Senate Bill 948

Sponsored by COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES

SUMMARY

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Prohibits employment by publicly funded residential facility of individual found to have committed type of abuse that is disqualifying under rules adopted by Department of Human Services.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

2 Relating to employment in a residential facility.

3 Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:

4 **<u>SECTION 1.</u>** (1) As used in this section:

5 (a) "Abuse" has the meaning given that term in ORS 430.735.

6 (b) "Residential facility" has the meaning given that term in ORS 443.400.

7 (2) The Department of Human Services shall adopt rules to specify the types of abuse
8 that disqualify an individual from working at a residential facility.

9 (3) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, if the department substantiates

10 allegations of abuse as specified under subsection (2) of this section, the individual found to

11 have committed the abuse may not be hired or retained as an employee at a residential fa-

12 cility that is funded in whole or in part by public funds.

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