

**HB 2090 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY**

**Senate Committee On Health Care**

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**Meeting Dates:** 4/10

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**WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:**

Abolishes the Oregon Board of Naturopathic Medicine peer review committee.

*REVENUE: No revenue impact*

*FISCAL: No fiscal impact*

**ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

**EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:**

No amendment.

**BACKGROUND:**

The Oregon Board of Naturopathic Medicine was established in 1927 to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the public by licensing and regulating naturopathic physicians in Oregon. The Board promote excellence in the practice of naturopathic medicine by assuring quality education, regulating naturopathic practices, and fostering ongoing public outreach. The Board consists of seven members, five of whom are licensed naturopathic physicians and two who are public members. The Board currently has jurisdiction over more than 1,100 licensees.

House Bill 2090 abolishes the Oregon Board of Naturopathic Medicine's peer review committee.