

SB 683 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

Senate Committee On Education

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Meeting Dates: 3/10

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Requires school districts to provide instruction on the racist history of the United States and Oregon beginning in the 2022-2023 school year. Requires State Board of Education to adopt related requirements. Requires Department of Education to convene advisory group.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

Oregon's content standards for K-12 schools are reviewed on a rotating basis by the State Board of Education. Senate Bill 683 requires school districts to provide instruction on the racist history of Oregon and the United States starting in the 2022-2023 school year.