CONFLICT AMENDMENT RECOMMENDATION

HB 2005

Relating to behavioral health

To: Ways and Means Full Committee

Carrier: Senator Girod

HB 2005 modifies the circumstances when an individual with a mental illness may be detained and committed to the Oregon Health Authority for involuntary treatment and allocates \$6.5 million total funds, which includes a \$5.4 million General Fund appropriation to the Oregon Health Authority for payments made to community mental health programs regarding civil commitments and a \$1.1 million General Fund appropriation to the Public Defense Commission to provide public defense to financially eligible persons.

The Joint Committee on Ways and Means previously approved this bill, and it has passed the House.

The –B6 amendment resolves conflicts with HB 2347 that result from modifications of ORS 197.670, which this measure repeals in its entirety. The conflict amendment specifies that if HB 2347 were to become law, ORS 197.670 is to be repealed under section 61 of this 2025 Act.

I recommend HB 2005 be amended by the –B6 conflict amendment and be reported out do pass, as amended.