

HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 4010

By COMMITTEE ON BEHAVIORAL HEALTH AND HEALTH CARE

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- 1 On page 2 of the printed bill, delete lines 6 through 15 and insert:
2 “**NOTE:** Section 3 was deleted by amendment. Subsequent sections were not renumbered.”
3 On page 6, delete lines 41 through 45.
4 On page 7, delete lines 1 through 10 and insert:
5 “**NOTE:** Sections 6 and 7 were deleted by amendment. Subsequent sections were not renum-
6 bered.”
7 On page 8, delete lines 35 through 45.
8 On page 9, delete lines 1 through 12 and insert:
9 “**NOTE:** Sections 12 and 13 were deleted by amendment. Subsequent sections were not renum-
10 bered.”
11 On page 38, after line 2, insert:
12 “**SECTION 47a.** ORS 315.616 is amended to read:
13 “315.616. A resident or nonresident individual who is certified as eligible under ORS 442.561,
14 442.562, 442.563 or 442.564, and is licensed as a physician under ORS chapter 677, licensed as a
15 [*physician assistant*] **physician associate** under ORS [*chapter 677*] **677.505 to 677.525**, licensed as a
16 nurse practitioner under ORS [*chapter 678*] **678.375 to 678.390**, licensed as a certified registered
17 nurse anesthetist [*under ORS chapter 678*] **as defined in ORS 678.010**, licensed as a dentist under
18 ORS chapter 679 or licensed as an optometrist under ORS 683.010 to 683.340 is entitled to the tax
19 credit described in ORS 315.613 even if not a member of the hospital medical staff if the Office of
20 Rural Health certifies that the individual:
21 “(1) Is engaged for at least 20 hours per week, averaged over the month, during the tax year in
22 a rural practice; and
23 “(2)(a) If a physician or a [*physician assistant*] **physician associate**, can cause a patient to be
24 admitted to the hospital;
25 “(b) If a certified registered nurse anesthetist, is employed by or has a contractual relationship
26 with one of the hospitals described in ORS 315.613 (1); or
27 “(c) If an optometrist, has consulting privileges with a hospital listed in ORS 315.613 (1). This
28 paragraph does not apply to an optometrist who qualifies as a ‘frontier rural practitioner,’ as defined
29 by the Office of Rural Health.”
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