

SENATE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 795

By COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

April 21

1 Delete lines 4 through 12 of the printed bill and insert:

2 **“SECTION 1. (1) Upon a sexual assault victim’s decision to participate in a medical as-**
3 **essment, as soon as practicable and in a manner consistent with the county’s sexual assault**
4 **response team protocols adopted under ORS 147.401 and the protocols and procedures of the**
5 **county multidisciplinary child abuse teams described in ORS 418.747, the provider of the**
6 **medical assessment or, if applicable, a law enforcement officer shall contact a victim advo-**
7 **cate and make reasonable efforts to ensure that the victim advocate is present and available**
8 **at the medical facility in which the medical assessment occurs.**

9 **“(2) A victim advocate contacted under subsection (1) of this section:**

10 **“(a) Shall clearly inform the victim that the victim may decline the services of the victim**
11 **advocate at any time; and**

12 **“(b) May not impede the medical assessment, the provision of medical services to the**
13 **victim or the collection of evidence.**

14 **“(3) As used in this section, ‘medical assessment’ has the meaning given that term in**
15 **ORS 147.395.”.**

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