

## HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO A-ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL 4035

By JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

March 2

- 1 On page 1 of the printed A-engrossed bill, delete lines 6 through 27.
- 2 On page 2, delete lines 1 through 6 and insert:
- 3 **“SECTION 2. (1) As used in this section:**
- 4 **“(a) ‘Community college’ means a community college operated under ORS chapter 341.**
- 5 **“(b) ‘Good standing’ means the qualified student has a cumulative grade point average**  
6 **of 2.0 or higher at the community college or public university listed in ORS 352.002 at which**  
7 **the student is enrolled.**
- 8 **“(c) ‘Qualified student’ means a student who:**
- 9 **“(A) Has not achieved a baccalaureate or higher degree from any post-secondary insti-**  
10 **tution;**
- 11 **“(B) Is enrolled and in good standing in an:**
- 12 **“(i) Associate degree granting program at a community college; or**
- 13 **“(ii) Undergraduate baccalaureate degree granting program at a public university listed**  
14 **in ORS 352.002;**
- 15 **“(C) Is a member of the Oregon National Guard;**
- 16 **“(D) Has completed basic training with the Oregon National Guard or a National Guard**  
17 **of any other state or territory;**
- 18 **“(E) Has completed and submitted the Free Application for Federal Student Aid for each**  
19 **academic year, if eligible to file the application; and**
- 20 **“(F) Has accepted all state and federal aid grants available to the student, including but**  
21 **not limited to federal grants offered by the United States Department of Education and the**  
22 **United States Department of Defense.**
- 23 **“(2) A qualified student shall receive a grant under this section in an amount that equals**  
24 **the resident tuition charges at the community college or public university listed in ORS**  
25 **352.002 at which the qualified student is enrolled, after the amount of resident tuition is re-**  
26 **duced by any amounts received by the qualified student in state and federal aid grants.**  
27 **Grants provided under this section shall be awarded to a qualified student for up to:**
- 28 **“(a) 90 credit hours at a community college; or**
- 29 **“(b) 180 credit hours at a public university listed in ORS 352.002.**
- 30 **“(3) The Higher Education Coordinating Commission shall adopt any rules necessary for**  
31 **the administration of this section, including but not limited to any requirements related to:**
- 32 **“(a) Specifying the form and timelines for submitting an application for a grant under**  
33 **this section;**
- 34 **“(b) Determining whether a person is eligible for a grant under this section; and**
- 35 **“(c) Prescribing grant calculations for qualified students dually enrolled in a community**

1 college and a public university.

2 **“SECTION 3. Section 2 of this 2018 Act first applies to grants awarded for the 2018-2019**  
3 **academic year.**

4 **“SECTION 4. (1) There is appropriated to the Higher Education Coordinating Commis-**  
5 **sion, for the biennium ending June 30, 2019, out of the General Fund, the amount of**  
6 **\$2,500,000 for the purpose of providing grants for Oregon National Guard members under**  
7 **section 2 of this 2018 Act.**

8 **“(2) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the General Fund appropriation made**  
9 **to the Higher Education Coordinating Commission by section 1 (1), chapter 595, Oregon Laws**  
10 **2017, for the biennium ending June 30, 2019, is increased by \$200,095 for costs related to the**  
11 **grant program established in section 2 of this 2018 Act.”.**

12 In line 7, delete “4” and insert “5”.

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