

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO  
SENATE BILL 702**

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  
4 insurance benefit plan developed under ORS 351.094, a part-time faculty  
5 member at a public institution of higher education is eligible for the same  
6 health care benefits as full-time faculty members if the part-time faculty  
7 member is eligible for membership in the Public Employees Retirement Sys-  
8 tem or another plan authorized under ORS chapter 238 or 238A by teaching  
9 either at a single public institution of higher education or in aggregate at  
10 multiple public institutions of higher education during the prior year.

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

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

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

22 **“(b) 90 percent by the public institution or institutions of higher**

1 education employing the part-time faculty member, with each public  
2 institution of higher education paying a pro rata share of the premium  
3 payable under this paragraph based on the proportion of the hours  
4 worked for the institution to the total number hours worked by the  
5 part-time faculty member for all public institutions of higher educa-  
6 tion.

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

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

12 “(b) 50 percent by the public institution or institutions of higher  
13 education employing the part-time faculty member with each public  
14 institution of higher education paying a pro rata share of the premium  
15 payable under this paragraph based on the proportion of the hours  
16 worked for the institution to the total number hours worked by the  
17 part-time faculty member for all public institutions of higher educa-  
18 tion.”.

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