SENATE AMENDMENTS TO **SENATE BILL 1554**

By COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

February 13

1	In line 10 of the printed bill, after "individual," insert "other than means-tested state financial
2	aid for higher education,".
3	After line 15, insert:
4	"SECTION 3. (1) The Higher Education Coordinating Commission, in consultation with
5	the State Treasurer, public universities and community colleges, shall conduct a study of:
6	"(a) The potential effects on state and institutional financial aid programs, including ad-
7	ministrative and financial effects, of excluding amounts in accounts established under ORS
8	178.300 to 178.355 for higher education expenses from determinations of expected family
9	contributions to higher education expenses; and
10	"(b) Policies that may be implemented to incentivize Oregon families at or below median
11	adjusted gross income to increase rates of savings for higher education expenses.
12	"(2) The commission shall prepare a report on its findings, including any recommen-
13	dations for legislation, and shall submit the report to the Legislative Assembly in the manner
14	provided under ORS 192.245 no later than December 1, 2018.".
15	In line 16, delete "3" and insert "4".
16	In line 18, delete "4" and insert "5".
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