

**SB 151 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY**

**House Committee On Education**

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**WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:**

Updates the statutory listing of education service districts (ESD) to reflect ESD mergers.

**ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

- Bill introduced by Senate interim committee to reflect current education service district listings

**EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:**

No amendment.

**BACKGROUND:**

Oregon has 19 education service districts (ESDs) serving 36 counties. ESDs provide regional educational services to component school districts, including early intervention, low-incidence disability, special education, and college and career readiness. In 1991, the legislature passed the ESD Reorganization Act which required the merger of 29 ESDs into 21 ESDs.