

Requested by Senator GORSEK

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
SENATE BILL 416**

1 Delete lines 4 through 18 of the printed bill and insert:

2 **“SECTION 1. (1) Each community college operated under ORS**
3 **chapter 341 that offers a form of associate degree, including an Asso-**
4 **ciate of Arts Transfer degree or an Associate of Science Transfer de-**
5 **gree, that either requires or permits a student to take a cluster of**
6 **courses in the social sciences as part of the course of study necessary**
7 **to obtain the associate degree may allow any criminal justice course**
8 **approved by the curriculum committee of the community college to**
9 **count as an eligible course for the social science cluster portion of the**
10 **associate degree.**

11 **“(2) Criminal justice courses that are credited toward completion**
12 **of an Associate of Arts Transfer degree or an Associate of Science**
13 **Transfer degree awarded from a community college must be accepted**
14 **as general education courses by a public university listed in ORS**
15 **352.002.**

16 **“(3) As used in this section:**

17 **“(a) ‘Associate of Arts Transfer degree’ means a lower-division,**
18 **major-specific, undergraduate award:**

19 **“(A) That is issued by a community college to indicate satisfactory**
20 **completion of a course of study that is intended to prepare students**
21 **for transfer to a public university listed in ORS 352.002 and to have**

1 **third-year standing in a specific Bachelor of Arts degree program; and**
2 **“(B) For which the classes, outcomes and completion standards for**
3 **each major-specific program have been defined by a statewide memo-**
4 **randum of understanding between participating community colleges**
5 **and public universities that has been approved by the Higher Educa-**
6 **tion Coordinating Commission and is published on the website of the**
7 **commission.**

8 **“(b) ‘Associate of Science Transfer degree’ means a lower-division,**
9 **major-specific, undergraduate award:**

10 **“(A) That is issued by a community college to indicate satisfactory**
11 **completion of a course of study that is intended to prepare students**
12 **for transfer to a public university listed in ORS 352.002 and to have**
13 **third-year standing in a specific Bachelor of Science degree program;**
14 **and**

15 **“(B) For which the classes, outcomes and completion standards for**
16 **each major-specific program have been defined by a statewide memo-**
17 **randum of understanding between participating community colleges**
18 **and public universities that has been approved by the commission and**
19 **is published on the website of the commission.**

20 **“(4) The commission may enact rules necessary to implement this**
21 **section.”.**

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