

HB 4166-4
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**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
HOUSE BILL 4166**

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, line 6, after “(1)” insert “Except as provided
2 in subsection (3) of this section,”.

3 On page 2, delete lines 4 through 7 and insert:

4 “(3) If a project is new construction or a total refit of a building and has
5 a structure that is composed primarily of forest products, the taxpayer may
6 not use a LEED certification, Green Globes program rating or scoring by a
7 program described in subsection (2)(d)(C) of this section to qualify the
8 project for a tax credit under this section unless the LEED, Green Globes
9 or other program used to prove energy efficiency of the project allows the
10 use of forest products in projects to be evaluated under, and gives equal re-
11 cognition and rating treatment to:

12 “(a) The environmental rating systems developed by:

13 “(A) The Forest Stewardship Council;

14 “(B) The Sustainable Forestry Initiative; and

15 “(C) The American Tree Farm System; and

16 “(b) Any environmental rating system recognized by the State Department
17 of Energy as having standards and criteria for evaluating the use of forest
18 products in projects with regard to the use of recycled material, use of
19 renewable products and proximity to market that are equivalent to the
20 standards and criteria of a system described in paragraph (a) of this sub-
21 section for evaluating the use of forest products in projects with regard to
22 the use of recycled material, use of renewable products and proximity to

1 market.”.

2 After line 42, insert:

3 **“SECTION 2. No later than March 1, 2013, the State Department of**
4 **Energy shall report to the Legislative Assembly regarding whether the**
5 **LEED certification system, the Green Globes rating system and any**
6 **program described in ORS 315.331 (2)(d)(C) have, or may be expected**
7 **to have by January 1, 2014, the project evaluation, equal recognition**
8 **and equal rating treatment features described in ORS 315.331 (3) as**
9 **amended by section 1 of this 2012 Act.”.**

10 In line 43, delete “2” and insert “3”.

11 In line 44, delete “2013” and insert “2014”.

12 In line 45, delete “3” and insert “4”.

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