

SENATE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 1054

By COMMITTEE ON VETERANS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS

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1 Delete lines 4 through 11 of the printed bill and insert:

2 **“SECTION 1. (1) As used in this section:**

3 **“(a) ‘Active duty service members’ means individuals who are in full-time duty status in**
4 **the active uniformed service of the United States, including members of the National Guard**
5 **or the military reserve forces who are on active duty orders pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 1209 and**
6 **1211 and members described in 32 U.S.C. 502(f).**

7 **“(b) ‘Hospital’ has the meaning given that term in ORS 442.015.**

8 **“(c) ‘Veterans’ means individuals whose medical care is reimbursed by the United States**
9 **Department of Defense through TRICARE or by the United States Department of Veterans**
10 **Affairs through section 101 of the Veterans Access, Choice, and Accountability Act of 2014**
11 **(P.L. 113-146).**

12 **“(2) Notwithstanding ORS 442.315 (9)(i) and (j), a hospital is exempt from the require-**
13 **ments of ORS 442.315 with respect to the construction of new hospitals or facilities or the**
14 **expansion of the hospital’s existing capacity to provide inpatient or outpatient mental health**
15 **and chemical dependency services to veterans and active duty service members and their**
16 **dependents.**

17 **“(3) A hospital that constructs a new hospital or facility or expands the hospital’s exist-**
18 **ing capacity under subsection (2) of this section shall, for eight years after the construction**
19 **or expansion is completed, continue to use the new hospital or facility or the expanded ca-**
20 **capacity to provide inpatient or outpatient mental health and chemical dependency services to**
21 **veterans and active duty service members and their dependents, unless the Oregon Health**
22 **Authority approves a certificate of need under ORS 442.315 for the change in use.**

23 **“(4) This section applies to the construction of new hospitals or facilities and to the ex-**
24 **pansion of existing capacity beginning on or after the effective date of this 2017 Act and be-**
25 **fore the date that is two years after the effective date of this 2017 Act.**

26 **“SECTION 2. Section 1 of this 2017 Act is repealed on December 31, 2028.”.**

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