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Requested by HOUSE COMMITTEE ON EARLY CHILDHOOD AND FAMILY SUPPORTS

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
HOUSE BILL 3066**

1 In line 2 of the printed bill, after the semicolon delete the rest of the line
2 and insert “amending ORS 329A.703, 329A.706 and 329A.712; repealing ORS
3 329A.709, 329A.715 and 329A.718; and prescribing an effective date.”.

4 Delete lines 4 through 14 and insert:

5 **“SECTION 1.** ORS 329A.703 is amended to read:

6 “329A.703. (1) The Office of Child Care[, *in collaboration with an advisory*
7 *committee established by the office,*] shall establish a program to:

8 “(a) Allocate tax credit certificates to taxpayers that make qualified
9 contributions to the Office of Child Care; and

10 “(b) Distribute to child care providers moneys from qualified contribu-
11 tions and other contributions.

12 “(2) The purposes of the program are to:

13 “(a) Encourage taxpayers to make contributions to the Office of Child
14 Care by providing a financial return on qualified contributions and by so-
15 liciting other contributions.

16 “(b) Achieve specific and measurable goals for targeted communities and
17 populations.

18 “[*(c) Set standards for the child care industry concerning the cost of pro-*
19 *viding quality, affordable child care.*]

20 “[*(d)*] **(c)** Strengthen the viability and [*continuity*] **improve the profes-**
21 **sional development** of child care providers.

1 **“SECTION 2.** ORS 329A.706 is amended to read:

2 “329A.706. (1) For the purpose of implementing the program established
3 under ORS 329A.703, the Early Learning Council, in collaboration with [*an*
4 *advisory committee established by the council and*] the Office of Child Care,
5 shall:

6 “(a) Adopt rules.

7 “(b) Identify child care goals that are consistent with the purposes pro-
8 vided in ORS 329A.703 (2). The goals identified under this paragraph shall
9 take into account state resources and needs.

10 “(2)(a) The Office of Child Care shall issue tax credit certificates in the
11 chronological order in which the contributions are received by the office.
12 The office shall issue tax credit certificates to contributors until the total
13 value of all certificates issued by the office for the calendar year equals
14 \$500,000. Each issued certificate shall state the value of the contribution
15 being certified as eligible for the tax credit allowed under ORS 315.213.

16 “(b) The Office of Child Care may not issue a tax credit certificate to a
17 taxpayer to the extent the credit value to be certified, when added to the
18 total credit value previously certified by the office under paragraph (a) of
19 this subsection for the calendar year exceeds \$500,000.

20 “(c) The Office of Child Care shall send a copy of all tax credit certif-
21 icates issued under this section to the Department of Revenue.

22 “(d) Qualified contributions shall be deposited in the Child Care Fund.

23 “(3) A taxpayer that receives a notice of denial of a tax credit certificate
24 or that receives a tax credit certificate issued for an amount that is less than
25 the amount contributed may request a refund for the amount contributed
26 within 90 days of the denial or issuance of the certificate by the Office of
27 Child Care. The Office of Child Care must send notice of a denial or
28 changed amount and refund the amount for which a tax credit will not be
29 granted within 30 days after receiving the request. The refund shall be made
30 from the Child Care Fund.

1 “(4) The Early Learning Council may establish by rule any other pro-
2 visions required to implement the program established under ORS 329A.700
3 to 329A.718.

4 **“SECTION 3.** ORS 329A.712 is amended to read:

5 “329A.712. (1) The Office of Child Care shall distribute revenues in the
6 Child Care Fund that are derived from contributions, minus the amounts
7 needed to make refunds under ORS 329A.706 (3) and to cover expenses of the
8 Office of Child Care in administering ORS 329A.700 to 329A.718.

9 “(2) Revenues shall be disbursed to child care providers consistent with
10 rules adopted by the Early Learning Council.

11 “(3) Distributions shall be made to child care providers in the proportion
12 that the Office of Child Care determines [*by rule*] best promotes the provision
13 of high quality child care in this state.

14 **“SECTION 4.** ORS 329A.709, 329A.715 and 329A.718 are repealed.

15 **“SECTION 5.** This 2017 Act takes effect on the 91st day after the
16 date on which the 2017 regular session of the Seventy-ninth Legislative
17 Assembly adjourns sine die.”.

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