

HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 5109

By SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON BUDGET

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1 Delete lines 5 through 18 of the printed bill and insert:

2 **“SECTION 1. There is appropriated to the Department of Veterans’ Affairs, for the**
3 **biennium beginning July 1, 2005, out of the General Fund, the amount of \$2,400,721 for pay-**
4 **ment of expenses for services supplied to veterans.**

5 **“SECTION 2. Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the amount of**
6 **\$37,924,816 is established for the biennium beginning July 1, 2005, as the maximum limit for**
7 **payment of expenses from fees, moneys or other revenues, including Miscellaneous Receipts,**
8 **and including the Oregon War Veterans’ Bond Sinking Account, but excluding lottery funds**
9 **and federal funds, collected or received by the Department of Veterans’ Affairs, for admin-**
10 **istration, grants and services supplied to veterans. This section does not limit expenditures**
11 **from the Oregon War Veterans’ Bond Sinking Account for purposes described in section 3**
12 **of this 2005 Act.**

13 **“SECTION 3. For the biennium beginning July 1, 2005, expenditures by the Department**
14 **of Veterans’ Affairs for the following purposes are not limited:**

15 **“(1) Professional services and related costs associated directly with bond sales;**

16 **“(2) Debt service;**

17 **“(3) Loans to veterans; and**

18 **“(4) Payments on behalf of borrowers for property taxes, city liens, fire insurance,**
19 **mortgage cancellation insurance and repairs to and miscellaneous charges for borrower-**
20 **owned property that are charged to the loan account and repaid along with the payment of**
21 **loan interest and principal.**

22 **“SECTION 4. This 2005 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public**
23 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2005 Act takes effect**
24 **July 1, 2005.”**

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