

FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION

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Measure: HB 2184 - A

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Measure Description:

Expands definition of "retail telecommunications service" for purposes of universal service surcharge.

Government Unit(s) Affected:

Oregon Business Development Department (OBDD), Public Utility Commission (PUC)

Analysis:

This fiscal impact statement is for the purpose of transmitting the measure from the House Committee on Economic Development to the House Committee on Revenue.

The measure transfers the lesser of \$10 million or remaining unobligated moneys deposited in the universal service fund, after designation of up to \$30 million to ensure basic telephone service, from the Public Utility Commission’s universal service fund to the Oregon Business Development Department (OBDD) for deposit in the Broadband Fund. OBDD shall establish a program use amounts deposited in Broadband Fund to provide grants or loans for projects that develop broadband service infrastructure. The measure is anticipated to have an impact on the Oregon Business Development Department (OBDD) and the Public Utility Commission (PUC).

A more complete fiscal analysis on the measure will be prepared as the measure is considered in House Committee on Revenue.

Further Analysis Required