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Bill Number: SB 1585

Brief Description of Bill (maximum 100 words): Requires DHS to set up a work group and come up with a plan for a program that allows people who receive SNAP aid to be able to use the aid to buy hot foods and hot foods that are ready to eat. https://olis.oregonlegislature.gov/liz/2024R1/Measures/Overview/SB1585 Name of Point Person who completed this form: Laura Allen Email address if you are willing to be contacted with questions about this bill: allenmead2@gmail.com Last Updated: 2/7/2024 1. Research topic – choose which category best fits your bill: ☐ Climate, Energy Environment ☐ Housing/Houselessness ☐ Campaign Finance Reform ☐ Immigration/Social Justice ☐ Healthcare/Gun Safety ☐ Education ☐ Transportation ☐ Economics ☐ Criminal Justice ○ Other describe: Hunger 2. The bill's Legislative champions – Chief Sponsors: Sen. Winsvey Campos, Rep. Courtney Regular Sponsors: Sens. Dembrow, Frederick, Gelser Blouin, Gorsek, Jama, Manning, Jr.; Meek, Patterson, Prozanski, Woods; and Reps. Andersen, ChaiChi, Gamba, Hartman, Nguyen, H.; Nosse, Pham H.;, Pham K., Reynolds, Ruiz, Trans, Walters 3. The bill's legislative opponents: Click or tap here to enter text. 4. What advocacy groups are supporting this bill and why are they supporting it? Provide contact information if available. (maximum 200 words) Click or tap here to enter text. 5. What groups are opposing this bill and why are they opposing it? (maximum 200 words) Click or tap here to enter text. 6. Reasons COIN should take a position on this bill. Choose all that apply: □ Progressive groups across the state care strongly about this. ☑This Bill protects or expands the rights of marginalized populations. ☐This bill helps change the structures of the democratic system to make it work better. ☐ This issue is controlled by the state or states have a great deal of power in it. **□Other**

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- 7. What is the likelihood this bill will pass? Click or tap here to enter text.
- 8. List the relevant dates concerning the bill(s)-(scheduled committee hearings, votes, lobby days, other scheduled advocacy, phone banks, post card parties, etc). A brief public hearing was held on Feb. 7. The Joint Ways and Means Education Subcommittee considering the bill is still awaiting a fiscal impact statement before moving forward on the bill. People can still submit testimony until 3 pm on Friday, Feb. 9. Submit testimony at this link.
- 9. Please list any specific advocacy action you would like COIN to help with, any media contacts that may be helpful or any other important information? Click or tap here to enter text.