75th OREGON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY - 2009 Regular Session STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY Senate Committee on Judiciary

MEASURE: CARRIER: HB 3295 Sen. Bonamici

REVENUE: No revenue impact FISCAL: No fiscal impact	
Action:	Do Pass
Vote:	5 - 0 - 0
Yeas:	Boquist, Dingfelder, Whitsett, Prozanski
Nays:	0
Exc.:	0
Prepared By:	Bill Taylor, Counsel
Meeting Dates:	5/14, 5/28

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Requires that diversion programs for persons under 18 years of age must include a prohibition on the use of intoxicants during the program.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

• Diversion for driving under the influence

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: No amendment.

BACKGROUND: Juvenile departments can, and often do, enter into what is called a formal accountability agreement with a first-time juvenile offender. If the juvenile abides by the terms and conditions of the agreement, the juvenile charge is dismissed. Juvenile departments cannot offer these agreements to offenders changed with certain specified crimes. This measure would require an accountability agreement to include a provision requiring that the juvenile agree not to use intoxicants while in the diversion program.