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## PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 3447

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, line 2, after "operations" insert a period and 2 delete the rest of the line and line 3.

3 Delete lines 5 through 30 and delete pages 2 through 6 and insert:

"<u>SECTION 1.</u> (1) As used in this section:

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"(a) 'Floral or ornamental products or services' means floral arrangements, cut flowers, floral bouquets, potted plants, balloons, floral
designs and related products and services.

8 "(b)(A) 'Local telephone number' means a specific telephone num-9 ber, including area code and prefix, assigned for the purpose of com-10 pleting local calls between a calling party or station and any other 11 party or station within a designated exchange and all designated local 12 calling areas.

"(B) 'Local telephone number' does not include long distance tele phone numbers or any toll-free telephone numbers listed in a local
 telephone directory.

"(2) A provider or vendor of floral or ornamental products or ser vices may not misrepresent the geographic location of the provider's
 or vendor's business by doing either of the following:

"(a) Listing a local telephone number in any advertisement or listing, unless the advertisement or listing identifies the true physical
address, including the city and state, of the provider's or vendor's
business.

"(b) Listing a fictitious business name or an assumed business name in any advertisement or listing when both of the following criteria have been met:

4 "(A) The name of the business misrepresents the provider's or 5 vendor's geographic location; and

"(B) The advertisement or listing does not identify the true physical
address, including the city and state, of the provider's or vendor's
business.

9 "(3) This section does not apply to:

"(a) A publisher of a telephone directory or other publication or a
provider of a directory assistance service publishing or providing information about another business;

"(b) An Internet website that aggregates and provides information
 about other businesses;

"(c) An owner or publisher of a print advertising medium providing
 information about other businesses;

17 "(d) An Internet service provider; or

"(e) An Internet service that displays or distributes advertisements
 for other businesses.

"(4)(a) The Director of the Department of Consumer and Business
Services may assess against any person who violates any provision of
this section a civil penalty in an amount of not more than \$250.

"(b) Civil penalties imposed under this subsection shall be imposed
as provided in ORS 183.745.

"(c) All moneys collected under this subsection must be paid to the
State Treasurer and credited as provided in ORS 705.145.

"<u>SECTION 2.</u> Section 1 of this 2013 Act applies to commercial floral
transactions that occur in this state on or after the effective date of
this 2013 Act.".

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