SB 277 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

Senate Committee On Judiciary

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WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Allows a law enforcement agency or public body to provide information, or enter into an agreement to provide information, as required to effect an international extradition and return of a person charged with or convicted of a crime in this state and for whom a warrant of arrest has been issued.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

Under ORS 181A.823 a law enforcement agency or public body may not Inquire into or collect information about an individual's immigration or citizenship status and may not enter into an agreement to provide information, about an individual in the custody, to a federal immigration authority for the purpose of civil immigration enforcement, except in specific circumstances as outlined in the statute. Senate Bill 277 would allow law enforcement agencies to agree to provide certain information to federal immigration authorities as required to effect an international extradition and return of a person charged with or convicted of a crime in Oregon.