76th OREGON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY – 2012 Session BUDGET REPORT AND MEASURE SUMMARY

JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

MEASURE: SB 1547-B

Carrier – House: Rep. McLane Carrier – Senate: Sen. Starr

Action: Do Pass the A-Engrossed Measure as Amended and as Printed B-Engrossed

Vote: 23 - 0 - 2

House – Yeas: Beyer, Buckley, Cowan, Freeman, Garrard, Komp, McLane, Nathanson, Read, Richardson, G. Smith, Thatcher, Whisnant – Nays:

- Exc: Nolan
- Senate Yeas: Bates, Devlin, Edwards, Girod, Johnson, Monroe, Thomsen, Verger, Whitsett, Winters
 - Nays:
 - Exc: Nelson
- Prepared By: Kate Nass, Department of Administrative Services
- Reviewed By: Robin LaMonte, Legislative Fiscal Office

Meeting Date: February 22, 2012

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Biennium 2011-13

Budget Summary	2011-13 Legislatively Adopted Level			2012 Committee Recommendation	-	Committee Change from 2011-13 Leg. Adopted			
						\$\$ Change	% Change		
Other Funds – Limited	\$	200,775,789	\$	100,326	\$	100,326	0.05%		
Other Funds – Non-limited	\$	197,419,009	\$	0	\$	0	0.00%		
Federal Funds	\$	753,662	\$	0	\$	0	0.00%		
Total	\$	398,948,460	\$	100,326	\$	100,326	0.03%		
Position Summary		020				1	0.110/		
Authorized Positions Full-time Equivalent (FTE) positions		930 919 68		0.50		0.50	0.11%		
Full-time Equivalent (FTE) positions		919.68		0.50		0.50	0.05%		

Summary of Revenue Changes

Senate Bill 1547 allows the Director of the Department of Consumer and Business Services (DCBS) to authorize captive insurers in Oregon and provides for the regulation of captive insurers. Captive insurers are entities that provide insurance coverage for their parent or affiliate companies. DCBS is supported by fees for the services it provides. DCBS estimates that there are approximately ten captive insurers in Oregon that would be charged an application and annual renewal fee, increasing Other Fund revenue by \$100,330.

Summary of Committee Action

Senate Bill 1547 requires that DCBS oversee the financial condition of captive insurers. DCBS would establish one permanent full-time Insurance Examiner position (0.50 full time equivalent) for the remainder of the biennium to conduct this financial oversight, funded by the application and licensing fees paid by the captive insurers.

DETAIL OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS ACTION

Department of Consumer and Business Services

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			OTHER FUNDS		FEDERA	L FUNDS	TOTAL		
DESCRIPTION	GENERAL FUND	LOTTERY FUNDS	LIMITED	NONLIMITED	LIMITED	NONLIMITED	ALL FUNDS	POS	FTE
2011-13 LEGISLATIVELY ADOPTED BUDGET	\$0	\$0	\$200,775,789	\$197,419,009	\$753,662	\$0	\$398,948,460	930	919.68
SUBCOMMITTEE ADJUSTMENTS (from LAB)									
Captive Insurers Authorization Personal Services Services and Supplies			86,624 13,702				86,624 13,702	1	0.50
TOTAL ADJUSTMENTS	\$0	\$0	\$100,326	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$100,326	1	0.50
SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION *	\$0	\$0	\$200,876,115	\$197,419,009	\$753,662	\$0	\$399,048,786	931	920.18
% Change from 2011-13 Leg Adopted Budget	0.00%	0.00%	0.05%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.03%	0.11%	0.05%

* Excludes Capital Construction Expenditures