

## SENATE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 338

By COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

April 6

- 1 On page 1 of the printed bill, line 2, delete “creating new provisions; amending ORS 351.656;”.
- 2 Delete lines 5 through 31 and delete page 2 and insert:
- 3 **“SECTION 1. (1) The Task Force on Tuition Waivers for Veterans at Community Colleges**
- 4 **in Oregon is established, consisting of the 17 community college district presidents in this**
- 5 **state. A community college district president may designate an alternate member to repre-**
- 6 **sent the community college district.**
- 7 **“(2) The task force shall address the issue of tuition waivers for veterans and their**
- 8 **families at community college districts in this state by:**
- 9 **“(a) Determining a common set of policies for all community college districts in this**
- 10 **state that is in alignment with the tuition waiver provisions of ORS 351.656; and**
- 11 **“(b) Comparing policies of community college districts in this state with the tuition**
- 12 **waiver policies for veterans and their families adopted by the Oregon University System, and**
- 13 **aligning the community college district policies with those of the Oregon University System.**
- 14 **“(3) A majority of the voting members of the task force constitutes a quorum for the**
- 15 **transaction of business.**
- 16 **“(4) Official action by the task force requires the approval of a majority of the voting**
- 17 **members of the task force.**
- 18 **“(5) The task force shall elect one of its members to serve as chairperson.**
- 19 **“(6) The task force shall meet at times and places specified by the call of the chairperson**
- 20 **or of a majority of the voting members of the task force.**
- 21 **“(7) The task force may adopt rules necessary for the operation of the task force.**
- 22 **“(8) The task force shall submit a report, and may include recommendations for legis-**
- 23 **lation, to the Legislative Assembly no later than the date of the convening of the regular**
- 24 **session of the 2012 Legislative Assembly as specified in ORS 171.010.**
- 25 **“(9) The Department of Community Colleges and Workforce Development shall provide**
- 26 **staff support to the task force.**
- 27 **“(10) Members of the task force are not entitled to compensation.**
- 28 **“(11) All agencies of state government, as defined in ORS 174.111, are directed to assist**
- 29 **the task force in the performance of its duties and, to the extent permitted by laws relating**
- 30 **to confidentiality, to furnish such information and advice as the members of the task force**
- 31 **consider necessary to perform their duties.**
- 32 **“SECTION 2. Section 1 of this 2011 Act is repealed on the date of the convening of the**
- 33 **2012 regular session of the Legislative Assembly as specified in ORS 171.010.**
- 34 **“SECTION 3. This 2011 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public**
- 35 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2011 Act takes effect**

1 **on its passage.”**

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