

## HB 3201 A STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

### House Committee On Early Childhood

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**Action Date:** 04/05/21

**Action:** Do pass with amendments and be referred to Ways and Means. (Printed A-Eng.)

**Vote:** 8-0-0-0

**Yeas:** 8 - Lively, Neron, Power, Reynolds, Schouten, Weber, Wright, Zika

**Fiscal:** Fiscal impact issued

**Revenue:** No revenue impact

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**Meeting Dates:** 3/31, 4/5

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#### WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Requires Early Learning Division to conduct assessment of child care facilities. Establishes assessment parameters, reporting requirements, collaboration requirements, and recommendation requirements. Requires report to be delivered to the Legislative Assembly by September 1, 2023. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

#### ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Oregon's child care facility needs
- Requirements of study

#### EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

Replaces the measure.

#### BACKGROUND:

The Early Learning Division of the Oregon Department of Education was established by passage of House Bill 3234 in 2013. That measure transferred certain duties previously assigned to the Early Learning Council to the Division. Since that time, the Division has served to govern and manage most of the state's early child care and education programs and services.

House Bill 3201 A requires the Division to study the state's early learning facilities, including funding streams, and create a report that includes recommendations to the legislature.