

## SENATE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 702

By COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

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1 Delete lines 5 through 19 of the printed bill and insert:

2 “**SECTION 1.** ORS 351.704 is amended to read:

3 “351.704. (1) Subject to ORS 351.094 and any group health and welfare insurance benefit plan  
4 developed under ORS 351.094, a part-time faculty member at a public institution of higher education  
5 is eligible for the same health care benefits as full-time faculty members if the part-time faculty  
6 member is eligible for membership in the Public Employees Retirement System or another plan au-  
7 thorized under ORS chapter 238 or 238A by teaching either at a single public institution of higher  
8 education or in aggregate at multiple public institutions of higher education during the prior year.

9 “[*(2) A part-time faculty member at a public institution of higher education shall pay all insurance*  
10 *premiums for health care benefits unless otherwise provided for by the policy of the institution or by*  
11 *collective bargaining at the institution.*]

12 “**(2) For health care benefits provided to a part-time faculty member at a public institu-**  
13 **tion of higher education who is eligible for membership in the Public Employees Retirement**  
14 **System or another plan authorized under ORS chapter 238 or 238A as described in subsection**  
15 **(1) of this section, the premium for providing coverage shall be paid as follows:**

16 “**(a) 10 percent by the part-time faculty member; and**

17 “**(b) 90 percent by the public institution or institutions of higher education employing the**  
18 **part-time faculty member, with each public institution of higher education paying a pro rata**  
19 **share of the premium payable under this paragraph based on the proportion of the hours**  
20 **worked for the institution to the total number hours worked by the part-time faculty mem-**  
21 **ber for all public institutions of higher education.**

22 “**(3) The premium for providing health care benefits to dependents of a part-time faculty**  
23 **member eligible for health care benefits under this section shall be paid as follows:**

24 “**(a) 50 percent by the part-time faculty member electing dependent coverage; and**

25 “**(b) 50 percent by the public institution or institutions of higher education employing the**  
26 **part-time faculty member with each public institution of higher education paying a pro rata**  
27 **share of the premium payable under this paragraph based on the proportion of the hours**  
28 **worked for the institution to the total number hours worked by the part-time faculty mem-**  
29 **ber for all public institutions of higher education.”.**

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