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SUBJECT: 2018 Committee LC Summaries

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LC 81 –Requires the Oregon Broadband Advisory Council to report on broadband technology access to Legislative Assembly by September 15, 2019. Sunsets requirement on January 2, 2020.

LC 82 – Requires Business Oregon to study economic development in Oregon and report to Legislative Assembly by February 1, 2019.

LC 83 – Requires Legislative Policy and Research Director (director) to study methods for supporting economic resilience in communities affected by emergencies or disasters declared by the Governor, including identifying challenges related to capital access, potential gaps in federal and state lending programs for small businesses, and best practices from other states. Requires director to submit report to the emergency preparedness or economic development committees of the Legislative Assembly by September 15, 2018. Requires Oregon Business Development Department to assist the director if requested. Declares emergency, effective on passage.