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TO: House Interim Committee on Judiciary

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RE: 2020 Committee Concepts

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LC 202: Expands membership of the Public Defense Services Commission (PDSC) from seven to nine members. Requires the adoption of specific policies by the PDSC for contracting with public defense providers. Requires a report back to the legislature by September 1, 2020. Declares emergency; effective upon passage.

LC 204: Requires hospitals and ambulatory surgical centers to use smoke evacuation systems during surgeries likely to generate surgical smoke. Directs the Department of Consumer and Business Services to confirm compliance during inspections. Adds definitions. At the request of the Association of periOperative Registered Nurses, Oregon State Council of periOperative Nurses, Oregon Federation of Nurses & Health Professionals, and Oregon Nurses Association.

LC 210: Creates mandatory presumptive sentence range for unlawful delivery of a controlled substance when use of the controlled substance was a factor in causing the death of another person. Provides exceptions for departure from mandatory sentence. Requires imposition of certain conditions of supervised probation for any departure sentence allowed under this section.