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Open Government Impact Statement

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Measure: HB 2988

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SUMMARY

Provides that part-time faculty member at public institution of higher education who qualifies for health care benefits will pay 10 percent of insurance premiums for employee coverage. Requires public institutions of higher education to pay for remaining costs of insurance premiums under process established by Oregon Educators Benefit Board. Permits institution to agree through collective bargaining to pay portion of health care benefits paid for by employee.

Provides that unless otherwise agreed through collective bargaining, employees who are eligible to receive health care benefits in manner specified may receive health care benefits from institution only in manner specified. Provides that any savings realized by institution are subject to collective bargaining.

Requires legacy health benefit coverage to be maintained for part-time faculty at institutions who are not eligible for health care benefits under provisions.

Establishes Part-Time Faculty Insurance Fund and continuously appropriates moneys in fund to board.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

NOTICE OF NO OPEN GOVERNMENT IMPACT