

Requested by Representative BONHAM

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
SENATE BILL 935**

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, line 5, delete “Section 2 of this 2019 Act
2 is” and insert “Sections 2, 4 and 5 of this 2019 Act are”.

3 On page 2, after line 8, insert:

4 **“SECTION 4. The Landscape Contractors Board Scholarship Ac-
5 count is established in the State Treasury, separate and distinct from
6 the General Fund. Interest earned by the account must be credited to
7 the account. The account consists of moneys deposited in the account
8 under section 5 of this 2019 Act and may include moneys appropriated,
9 allocated, deposited or transferred to the account by the Legislative
10 Assembly or otherwise and interest earned on moneys in the account.
11 The moneys in the account are continuously appropriated to the State
12 Landscape Contractors Board to be used to provide scholarships and
13 grants under section 5 of this 2019 Act.**

14 **“SECTION 5. (1) The State Landscape Contractors Board shall es-
15 tablish a scholarship program to provide financial assistance to indi-
16 viduals seeking to apply for, obtain or maintain a landscape
17 construction professional license under ORS 671.570, a limited or spe-
18 cialty license under ORS 671.560 or a probationary license under ORS
19 671.571.**

20 **“(2) The board may accept gifts and grants from private and public
21 sources for the purpose of providing scholarships and grants under the**

1 scholarship program. The board shall deposit any gifts and grants re-
2 ceived in the Landscape Contractors Board Scholarship Account es-
3 tablished under section 4 of this 2019 Act.

4 “(3) The board shall establish by rule the application process, eligi-
5 bility and criteria for awarding scholarships and grants under this
6 section. Scholarships and grants shall be awarded on the basis of an
7 individual’s need for financial assistance and in accordance with rules
8 and regulations adopted by the board.

9 “(4) Scholarships and grants awarded under this section may be
10 used to defray, in part or in whole:

11 “(a) Application fees;

12 “(b) Examination fees;

13 “(c) Licensing fees;

14 “(d) Continuing education and coursework costs;

15 “(e) Travel and lodging costs associated with taking the qualifying
16 examination or continuing education or coursework; and

17 “(f) As the board establishes by rule, other fees or costs.”.

18 In line 9, delete “4” and insert “6”.

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