

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
A-ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL 4110**

1 On page 1 of the printed A-engrossed bill, line 2, before the period insert
2 “; and declaring an emergency”.

3 On page 2, line 16, delete “the effective date of this 2014 Act” and insert
4 “January 1, 2015”.

5 After line 16, insert:

6 **“SECTION 4. (1) The Oregon Health Authority shall convene a work**
7 **group consisting of individuals representing the interests of health**
8 **insurers, health care providers, insureds, employers who provide**
9 **health care coverage to employees, local law enforcement, prescription**
10 **drug manufacturers, the division of the authority that administers the**
11 **medical assistance program and other interests that the authority**
12 **deems necessary for a comprehensive discussion of the public policy**
13 **issues involved in limiting the utilization and scope of health care**
14 **coverage.**

15 **“(2) The work group shall study exclusions and other limitations**
16 **applicable to the coverage of certain groups or certain health services**
17 **in the health insurance market and self-insured health plans in this**
18 **state.**

19 **“(3) A majority of the members of the work group constitutes a**
20 **quorum for the transaction of business.**

21 **“(4) Official action by the work group requires the approval of a**
22 **majority of the members of the work group.**

1 “(5) The work group shall elect one of its members to serve as
2 chairperson.

3 “(6) If there is a vacancy for any cause, the authority shall make
4 an appointment to become immediately effective.

5 “(7) The work group shall meet at times and places specified by the
6 call of the chairperson or of a majority of the members of the work
7 group.

8 “(8) The work group may adopt rules necessary for the operation
9 of the work group.

10 “(9) The work group shall submit a report in the manner provided
11 in ORS 192.245, and may include recommendations for legislation, to
12 the interim committees of the Legislative Assembly related to health
13 as appropriate no later than September 15, 2014.

14 “(10) The authority shall provide staff support to the work group.

15 “(11) Members of the work group are not entitled to compensation.

16 “(12) All agencies of state government, as defined in ORS 174.111,
17 are directed to assist the work group in the performance of its duties
18 and, to the extent permitted by laws relating to confidentiality, to
19 furnish such information and advice as the members of the work
20 group consider necessary to perform their duties.

21 “SECTION 5. Section 2 of this 2014 Act becomes operative January
22 1, 2015.

23 “SECTION 6. Section 4 of this 2014 Act is repealed on the date of
24 the convening of the 2015 regular session of the Legislative Assembly
25 as specified in ORS 171.010.

26 “SECTION 7. This 2014 Act being necessary for the immediate
27 preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is
28 declared to exist, and this 2014 Act takes effect on its passage.”.

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