

**HB 3021 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY**

**House Committee On Labor and Workplace Standards**

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**WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:**

Amends Oregon Employment Departments general administrative statutes to remove duties related to child care policy and planning and add paid family and medical leave insurance program.

Fiscal impact:

Revenue impact:

**ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

**EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:**

No amendment.

**BACKGROUND:**

In 2019, the Legislative Assembly established the paid family and medical leave insurance program (Paid Leave Oregon) and charged the Oregon Employment Department with its implementation and administration. The measure updates OED administrative statutes to include Paid Leave Oregon as a program that the agency has general rulemaking, administrative, and enforcement responsibilities over.

The agency had been responsible for the coordination of child care policy and planning, technical assistance to child care providers and certification of child care facilities. In 2023, all child care programs and early care and educations programs were consolidated at the Department of Early Learning and Care (DELIC) including programs once administered by OED. The measure repeals the statutes related to child care policy and planning.