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**Bill Title:** Relating to the Public Utility Commission.

**Government Unit(s) Affected:** Cities, Counties, District Attorneys, Public Defense Commission, Judicial Department, Public Utility Commission, Department of Justice

**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 modifies administrative proceedings of the Public Utility Commission (PUC) by requiring the Commission to follow the Oregon Administrative Procedures Act related to contested cases and declaratory rulings. The measure also modifies the requirements for final orders issued by the Commission. PUC anticipates needing additional staff and legal support to implement the measure, with costs supported by the agency's existing assessment on regulated utilities.

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