

HB 2817 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

House Committee On Climate, Energy, and Environment

Action Date: 01/25/23

Action: Without recommendation as to passage and be referred to Behavioral Health and Health Care.

Vote: 9-0-1-0

Yeas: 9 - Andersen, Helm, Kropf, Levy B, Levy E, Marsh, Osborne, Owens, Pham K

Exc: 1 - Wallan

Fiscal: Fiscal impact issued

Revenue: Revenue impact issued

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Meeting Dates: 1/25

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Clarifies that “podiatry” applies to the treatment of soft tissues on the human leg no further proximal than the tibial tubercle.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Need for bill to be referred to a different committee

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

“Podiatry” is defined, in part, as “the diagnosis or the medical, physical or surgical treatment of ailments of the human foot, ankle and tendons directly attached to and governing the function of the foot and ankle” (ORS 677.010). House Bill 2817 would clarify the area of leg to which definition of “podiatry” applies.