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## HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO A-ENGROSSED SENATE BILL 391

By COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND WATER

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| 1        | On page 1 of the printed A-engrossed bill, delete lines 5 through 25 and insert:                   |
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| <b>2</b> | " <u>SECTION 1.</u> ORS 609.305 is amended to read:  |
| 3        | "609.305. As used in ORS 609.305 to 609.335 and 609.992, 'exotic animal' means:                    |
| 4        | "(1) Any member of the family Felidae not indigenous to Oregon, except the species Felis catus     |
| 5        | (domestic cat);  |
| 6        | "(2) Any nonhuman primate;   |
| 7        | "[(3) Any wolf (Canis lupus);]   |
| 8        | "[(4)] (3) Any nonwolf member of the family Canidae not indigenous to Oregon, except the spe-      |
| 9        | cies Canis familiaris (domestic dog); [and]  |
| 10       | "[(5)] (4) Any bear, except the black bear (Ursus americanus); and                                 |
| 11       | "(5) Any member of the order Crocodylia.".   |
| 12       | On page 2, delete lines 14 through 30 and insert:  |
| 13       | " <u>SECTION 4.</u> ORS 609.315 is amended to read:  |
| 14       | "609.315. (1) The requirements for a permit in ORS 609.319 and 609.335 [shall] do not apply to     |
| 15       | the following:   |
| 16       | "[(1)] (a) A wildlife rehabilitation center operated under a valid permit issued by the State Fish |
| 17       | and Wildlife Commission pursuant to ORS 497.308.[; or]   |
| 18       | "[(2)] (b) A facility operated under a valid license or research facility registration issued by   |
| 19       | the United States Department of Agriculture pursuant to the federal Animal Welfare Act of 1970 (7  |
| 20       | U.S.C. 2133 or 2136).  |
| 21       | "(c) An exotic animal protection organization, including humane societies and animal               |
| 22       | shelters, incorporated under ORS chapter 65, that houses an exotic animal at the written           |
| 23       | request of the state or a state agency for a period not to exceed 30 days.                         |
| 24       | "(d) A law enforcement agency.   |
| 25       | "(e) A licensed veterinary hospital or clinic.   |
| 26       | "(f) An educational facility that houses a member of the order Crocodylia pursuant to a            |
| 27       | written request of the state, a local government or a state agency stating the need to house       |
| 28       | the member of the order Crocodylia at the educational facility.                                    |
| 29       | "(g) A person or organization that takes in an exotic animal in an emergency situation             |
| 30       | but that does not otherwise qualify for an exemption under this section. The person or or-         |
| 31       | ganization may keep the exotic animal for not more than 48 hours during which time the             |
| 32       | person or organization must make a good faith effort to contact a law enforcement agency,          |
| 33       | the State Department of Agriculture or a wildlife rehabilitation center described in para-         |
| 34       | graph (a) of this subsection.  |
| 35       | "(h) A person with a disability as defined in 42 U.S.C. 12102(2)(A) who possesses a service        |
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1 monkey if:

2 "(A) The person presents, at the request of the State Department of Agriculture, written proof from a medical doctor that the person has a disability and that the service monkey 3 4 performs specific tasks for the benefit of the person with the disability; "(B) The service monkey was obtained from, and trained at, a nonprofit organization 5 whose mission is to improve the quality of life of persons with disabilities; and 6 "(C) The person complies with any requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act 7 8 relating to service animals. "(2) As used in subsection (1)(h) of this section, 'service monkey' means a nonhuman 9 primate of the genus Cebus that is trained to perform specific tasks for a person with a 10 11 disability.". On page 3, line 23, delete "Section 8 of this 2009 Act is" and insert "Sections 8 and 9 of this 122009 Act are". 13After line 34, insert: 14 "SECTION 9. The State Department of Agriculture may issue a permit to a person to 15 16 keep an exotic animal if: "(1) The person operated a facility under a valid license or research facility registration 17issued by the United States Department of Agriculture pursuant to the federal Animal Wel-18 fare Act of 1970 (7 U.S.C. 2133 or 2136); 19 "(2) The person does not renew the person's license or registration described in sub-20 21section (1) of this section; 22"(3) The person applies for the permit within 90 days after the renewal date of the license 23or registration; and 24 "(4) The person meets the requirements of rules adopted by the department under ORS 25609.335.".

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