## 74th OREGON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY - 2007 Regular Session STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY House Committee on Workforce and Economic Development

MEASURE: CARRIER:

<b>REVENUE:</b> No revenue impact	
FISCAL: No fiscal impact	

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Action:	Do Pass as Amended and Be Printed Engrossed
Vote:	6 - 0 - 1
Yeas:	Barnhart, Dallum, Holvey, Lim, Riley, Witt
Nays:	0
Exc.:	Girod
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Meeting Dates:	3/28, 4/13

**WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:** Exempts the Department of Education (DOE) from the provisions of the Department of Administrative Services (DAS) Procurement Code when procuring or supervising the procurement of goods, services, personal services, and information technology relating to student assessment.

## **ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

• Provisions of measure

## EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: Replaces the measure.

**BACKGROUND:** The Department of Administrative Services (DAS) is the designated procurement agent for Oregon's state agencies. Under current law many state agencies are authorized to exercise specific procurement authority in areas where the agency possesses particular expertise. HB 2264-A adds the Department of Education (DOE) to the list of agencies who may exercise procurement authority. The DOE's procurement must relate to student assessment, and is subject to existing laws regarding Oregon student assessment and the federal No Child Left Behind Act.