

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
HOUSE BILL 2449**

1 On page 6 of the printed bill, line 14, after “under” insert “subsection
2 (3)(a) to (i), (k) and (L) of”.

3 In line 15, delete “50” and insert “25”.

4 In line 16, after “may” insert “apply only to tax years 2017 and later and
5 may”.

6 On page 7, after line 4, insert:

7 “(7) The State Department of Energy may enter into a performance
8 agreement with a district, as defined in ORS 198.010, that is the owner, op-
9 erator or lessee of a bioenergy facility that uses feedstocks from agricultural
10 producers and that, prior to the effective date of this 2015 Act, received
11 certification for a tax credit under ORS 315.141, to establish the terms and
12 conditions, including but not limited to the applicable credit rates and re-
13 quirements for feedstock, operations and reporting, under which credits will
14 be allowed under this section. An agreement established under this sub-
15 section is not subject to the eligibility or selection criteria otherwise appli-
16 cable under section 11 of this 2015 Act.”.

17 In line 5, delete “(7)” and insert “(8)”.

18 In line 13, delete “(8)” and insert “(9)”.

19 On page 8, line 14, after “utilizes” insert “animal manure,”.

20 In line 16, delete “that would otherwise be destined for landfill
21 disposal”.

22 In line 26, delete “Employment positions” and insert “Jobs”.

1 In line 27, delete “emissions of particulate matter” and insert “greenhouse
2 gas or other air emissions”.

3 After line 28, insert:

4 “(h) Facility status as a new facility, a facility with expanded energy
5 production capacity or a restarted or repowered facility following an idle
6 period of at least two years.”.

7 Delete lines 31 and 32 and insert:

8 “(a) Production costs per energy unit, including biomass production and
9 collection costs.

10 “(b) Monetary value per energy unit produced.”.

11 In line 40, after “from” insert “animal manure,”.

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