

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
SENATE BILL 559**

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, line 2, delete “427.400”.

2 In line 3, delete the first “and”.

3 Delete lines 5 through 30 and delete page 2.

4 On page 3, delete line 1 and insert:

5 **“SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2013 Act is added to and made a part**
6 **of ORS chapter 427.**

7 **“SECTION 2. (1) As used in this section:**

8 **“(a) ‘Adult’ means an adult with developmental disabilities who is**
9 **eligible to receive comprehensive services as defined in ORS 427.400.**

10 **“(b) ‘Residential setting’ means a living arrangement described in**
11 **ORS 427.400 (3).**

12 **“(2) An adult has the right to choose the adult’s placement setting.**
13 **The Department of Human Services or the department’s designee shall**
14 **present to an adult at least three appropriate placement setting**
15 **options, including at least two different types of residential settings,**
16 **before:**

17 **“(a) Making an initial placement.**

18 **“(b) Transferring the adult from one placement setting to another**
19 **placement setting.**

20 **“(3) The department or the department’s designee may not transfer**
21 **an adult from a placement setting without first complying with sub-**
22 **section (2) of this section.**

1 **“(4) The department or the department’s designee is not required**
2 **to present the options under subsection (2) of this section if:**

3 **“(a) The department or the department’s designee demonstrates**
4 **that three appropriate placement settings or two different types of**
5 **residential settings are not available within the geographic area where**
6 **the adult wishes to reside;**

7 **“(b) The adult selects a placement setting option and waives the**
8 **right to be presented with the placement setting options described in**
9 **subsection (2) of this section; or**

10 **“(c) The adult is at imminent risk to health or safety in the adult’s**
11 **current placement setting.”.**

12 In line 29, after the period delete the rest of the line and lines 30 and 31
13 and insert “A provider of developmental disability services that offers job
14 placements may not give preference to an adult with disabilities who is a
15 resident of a facility owned or operated by the provider when determining
16 eligibility for a job placement. The residence of an adult with developmental
17 disabilities may not be the exclusive factor in determining eligibility for a
18 job placement.”.

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