SB 1111 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

Senate Committee On Judiciary

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WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

The measure replaces the word 'marijuana' with 'cannabis' in all Oregon laws containing the term and directs agencies to change the term in administrative rules.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

Cannabis is a genus of flowering plants in the family Cannabaceae. Oregon law defines marijuana as "the plant Cannabis family Cannabaceae, any part of the plant Cannabis family Cannabaceae and marijuana seeds" and does not include industrial hemp. ORS 475C.009(23)(a)-(b). Industrial hemp is defined by as the plant species Cannabis sativa and any part thereof that contains an average total tetrahydrocannabinol (THC) concentration that does not exceed 0.3 percent on a dry weight basis. ORS 571.269; OAR 603-048-0010 (25).