HB 2997-6 (LC 992) 4/8/13 (MBM/ps)

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 2997

On <u>page 1</u> of the printed bill, line 1, after "ORS" delete the rest of the line and lines 3 and 4 and insert "687.405, 687.415, 687.420, 687.480, 687.485 and 687.493; and declaring an emergency.".

4 In line 17, delete ", her husband or her partner".

5 On page 3, delete lines 43 through 45 and delete pages 4 through 13 and 6 insert:

7 "SECTION 4. ORS 687.485 is amended to read:

687.485. In addition to the powers otherwise granted by ORS 687.405 to
687.495, the Oregon Health Licensing Agency, in consultation with the State
Board of Direct Entry Midwifery, may:

"(1) Determine whether applicants meet the qualifications under ORS 687.405 to 687.495, conduct examinations and grant licenses to qualified applicants upon compliance with the rules of the board [and the agency];

"(2) Do any act necessary or proper to effect and carry out the duties
 required of the agency by ORS 687.405 to 687.495; and

¹⁶ "[(3) Adopt rules for the administration of ORS 687.405 to 687.495; and]

"[(4)] (3) Accept and expend donations, contributions and grant funds for
the purposes of ORS 687.405 to 687.495.

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"OTHER CHANGES TO STATE BOARD OF DIRECT ENTRY MIDWIFERY

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¹ **"SECTION 5.** ORS 687.405 is amended to read:

² "687.405. As used in ORS 687.405 to 687.495, 'direct entry midwifery' means

3 providing the following services for compensation:

4 "(1) Supervision of the conduct of labor and childbirth;

⁵ "(2) Providing advice to a parent as to the progress of childbirth; [or]

6 "(3) Rendering prenatal, intrapartum and postpartum care; and

7 "(4) Making newborn assessments.

8 "SECTION 6. ORS 687.493 is amended to read:

"687.493. (1) A direct entry midwife licensed under ORS 687.405 to 687.495
may purchase and administer authorized scheduled legend drugs and devices
that are used in pregnancy, birth, postpartum care, newborn care or resuscitation and that are deemed integral to providing safe care to the public
by the State Board of Direct Entry Midwifery by rule.

14 "(2) Legend drugs authorized under subsection (1) of this section are 15 limited:

"(a) For neonatal use to prophylactic ophthalmic medications, vitamin K
 and oxygen; and

"(b) For maternal use to Group B Streptococcal antibiotic
prophylaxis, postpartum antihemorrhagics, Rh_o(D) immune globulin,
epinephrine, intravenous fluids, local anesthetic and oxygen.

"(3) Legend devices authorized under subsection (1) of this section are limited to devices for injection of medications, for the administration of intravenous fluids, for adult and infant resuscitation and for rupturing the amniotic membranes.

"(4) A pharmacist who dispenses drugs and devices to a licensed midwife
as authorized by this section and in conformity with the provisions of ORS
chapter 689 is not liable for any adverse reactions caused by administration
of the legend drugs and devices by the midwife.

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"APPLICABILITY

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"SECTION 7. (1) The amendments to ORS 687.420 by section 2 of this 1 2013 Act apply to persons who submit an application to the Oregon 2 Health Licensing Agency to become licensed as a direct entry midwife 3 on or after the operative date specified in section 8 of this 2013 Act. 4 "(2) Notwithstanding the amendments to ORS 687.415 by section 1 $\mathbf{5}$ of this 2013 Act, a person who is not licensed to practice direct entry 6 midwifery under ORS 687.405 to 687.495 may continue to practice direct 7 entry midwifery until January 1, 2015. 8 9 **"OPERATIVE DATE** 10 11 "SECTION 8. (1) The amendments to statutes by sections 1 to 6 of 12 this 2013 Act become operative on January 1, 2014. 13 "(2) The State Board of Direct Entry Midwifery may take any action 14 before the operative date specified in subsection (1) of this section to 15 enable the board to exercise, on and after the operative date specified 16 in subsection (1) of this section, all of the duties, functions and powers 17 conferred on the board by the amendments to statutes by sections 1 18 to 6 of this 2013 Act. 19 20**"UNIT CAPTIONS** 2122"SECTION 9. The unit captions used in this 2013 Act are provided 23only for the convenience of the reader and do not become part of the 24statutory law of this state or express any legislative intent in the 25enactment of this 2013 Act. 2627**"EMERGENCY CLAUSE** 2829 "SECTION 10. This 2013 Act being necessary for the immediate 30 HB 2997-6 4/8/13 Proposed Amendments to HB 2997 Page 3

- 1 preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is
- 2 declared to exist, and this 2013 Act takes effect on its passage.".

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