

SENATE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 843

By COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

April 30

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, line 2, after the semicolon delete the rest of the line and insert
2 “and appropriating money.”.

3 Delete lines 4 through 31 and delete pages 2 through 4 and insert:

4 **“SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2007 Act is added to and made a part of ORS chapter 414.**

5 **“SECTION 2. (1) The Department of Human Services shall provide payment for substance**
6 **abuse treatment for a person who:**

7 **“(a) Is the parent or legal guardian of a child who has been removed from the parent’s**
8 **or legal guardian’s home and accepted for placement and care by the department as a result**
9 **of a judicial determination that continued presence in the parent’s or legal guardian’s home**
10 **is contrary to the best interests of the child;**

11 **“(b) Has a current case plan for reunification that requires the person to receive sub-**
12 **stance abuse treatment; and**

13 **“(c) Is not otherwise eligible for health insurance or a medical assistance program that**
14 **will provide payment for the required treatment.**

15 **“(2) If the person fails to comply with the requirements of the reunification case plan,**
16 **the person is ineligible for payment of substance abuse treatment under this section.**

17 **“(3) The department shall adopt rules necessary to carry out the purposes of this section.**

18 **“SECTION 3. The Substance Abuse Treatment Fund is established in the State Treasury,**
19 **separate and distinct from the General Fund. Interest earned by the Substance Abuse**
20 **Treatment Fund shall be credited to the fund. Moneys in the fund are continuously appro-**
21 **priated to the Department of Human Services to carry out the purposes of section 2 of this**
22 **2007 Act.”.**

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