

## HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 2575

By COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

April 8

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, line 20, delete “January” and insert “July”.

2 In line 24, delete “January” and insert “July”.

3 On page 2, after line 15, insert:

4 **“SECTION 1a. Sections 2 and 3 of this 2021 Act are added to and made a part of ORS**  
5 **181A.355 to 181A.670.”.**

6 In line 16, delete “2022” and insert “2023”.

7 Delete lines 38 through 42 and insert:

8 **“SECTION 3. Beginning January 1, 2023, the Department of Public Safety Standards and**  
9 **Training shall regularly review and, if necessary, update training on interacting with persons**  
10 **who have experienced trauma, consistent with the model training program developed by the**  
11 **Department of Justice under section 1 of this 2021 Act, for all police officers who enter the**  
12 **training academy operated by the Department of Public Safety Standards and Training.**

13 **“SECTION 4.** Section 1 of this 2021 Act is amended to read:

14 **“Sec. 1.** *[(1) The Department of Justice shall establish a program for awarding grants to law*  
15 *enforcement agencies and local governments to fund training for groups and agencies that interact with*  
16 *persons who have experienced trauma.]*

17 *“[(2) A law enforcement agency or local government may apply for a grant under this section to*  
18 *fund training for law enforcement agencies, district attorneys, sexual assault nurse examiners, emer-*  
19 *gency communications workers, victim advocates or any other group or agency the law enforcement*  
20 *agency or local government determines appropriate for the training. The application may request*  
21 *funding for an established training program provided by an outside entity, or for the development of*  
22 *a training program within the group or agency or in cooperation with other groups or agencies.]*

23 *“[(3) The department shall by rule establish the application process and eligibility criteria for the*  
24 *grant program. At a minimum, the training program for which a law enforcement agency or local*  
25 *government requests funding must be consistent with the model training program described in sub-*  
26 *section (5) of this section.]*

27 *“[(4) The department shall by rule establish the process of awarding grants under this section. No*  
28 *later than July 1, 2023, the department shall award grants in accordance with the rules of the program.*  
29 *When awarding grants under this section, the department shall consider the community partnerships*  
30 *of the group or agency for which the law enforcement agency or local government seeks funding.]*

31 *“[(5) No later than July 1, 2022,] The Department of Justice shall develop a model training*  
32 *program for groups and agencies that interact with persons who have experienced trauma. The*  
33 *model training program must, at a minimum:*

34 *“[(a) (1) Be research-based and take into account the psychological and neurological effects of*  
35 *trauma;*

1 “[b)] (2) Utilize best practices when recommending techniques for interacting with persons who  
2 have experienced trauma;

3 “[c)] (3) Have the objective of minimizing further trauma; and

4 “[d)] (4) Take into account the impact of structural racism and other forms of historical trauma.

5 “[6) *The department shall by rule establish outcome measures to be used for evaluating grant*  
6 *program performance.*]

7 “[7) *In adopting rules under subsections (3) and (4) of this section, and in developing the model*  
8 *training program described in subsection (5) of this section, the department shall consult with subject*  
9 *matter experts from community-based organizations, including organizations that represent individuals*  
10 *who are Black, Indigenous and People of Color (BIPOC).*]

11 “**SECTION 5.** Section 2 of this 2021 Act is amended to read:

12 “**Sec. 2.** (1) [No later than January 1, 2023,] The Department of Public Safety Standards and  
13 Training, in consultation with the Department of Justice, shall develop best practices for law  
14 enforcement agencies when interacting with persons who have experienced trauma.

15 “(2)(a) The best practices developed under this section must offer alternative options for law  
16 enforcement agencies of varying size and resource capacity.

17 “(b) The best practices developed under this section must, at a minimum:

18 “(A) Be research-based and take into account the psychological and neurological effects of  
19 trauma;

20 “(B) Recommend techniques for interacting with persons who have experienced trauma;

21 “(C) Have the objective of minimizing further trauma;

22 “(D) Take into account the impact of structural racism and other forms of historical trauma;

23 “(E) Require law enforcement officers to consider the effects of trauma when working on a case;

24 “(F) Recommend techniques for interviewing persons who have experienced trauma; and

25 “(G) Provide recommendations for writing reports based on interviews with persons who have  
26 experienced trauma.

27 “(3) Law enforcement agencies within this state shall adopt appropriate best practice policies  
28 for interacting with persons who have experienced trauma no later than the date established by the  
29 Department of Public Safety Standards and Training by rule.

30 “(4) The Department of Public Safety Standards and Training shall adopt rules to carry out the  
31 provisions of this section.

32 “**SECTION 6.** Section 3 of this 2021 Act is amended to read:

33 “**Sec. 3.** [Beginning January 1, 2023,] The Department of Public Safety Standards and Training  
34 shall regularly review and, if necessary, update training on interacting with persons who have ex-  
35 perience trauma, consistent with the model training program developed by the Department of Jus-  
36 tice under section 1 of this 2021 Act, for all police officers who enter the training academy operated  
37 by the Department of Public Safety Standards and Training.

38 “**SECTION 7. (1) The amendments to section 1 of this 2021 Act by section 4 of this 2021**  
39 **Act become operative January 1, 2024.**

40 “**(2) The amendments to sections 2 and 3 of this 2021 Act by sections 5 and 6 of this 2021**  
41 **Act become operative January 1, 2023.**”.

42 In line 43, delete “4” and insert “8”.

43 On page 3, line 2, delete “5” and insert “9”.