On page 1 of the printed bill, delete lines 4 through 30.
Delete page 2 and insert:

“SECTION 1. (1) For the purposes of this section:
   (a) ‘Participant’ means an employee of the Oregon Youth Authority who engages in a
   peer support check-in session or who communicates with a peer support team member about
   engaging in a peer support check-in session.
   (b) ‘Peer support check-in session’ means a meeting between a participant and a peer
   support team member to provide emotional and moral support for the participant.
   (c) ‘Peer support communication’ means a communication made by a participant or peer
   support team member during a peer support check-in session and any communication made
   by a peer support team member or participant to facilitate or to follow up on a peer support
   check-in session.
   (d) ‘Peer support team member’ means a person described in subsection (3) of this sec-
   tion.
   (2) Peer support communications are confidential and may not be disclosed by the peer
   support team member.
   (3) The provisions of this section apply only to peer support check-in sessions conducted
   by a person who:
   (a) Has been designated by the youth authority to act as a peer support team member;
   (b) Has received training in providing emotional and moral support, intervening and
   mentoring through crises and assessing and referring to services for juvenile corrections
   personnel who have been involved in emotionally traumatic incidents; and
   (c) Receives annual continuing education.
   (4) Peer support communications are not public records for the purpose of ORS 192.311
   to 192.478.
   (5)(a) Peer support communications are not admissible in any judicial proceeding, ad-
   ministrative proceeding, arbitration proceeding or other adjudicatory proceeding. Communications
   and information made confidential under this section may not be disclosed by the
   peer support team member in any judicial proceeding, administrative proceeding, arbitration
   proceeding or other adjudicatory proceeding.
   (b) The limitations on disclosure imposed by paragraph (a) of this subsection:
   (A) Include disclosure during any discovery conducted as part of an adjudicatory pro-
   ceeding.
   (B) Do not apply if the participant has expressly consented to the disclosure.
   (6) Nothing in this section limits the discovery or introduction in evidence of knowledge
acquired by youth authority personnel from observation made during the course of employ-
ment, or material or information acquired during the course of employment, that is other-
wise subject to discovery or introduction in evidence.

“(7) This section does not apply to:

“(a) Any threat of suicide or homicide made by a participant in a peer support check-in
session, or any information conveyed in a peer support check-in session relating to a threat
of suicide or homicide;

“(b) Any information relating to abuse of children or of the elderly, or other information
that is required to be reported by law; or

“(c) Any admission of criminal conduct that occurs in a youth authority work location
or while performing official duties.

“(8) Notwithstanding subsection (2) of this section, nothing in this section prohibits any
communications between peer support team members who conduct peer support check-in
sessions.”.