Senate Bill 234

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SUMMARY

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Directs Department of Corrections to consider certain education programs as qualifying programs for purposes of monetary performance reward system offered to adults in custody.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to educational programs for adults in custody.

Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:

SECTION 1. To the extent permitted by Article I, section 41, of the Oregon Constitution, the Department of Corrections shall consider an educational program to be a qualifying program for the purposes of any monetary performance reward program offered to adults in custody by the department if:

(1) The program consists of training for approved high school equivalency tests such as the General Educational Development (GED), or a post-secondary education program; and

(2) The program is approved by the Higher Education Coordinating Commission.

NOTE: Matter in boldfaced type in an amended section is new; matter [italic and bracketed] is existing law to be omitted. New sections are in boldfaced type.

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