

**HB 2385 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY**

**House Committee On Revenue**

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**Meeting Dates:** 2/17

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**WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:**

Directs Department of Revenue to develop, implement and maintain software system that enables online filing and processing of property tax returns. Requires construction and maintenance of property tax return database. Provides that use of software system shall be mandatory. Authorizes department to use database to produce anonymized reports. Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

**ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

**EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:**

No amendment.

**BACKGROUND:**

Oregon Statutes 308.290 pertains to the assessment and taxation of property. The Statute is prescriptive about who shall file returns and the rules regarding the form and filing of those returns.