SENATE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 753

By COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND GENERAL GOVERNMENT

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Delete lines 10 through 14 of the printed bill and insert:

"(2) All public bodies, as defined by ORS 174.109, shall cooperate with an ombudsman estab
lished by law or designated by the Governor, and shall promptly provide all information requested
by the ombudsman that is relevant to the duties of the ombudsman. Any person that contracts with
a public body, as defined by ORS 174.109, shall cooperate with an ombudsman established by law
or designated by the Governor to the extent the ombudsman is investigating matters related to the
contract, and shall promptly provide all information requested by the ombudsman that is related to
the contract and relevant to the duties of the ombudsman. An agency or officer of the executive
department, as defined by ORS 174.112, shall consult with the Attorney General if there is any legal
dispute relating to:".
In line 15, delete "should" and insert "may".
After line 18, insert:
"(3) Communications with an ombudsman, and information provided to an ombudsman, relevant
to the duties of the ombudsman are confidential and an ombudsman may decline to disclose the
communication or information in response to a request under ORS 192.410 to 192.505.".

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