

Requested by SENATE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH CARE

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO  
SENATE BILL 485**

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, delete lines 25 through 31 and delete page  
2 2 and insert:

3 “(3)(a) The provisions of subsections (1) and (2) of this section do not  
4 apply to:

5 “(A) A nonprofit corporation that is organized under Oregon law to pro-  
6 vide medical services to migrant, rural, homeless or other medically under-  
7 served populations under 42 U.S.C. 254b or 254c, as in effect on the effective  
8 date of this 2017 Act;

9 “(B) A health center that is qualified under 42 U.S.C. 1396d(1)(2)(B), as  
10 in effect on the effective date of this 2017 Act, that operates in compliance  
11 with other applicable state or federal law; or

12 “(C) Except as provided in paragraph (b) of this subsection, a for-profit  
13 or nonprofit business entity that is incorporated or organized under the laws  
14 of this state, that provides the entirety of the business entity’s medical ser-  
15 vices through one or more rural health clinics, as defined in 42 U.S.C. 1395x,  
16 as in effect on the effective date of this 2017 Act, and that operates in com-  
17 pliance with state and federal laws that apply to rural health clinics.

18 “(b) A business entity is exempt under this subsection for a period of up  
19 to one year after the business entity establishes a rural health clinic, even  
20 though the rural health clinic that the business entity establishes does not  
21 meet all of the elements of the definition set forth in 42 U.S.C. 1395x, as in

1 effect on the effective date of this 2017 Act, if during the one-year period an  
2 applicable certification for the rural health clinic is pending.”.

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