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Measure	Committee/Catchline
<u>SCR 8</u>	Veterans and Emergency Preparedness In memoriam: Blaine Whipple, 1930-2015.
<u>SCR 9</u>	Rules Recognizes Portland Winterhawks for their four consecutive Western Conference championships from 2011 to 2014.
<u>SJM 10</u>	Environment and Natural Resources Urges Congress to designate Willamette Falls and surrounding communities as National Heritage Area.
<u>SJM 11</u>	Veterans and Emergency Preparedness Urges Congress to improve and support efforts to bring health care to veterans in rural communities.
<u>SJR 20</u>	Rules Urges Governor and executive branch state agencies, when directed by Legislative Assembly to make unspecified reductions in state agency budgets or when responding to allotment reductions directed by Governor, to make reductions to programs and services in manner that causes least harm and inconvenience to persons agencies serve.
<u>SJR 21</u>	Rules Proposes amendment to Oregon Constitution establishing independent redistricting commission to adopt redistricting plans for state Senate, state House of Representatives and United States House of Representatives.
<u>SJR 22</u>	Rules Proposes amendment to Oregon Constitution to allow Legislative Assembly by law to prohibit agency rule, policy or procedure from taking effect until after Legislative Assembly has adopted joint resolution approving rule, policy or procedure.
<u>SJR 23</u>	Rules Proposes amendment to Oregon Constitution authorizing large cities to unilaterally form consolidated city-county government separate from remainder of county, authorizing certain cities in large counties to form new counties separate from remainder of county and providing for disposition of remaining noncontiguous portions of county divided by foregoing provisions.
<u>SJR 24</u>	Judiciary Proposes amendment to Oregon Constitution to limit awards of noneconomic damages in civil actions to \$1 million.
<u>SJR 25</u>	Rules Proposes amendment to Oregon Constitution to establish Oregon Budget Reserve Fund.
<u>SB 691</u>	Veterans and Emergency Preparedness Exempts, for purposes of state law, dishonorable discharges from Armed Forces of the United States that are based solely on sexual orientation.
<u>SB 721</u>	Business and Transportation Directs Department of Transportation to create Livable Roadway Program for purpose of allowing volunteer groups to plant trees and shrubs along roadside.



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<u>SB 764</u>	Rules Requires agency to include comparative analysis of costs and benefits of rule in notice of proposed rulemaking.
<u>SB 765</u>	Environment and Natural Resources Prohibits Land Conservation and Development Commission from adopting land use planning rules except for land use planning rules relating to Columbia River Gorge and Oregon Territorial Sea.
<u>SB 766</u>	Health Care Prohibits health care providers from denying patient health care necessary to prevent death based on certain factors.
<u>SB 767</u>	Human Services and Early Childhood;Ways and Means Appropriates moneys from General Fund to Department of Human Services for domestic violence prevention, awareness and support programs.
<u>SB 768</u>	Education Requires public universities to offer at least one bachelor's degree in fields of science, technology, engineering or mathematics at cost of \$15,000 or less.
<u>SB 769</u>	Environment and Natural Resources Allows local governments planning for employment sites required by statewide land use goals to waive requirements of goals to establish and maintain five-year supply of shovel-ready employment sites.
<u>SB 770</u>	Environment and Natural Resources Authorizes local government to adopt exception to statewide land use goal without demonstrating that certain statutory standards for exception have been met for employment use that will create 50 or fewer new, full-time jobs.
<u>SB 771</u>	Environment and Natural Resources Authorizes local government to adopt exception to statewide land use goal without demonstrating that statutory standards for exception have been met for use that is necessary for employer of 10 or more employees under specified circumstance.
<u>SB 772</u>	Human Services and Early Childhood Requires video transmissions of executive department and legislative department to be closed-captioned for access by hearing-impaired persons.
<u>SB 773</u>	Health Care Requires coordinated care organization to continue to provide health services to child meeting specified criteria who moves outside of geographic area served by coordinated care organization.
<u>SB 775</u>	Veterans and Emergency Preparedness Provides that evidence of measures taken before natural disaster occurs that were intended to minimize impact of natural disaster is not admissible to prove negligence or culpable conduct in connection with natural disaster.
<u>SB 776</u>	Veterans and Emergency Preparedness Authorizes individuals acting under authority of broadcasters to enter geographic area subject to declaration of emergency to report news or public safety information or to



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	maintain essential broadcast equipment.
<u>SB 778</u>	Veterans and Emergency Preparedness Allows State Department of Geology and Mineral Industries to require use of risk mitigation methods in, or to prohibit construction of, certain facilities and structures in tsunami inundation zone.
<u>SB 779</u>	Veterans and Emergency Preparedness Requires State Department of Fish and Wildlife to study expanding application of laws that consider members of uniformed services residents for licensing purposes and present report to interim committees of Legislative Assembly related to environment and natural resources on or before September 15, 2016.
<u>SB 782</u>	Workforce Modifies provisions relating to public employee retirement.
<u>SB 783</u>	Workforce Modifies calculation of final average salary for purposes of calculating retirement benefits of certain members of Public Employees Retirement System who were members of Legislative Assembly and earned larger salaries in public employment after service in Legislative Assembly.
<u>SB 784</u>	Workforce Directs Public Employees Retirement Board to exclude amounts exceeding \$100,000 of salary paid or earned in any year in computing final average salary for purposes of retirement benefits.
<u>SB 785</u>	Workforce Establishes Fair Retirement Plan for persons hired on or after July 1, 2016, who have not established membership in Public Employees Retirement System before July 1, 2016.
<u>SB 786</u>	Workforce;Ways and Means Instructs Bureau of Labor and Industries to increase investigatory staff devoted to investigating complaints of pay equity and gender discrimination by one full-time position.
<u>SB 787</u>	Human Services and Early Childhood;Ways and Means Establishes Task Force on Mental Health Care and Treatment to develop detailed changes to statewide system of mental health care and treatment.
<u>SB 788</u>	Judiciary Requires petitioners in family law proceedings to disclose existence of certain protective orders entered against parties in petitions for marital annulment, dissolution or separation.
<u>SB 789</u>	Judiciary Increases penalty for crime of strangulation.
<u>SB 791</u>	Health Care Requires Oregon Health Authority to establish procedures to validate network capacity of coordinated care organizations.



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<u>SB 792</u>	Workforce Limits independent medical examinations in litigation to body part or parts or specific condition in controversy.
<u>SB 793</u>	Finance and Revenue Creates income tax credit for capital improvements to business facilities or homes that are commenced prior to later of September 1, 2015, or effective date of Act.
<u>SB 794</u>	Education;Ways and Means Authorizes State Treasurer to issue Article XI-M bonds in amount to produce \$300 million in net proceeds for seismic rehabilitation of school facilities.
<u>SB 795</u>	Finance and Revenue Specifies that new or increased fees adopted by state agency do not become effective unless approved by Legislative Assembly by law.
<u>SB 796</u>	Environment and Natural Resources;Tax Credits Creates income tax credit for adopting dogs and cats from animal rescue entities.
<u>SB 798</u>	Rules Voids agency rules filed with Secretary of State on or after effective date of Act and before January 1, 2016.
<u>SB 799</u>	Business and Transportation;Tax Credits Advances sunset for tax credit for film production.
<u>SB 800</u>	Finance and Revenue;Ways and Means Establishes Task Force on Reserve Funds to study performance of Education Stability Fund and Oregon Rainy Day Fund and make recommendations to next odd-numbered year regular session of Legislative Assembly.
<u>SB 801</u>	Business and Transportation;Tax Credits Creates credit against income tax for taxpayers that create 10 or more new jobs during tax year.
<u>SB 802</u>	Environment and Natural Resources Allows governing body of local government to address land use emergency by waiving goal, without taking exception, to take land use action or limited land use action.
<u>SB 803</u>	Environment and Natural Resources;Ways and Means Appropriates moneys from General Fund to State Department of Fish and Wildlife for activities related to certain spring chinook salmon hatchery programs.