HB 2964 -1 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

House Committee On Education

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WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Directs Department of Education to conduct study to determine adequacy of public education in state. Directs department to submit report to Legislative Assembly no later than September 15, 2020. Sunsets December 31, 2020. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

REVENUE:May have revenue impact, but no statement yet issuedFISCAL:May have fiscal impact, but no statement yet issued

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

-1 Replaces contents of measure. Directs Oregon Department of Education (ODE) to create Oregon Education Support Professional of the Year Program. Requires ODE and Oregon State Lottery Commission collaborate to honor and recognize educational support professional serving students in grades prekindergarten through 12. Establishes qualifications for eligible candidates. Allows State Board of Education adopt rules specifying application process and selection criteria, and duties of recipient.

REVENUE: No revenue impact FISCAL: Has minimal fiscal impact

BACKGROUND:

Other states have Education Support Professional Awards, such as Wisconsin, which recognizes outstanding work by education support professional members who made significant contributions to the cause of the union and public education.

