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To: Education Subcommittee

From: Kim To, Legislative Fiscal Office

Date: June 1, 2023

Subject: SB 490 – Relating to family medicine residency training programs
Work Session Recommendations

SB 490 provides funding to the Area Health Education program of Oregon Health and Science University (OHSU) to support the Oregon Academy of Family Physicians. The measure allows the moneys to be used by the academy to: [1] promote family medicine residency training programs; [2] increase training for residents in maternal and reproductive health care; and [3] develop programming for family medicine residency training program directors, faculty and residents. The measure authorizes the Area Health Education Center to use up to 5% of allocated funds for administrative expenses.

The measure previously had a hearing in the Senate Committee on Health Care on 3/1/2023 and 3/27/2023 and was reported out with a do pass recommendation.

Recommended Changes

The –A4 amendment appropriates \$1.5 million General Fund to the Higher Education Coordinating Commission to distribute to OHSU to carry out the provisions of the measure.

LFO recommends adoption of the –A4 amendment.

MOTION: I move adoption of the dash A4 amendment to SB 490. (VOTE)

Final Subcommittee Action

LFO recommends that SB 490, as amended by the –A4 amendment, be moved to the Ways and Means Full Committee.

MOTION: I move SB 490, as amended, to the Full Committee with a do pass recommendation. (VOTE)

Carriers

Full Committee: _____

House Floor: _____

Senate Floor: _____