

**REVENUE:** No revenue impact

**FISCAL:** Minimal fiscal impact, no statement issued

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**Action:** Do Pass as Amended and Be Printed Engrossed

**Vote:** 5 - 0 - 0

**Yeas:** Bonamici, Kruse, Metsger, Morse, Hass

**Nays:** 0

**Exc.:** 0

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**Meeting Dates:** 4/15, 4/24

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**WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:** Removes education service districts from the definition of school district under general provisions of special education services statutes. Permits parent of a child with a disability to revoke consent for an initial evaluation, re-evaluation, provision of special education and related services, or placement in a program. Declares an emergency; effective upon passage.

**ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

- Full funding of the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act
- Provisions of the measure

**EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT:** Permits parent of a child with a disability to revoke consent for an initial evaluation, re-evaluation, provision of special education and related services, or placement in a program.

**BACKGROUND:** Under federal law, school districts are responsible for providing special education services. Senate Bill 72A clarifies that school districts, and not educational service districts, are responsible for meeting the special education needs of students in their districts.