

## HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 3358

By COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

April 21

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, delete lines 4 through 31 and insert:

2 **“SECTION 1. (1) The Department of Education shall convene an advisory group to advise**  
3 **the department regarding English language learner programs.**

4 **“(2) The advisory group must consist of 15 members, including educators, parents,**  
5 **culturally-specific community stakeholders, experts on English language learner policy and**  
6 **experts in collecting and analyzing data. The department shall solicit recommendations from**  
7 **organizations that represent educators, administrators, school district boards and parents**  
8 **when determining membership of the advisory group.**

9 **“(3) The advisory group shall advise the department on the following:**

10 **“(a) The implementation of ORS 327.016 and 336.079 to ensure that the policies and the**  
11 **programmatic and financial components of those statutes align with statewide efforts related**  
12 **to English language learners and with other efforts to serve the public school students of**  
13 **this state.**

14 **“(b) Statewide efforts related to the implementation of federal law to ensure alignment**  
15 **with the implementation efforts of ORS 327.016 and 336.079.**

16 **“(c) The development and implementation of programs to enable students to achieve**  
17 **biliteracy.**

18 **“(d) The development and implementation of a statewide, long-term strategic plan for**  
19 **English language learners in this state.**

20 **“(e) The provision to English language learners of both English language development**  
21 **classes and academic content classes that:**

22 **“(A) Are meaningful and rigorous for English language learners; and**

23 **“(B) Enable English language learners to satisfy the requirements for a high school di-**  
24 **ploma.**

25 **“(f) Institutional support and engagement to ensure that public educators receive ap-**  
26 **propriate professional development opportunities related to English language learners and**  
27 **cultural responsiveness.**

28 **“(g) Ongoing support to be provided to school districts to ensure that English language**  
29 **learners have the resources available to be successful in school and to satisfy the require-**  
30 **ments for a high school diploma.**

31 **“(4) The advisory group shall meet at least four times each year.”.**

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