HB 2030 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

House Committee On Rules

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Meeting Dates: 1/17

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Exempts certified copies of a death record from County Assessment and Taxation Fund recording fee. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

Oregon statute authorizes county clerks to charge fees and requires additional recording fees to be collected when recording certain instruments (<u>ORS 205.320 and ORS 205.323</u>). Of the additional recording fees, 90 percent of the \$10 fee and 100 percent of the \$60 fee goes to the County Assessment and Taxation Fund. Collections and earnings on the portion of the \$10 fee are deposited into the County Assessment Function Funding Assistance Account. Collections and earnings on the \$60 fee are deposited in Housing and Community Services Department accounts for housing-related programs (<u>ORS 294.187</u>).

House Bill 2030 exempts certified copies of a death record from the County Assessment and Taxation Fund recording fees.