

## HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 2729

By COMMITTEE ON HIGHER EDUCATION AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

March 31

1 In line 5 of the printed bill, delete “Section 2 of this 2017 Act is” and insert “Sections 2 to 4  
2 of this 2017 Act are”.

3 After line 6, insert:

4 **“SECTION 2. ORS 348.750 to 348.757 shall be known and may be cited as Oregon’s Open  
5 Educational Resources (OER) Program.”.**

6 In line 7, delete “2” and insert “3” and delete “work regularly” and insert “collaborate”.

7 In line 11, delete “; and” and insert a period.

8 Delete lines 12 and 13 and insert:

9 “(2) Increase the number of open educational resources that are:

10 “(a) Used in courses at public universities listed in ORS 352.002 and community colleges; and

11 “(b) Transferable between public universities listed in ORS 352.002 and community colleges.

12 “(3) Convene, as necessary for the purpose of enhancing the use and effectiveness of open edu-  
13 cational resources:

14 “(a) Faculty from public universities listed in ORS 352.002;

15 “(b) Faculty from community colleges; and

16 “(c) Outside experts.”.

17 In line 14, delete “3” and insert “4”.

18 In line 15, delete “the open educational resources program” and insert “Oregon’s Open Educa-  
19 tional Resources (OER) Program”.

20 In line 16, delete “by February 15,”.

21 In line 17, delete “2019” and insert “during each regular session of the Legislative Assembly  
22 held during an odd-numbered year”.

23 In line 19, delete “and”.

24 In line 21, delete the period and insert a semicolon.

25 After line 21, insert:

26 “(3) An evaluation of existing barriers preventing the approval of more open educational re-  
27 sources;

28 “(4) A description of student evaluations of the program; and

29 “(5) An evaluation of the impact of collaboration with open educational resources programs op-  
30 erated in other states.”.

31 Delete lines 22 through 25 and insert:

32 **“SECTION 5. In addition to and not in lieu of any other appropriation, there is appro-  
33 priated to the Higher Education Coordinating Commission, for the biennium beginning July  
34 1, 2017, out of the General Fund, the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ for the purposes of hiring an open  
35 educational resource specialist under ORS 348.753 and for carrying out Oregon’s Open Edu-**

- 1 **ational Resources (OER) Program.”.**
  - 2       In line 26, delete “5” and insert “6”.
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