77th OREGON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY – 2013 Regular Session STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY House Committee on Transportation & Economic Development

MEASURE: HB 2765 CARRIER:

REVENUE: No revenue impact	
FISCAL: Fiscal statement issued	
Action:	Without Recommendation as to Passage and Be Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means
	by Prior Reference
Vote:	9 - 0 - 1
Yeas:	Bentz, Cameron, Davis, Doherty, Gorsek, Lively, Nathanson, Parrish, Read
Nays:	0
Exc.:	McKeown
Prepared By:	Troy Rayburn, Administrator
Meeting Dates:	4/10

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Establishes Oregon Task Force on Economic Development. Sunsets task force on date of convening of 2015 regular session of Legislative Assembly. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

• Send to Ways and Means for further consideration

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: No amendment.

BACKGROUND: Job creation is a top priority of the Oregon government this legislative session. With an 8.3 percent unemployment rate, Oregon still has much work to do to make full recovery from the economic recession. House Bill 2765 allows the Legislative Assembly to evaluate and improve their economic development and job creation efforts.