

SENATE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 747

By COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND WORKFORCE

April 26

- 1 In line 2 of the printed bill, after “education” insert “; and declaring an emergency”.
- 2 Delete lines 4 through 17 and insert:
- 3 **“SECTION 1. (1) During the 2005-2007 biennium, the State Board of Higher Education**
- 4 **shall review the long-term viability of the state institutions of higher education listed in ORS**
- 5 **352.002. The board shall study the distribution of the various funding sources for the insti-**
- 6 **tutions, including state funds, federal grants and revenue from endowments and enterprises.**
- 7 **The review shall also include an examination for each institution that includes, but is not**
- 8 **limited to, an examination of:**
- 9 **“(a) The mission statement;**
- 10 **“(b) The budget, income and expenditures;**
- 11 **“(c) The number of faculty and staff members and their salaries or pay rates;**
- 12 **“(d) The rate of faculty and staff turnover;**
- 13 **“(e) The quality, education and training of faculty members;**
- 14 **“(f) The structure and content of the educational programs offered, including the number**
- 15 **of students enrolled in the various educational programs, the rate of graduation for each**
- 16 **program, the need for updating or modifying programs and the relevance of the programs**
- 17 **to the emerging needs of the state;**
- 18 **“(g) Current and projected enrollment through 2015; and**
- 19 **“(h) Tuition increases over the past 10 years and whether the increases have affected**
- 20 **enrollment.**
- 21 **“(2) The board shall issue a report detailing the findings of the review under subsection**
- 22 **(1) of this section no later than February 1, 2007. The board shall report to the Governor, the**
- 23 **Legislative Assembly and each state institution of higher education listed in ORS 352.002. The**
- 24 **report shall include, but not be limited to:**
- 25 **“(a) Projected long-term sustainability of each institution based on board findings;**
- 26 **“(b) Projections of the financial and academic standing of each institution in 2010 and**
- 27 **2015;**
- 28 **“(c) Goals that each institution should work toward to ensure the institution’s long-term**
- 29 **viability; and**
- 30 **“(d) Recommendations for each institution that will enhance the institution’s long-term**
- 31 **viability.**
- 32 **“(3) The board shall implement recommendations in the report issued under subsection**
- 33 **(2) of this section.**
- 34 **“SECTION 2. This 2005 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public**
- 35 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2005 Act takes effect**

1 **July 1, 2005.”**

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