

HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 2723

By COMMITTEE ON HEALTH CARE

March 14

1 Delete lines 4 through 10 of the printed bill and insert:

2 “**SECTION 1.** (1) As used in this section, ‘hippotherapy’ means the use of equine move-
3 ment as a treatment tool by physical or occupational therapists or speech-language
4 pathologists.

5 “(2) The Health Evidence Review Commission shall consider the therapeutic and clinical
6 effectiveness and the cost-effectiveness of hippotherapy as a treatment tool to determine if
7 hippotherapy meets the criteria for inclusion in the prioritized list of health services or in
8 the clinical practice guidelines developed and maintained by the commission in accordance
9 with ORS 414.690.

10 “(3) No later than December 31, 2017, the commission shall report its findings under
11 subsection (2) of this section to the interim committees of the Legislative Assembly related
12 to health.

13 “**SECTION 2.** Section 1 of this 2017 Act is repealed on January 2, 2019.”.
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