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Bill Title: Relating to the Oregon Electric Transmission Authority; prescribing an effective date.

Government Unit(s) Affected: Cities, Counties, Legislative Assembly, Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde, Department of Administrative Services, Public Utility Commission, Department of Land Conservation and Development, Confederated Tribes of Umatilla Indian Reservation, Department of Justice, Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs, Housing and Community Services Department, Burns Paiute Tribe, Coquille Indian Tribe, Klamath Tribes, Confederated Tribes of Siletz, Department of Energy, State Treasurer, Department of State Lands, Confederated Tribes of Coos, Lower Umpqua and Siuslaw Indians, Cow Creek Band of Umpqua Indians, Office of the Governor

Summary of Fiscal Impact

This fiscal impact statement is for the purpose of transmitting the measure from the House Committee on Climate, Energy, and Environment to the Joint Committee on Ways and Means.

The measure establishes the Oregon Electric Transmission Authority, as an independent public corporation, to accelerate the expansion of electric transmission capacity in Oregon. Additionally, the measure establishes the Oregon Electric Transmission Authority Board of Directors and Tribal Advisory Council on Electric Transmission to advise the Authority on specified issues. The Oregon Department of Energy is required to conduct a comprehensive review of the Authority and submit a report on the findings to an interim committee of the Legislative Assembly related to energy.

A more complete fiscal analysis on the measure will be prepared as the measure is considered in the Joint Committee on Ways and Means.

Further Analysis Required