A-Engrossed
Senate Bill 820
Ordered by the Senate April 23
Including Senate Amendments dated April 23
Sponsored by COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY AND BALLOT MEASURE 110 IMPLEMENTATION

SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure.

Removes exception from regulation by Sexual Offense Treatment Board for certain persons.
Appropriates moneys out of General Fund to Oregon Youth Authority for specified purposes.
Declares emergency, effective on passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT
Relating to sexual offense treatment; creating new provisions; amending ORS 675.382; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. ORS 675.382 is amended to read:

675.382. ORS 675.365 to 675.410 do not apply to:

(1) A student enrolled in an approved educational program who is pursuing a graduate degree in a mental health field, if the student provides sexual abuse specific treatment services only for academic credit as part of an organized and supervised training program.

[(2) A person employed by a local, state or federal government agency, community mental health program or drug and alcohol treatment program licensed or certified in this state, if the person's activities and services are performed and provided within the person's scope of employment.]

[(3)] (2) A person who is a recognized member of the clergy, if the person is acting in the person's capacity as a member of the clergy.

SECTION 2. There is appropriated to the Oregon Youth Authority, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2021, out of the General Fund, the amount of $_______ for the purpose of carrying out the amendments to ORS 675.382 by section 1 of this 2021 Act.

SECTION 3. (1) The amendments to ORS 675.382 by section 1 of this 2021 Act become operative on May 31, 2022.

(2) The Sexual Offense Treatment Board and an agency described in ORS 675.382 may take any action before the operative date specified in subsection (1) of this section that is necessary for the board or agency to exercise, on or after the operative date specified in subsection (1) of this section, all of the duties, functions and powers conferred on the board and agency by the amendments to ORS 675.382 by section 1 of this 2021 Act.

SECTION 4. This 2021 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2021 Act takes effect on its passage.

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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