. The measure also requires OECDD's Commission to submit a report to the 75th Legislature that "…evaluates the performance of enterprise zones and related tax incentives…" under current law. The measure specifies that OECDD "…shall retain the services of one or more outside experts to perform the evaluations…" required by the measure.

OECDD reports that the sunset extension does not have a fiscal impact. The report, however, would have an estimated $100,000 Lottery Funds impact for the 2007-09 biennium. This cost would be for a one-time professional service contract and was estimated based upon a similar program evaluation for which the Department contracts.