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Statement by Senate Republican Leader on PERS Reform

SALEM, Ore. – Today, Senate Republican Leader, Herman Baertschiger, Jr. (R-Grants Pass) released the following statement in response to the PERS reform bill (SB 1049) passing the Senate.

“Senate Republicans made the move to bring SB 1049 to the floor today for the majority party to come up with the votes necessary to pass the PERS reform bill,” said Senator Baertschiger, Jr. “This bill is the first step to remedying the unfunded liability that has been a detriment to our state. PERS debt is the monster lying in wait that makes it impossible to fund our schools adequately.”

The bill now moves to the House of Representatives.

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