## 74th OREGON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY - 2007 Regular Session STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY Senate Committee on Commerce

MEASURE: CARRIER:

REVENUE: No revenue impact FISCAL: No fiscal impact	
Action:	Do Pass
Vote:	4 - 0 - 1
Yeas:	Avakian, Gordly, Monroe, Prozanski
Nays:	0
Exc.:	Beyer
Prepared By:	Anna Braun, Administrator
Meeting Dates:	3/7

**WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:** Requires that a member who withdraws from one Public Employees Retirement System program must withdraw from all Public Employees Retirement System programs at the same time.

## **ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

• Provisions of the measure

## EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: No amendment.

**BACKGROUND:** The Public Employees Retirement System (PERS) has multiple programs including the PERS pension plan, the Oregon Public Service Retirement Plan (OPSRP) and the Individual Account Program (IAP).

The PERS Board Legislative Advisory Committee concluded that complications arise when a member returns to work while still a member of one program but not others. HB 2281 removes this complication by requiring a member who withdraws from one program to withdraw from all programs at the same time.