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Requested by SENATE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO A-ENGROSSED SENATE BILL 59

1 On <u>page 1</u> of the printed A-engrossed bill, line 2, after the semicolon in-2 sert "creating new provisions; amending ORS 125.085;".

In line 5, after "section" insert "and ORS 125.085".

4 On page 3, after line 6, insert:

5 **"SECTION 3.** ORS 125.085 is amended to read:

"125.085. (1) The court may remove a fiduciary on the motion of any person who is entitled to file an objection to a petition under the provisions of
ORS 125.075, on a motion of the Long Term Care Ombudsman or upon
the court's own motion.

"(2) On motion of the fiduciary, the court may accept the resignation of the fiduciary and make any other order that may be appropriate, including appointment of a successor fiduciary.

"(3) Upon motion by any person who is entitled to file an objection to a petition under the provisions of ORS 125.075, on a motion of the Long Term Care Ombudsman or upon the court's own motion, the court may order a modification of the powers or authority of the fiduciary or termination of the protective proceedings.

"(4)(a) When the Long Term Care Ombudsman files a motion under
 this section, the ombudsman shall disclose to the court only:

20 "(A) Such information as is allowed under ORS 441.407; and

21 "(B) The minimum amount of protected information about the

resident who is the subject of the motion that the ombudsman believes
in good faith is reasonably necessary to prevent or lessen a serious and
imminent threat to the health or safety of a resident of a long term
care facility, residential facility or adult foster home.

5 "(b) Any protected information disclosed by the ombudsman under 6 this subsection shall remain confidential and must be identified and 7 marked by the ombudsman as confidential and protected information 8 that is subject to the requirements of this subsection.

9 "(c) Protected information disclosed under this subsection is subject 10 to inspection only by the parties to the proceeding and their attorneys 11 as provided in paragraph (d) of this subsection. Protected information 12 disclosed under this subsection is not subject to inspection by mem-13 bers of the public except pursuant to a court order entered after a 14 showing of good cause.

"(d) The court may enter an order allowing inspection of protected
 information subject to disclosure under this subsection upon the filing
 of a written request for inspection and the payment of any fees or
 costs charged to copy the protected information.

"(e) Notwithstanding ORS 125.155 (4), to the extent that the report of a visitor appointed by the court under ORS 125.150 contains protected information that is subject to the requirements of this subsection, the report in its entirety shall be considered subject to the requirements of this subsection and may be disclosed only as provided in paragraphs (c) and (d) of this subsection.".

- In line 7, delete "3" and insert "4".
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