

SENATE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 17

By COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

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- 1 On page 1 of the printed bill, line 7, before “members” insert “voting”.
- 2 Delete lines 13 through 16 and insert:
- 3 “(b) In making appointments under paragraph (a) of this subsection, each appointing authority
- 4 shall:
- 5 “(A) Appoint at least one member who has direct experience interacting with students; and
- 6 “(B) Attempt to select members who reflect diverse perspectives, including diverse racial and
- 7 ethnic groups, regions of the state, languages spoken and tribal affinity or membership.
- 8 “(c) In addition to members appointed under paragraph (a) of this subsection, the Higher Edu-
- 9 cation Coordinating Commission shall appoint one nonvoting member who is a representative of a
- 10 post-secondary institution of education described in ORS 348.597 (2).”.
- 11 On page 2, delete lines 23 and 24 and insert:
- 12 “(d) Must consult with students who have experienced a transition between different public high
- 13 schools in this state or a transition from a public high school in this state to a post-secondary in-
- 14 stitution of education in this state.”.
- 15 In line 25, before “members” insert “voting”.
- 16 In line 27, before “members” insert “voting”.
- 17 In line 29, before “members” insert “voting”.
- 18 In line 33, before “members” insert “voting”.
- 19 Delete page 3.
- 20 On page 4, delete lines 1 through 22 and insert:
- 21 “**SECTION 2.** Section 1 of this 2019 Act is amended to read:
- 22 “**Sec. 1.** (1) The Task Force on the Implementation of Electronic Transcripts in High School is
- 23 established.
- 24 “(2)(a) The task force consists of 12 voting members appointed as follows:
- 25 “(A) The Superintendent of Public Instruction shall appoint six members. [*One of the members*
- 26 *must be appointed in consultation with the Chief Education Office.*]
- 27 “(B) The executive director of the Higher Education Coordinating Commission shall appoint six
- 28 members. [*One of the members must be appointed in consultation with the Chief Education Office.*]
- 29 “(b) In making appointments under paragraph (a) of this subsection, each appointing authority
- 30 shall:
- 31 “(A) Appoint at least one member who has direct experience interacting with students; and
- 32 “(B) Attempt to select members who reflect diverse perspectives, including diverse racial and
- 33 ethnic groups, regions of the state, languages spoken and tribal affinity or membership.
- 34 “(c) In addition to members appointed under paragraph (a) of this subsection, the Higher Edu-
- 35 cation Coordinating Commission shall appoint one nonvoting member who is a representative of a

1 post-secondary institution of education described in ORS 348.597 (2).

2 “(3) The task force shall determine how to implement a system that provides electronic tran-
3 scripts to students in the public high schools of this state. When making the determination, the task
4 force:

5 “(a) Must consider how electronic transcripts can be used to promote the following goals:

6 “(A) Improve students’ abilities to track credits earned through accelerated college credit pro-
7 grams;

8 “(B) Increase students’ access to financial aid;

9 “(C) Provide equitable access to academic advising and admission counseling; and

10 “(D) Provide equitable access to college and career planning to underserved students and stu-
11 dents from rural communities.

12 “(b) Must identify:

13 “(A) Implications for schools and school districts in providing electronic transcripts to high
14 school students and graduates under an electronic transcript system when the system is being ini-
15 tiated and maintained;

16 “(B) The costs and benefits of an electronic transcript system for students, families, schools,
17 school districts and post-secondary institutions of education, including the use of electronic tran-
18 scripts as one measure for the placement of students into college-level courses;

19 “(C) Data that can be tracked or questions that could be answered through the state longitudi-
20 nal data system if the system is enhanced with data from the electronic transcript system;

21 “(D) Potential benefits and uses of an electronic transcript system for youth development initi-
22 atives, including programs that promote career readiness;

23 “(E) Other known electronic transcript systems, including systems in other states, and the ef-
24 fectiveness of those systems;

25 “(F) Potential public or private partnerships that could be allowed under the electronic tran-
26 scription system and other potential features of the system that would allow the system to be self-
27 sustaining;

28 “(G) Statutory and administrative rule changes necessary to implement the electronic transcript
29 system and timelines for phasing in the system;

30 “(H) Estimates of the cost to link the electronic transcript system with the state longitudinal
31 data system; and

32 “(I) Mechanisms by which student privacy interests can be protected.

33 “(c) Must emphasize efficiencies that may be provided by an electronic transcript system to the
34 state longitudinal data system and elements of the electronic transcript system that may increase
35 the functionality of the state longitudinal data system.

36 “(d) Must consult with students who have experienced a transition between different public high
37 schools in this state or a transition from a public high school in this state to a post-secondary in-
38 stitution of education in this state.

39 “(4) A majority of the voting members of the task force constitutes a quorum for the transaction
40 of business.

41 “(5) Official action by the task force requires the approval of a majority of the voting members
42 of the task force.

43 “(6) The task force shall elect one of its voting members to serve as chairperson.

44 “(7) If there is a vacancy for any cause, the appointing authority shall make an appointment to
45 become immediately effective.

1 “(8) The task force shall meet at times and places specified by the call of the chairperson or of
2 a majority of the voting members of the task force.

3 “(9) The task force may adopt rules necessary for the operation of the task force.

4 “(10) The task force shall submit a report, which may include recommendations for legislation,
5 to an interim committee of the Legislative Assembly related to education no later than December
6 1, 2019.

7 “(11) The Higher Education Coordinating Commission[,] **and** the Department of Education [*and*
8 *the Chief Education Office*] shall provide staff support to the task force.

9 “(12) Members of the task force are not entitled to compensation or reimbursement for expenses
10 and serve as volunteers on the task force.

11 “(13) All agencies of state government, as defined in ORS 174.111, are directed to assist the task
12 force in the performance of duties of the task force and, to the extent permitted by laws relating to
13 confidentiality, to furnish information and advice the members of the task force consider necessary
14 to perform their duties.”.

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