SENATE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 1061

By COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

April 13

1	On page 1 of the printed bill, line 2, after the semicolon insert "creating new provisions;
2	amending ORS 475C.939;".
3	Delete lines 24 through 30 and delete page 2 and insert:
4	"SECTION 1. ORS 475C.939 is amended to read:
5	"475C.939. (1) In addition to any other duty prescribed by law, the Oregon Cannabis Commission
6	shall:
7	"[(1)] (a) Provide advice to the Oregon Health Authority with respect to the administration of
8	ORS 475C.770 to 475C.919;
9	"[(2)] (b) Provide advice to the Oregon Liquor and Cannabis Commission with respect to the
10	administration of ORS 475C.005 to 475C.525, insofar as those statutes pertain to registry identifica-
11	tion cardholders and designated primary caregivers, as those terms are defined in ORS 475C.777;
12	"[(3)] (c) Develop a long-term strategic plan for ensuring that cannabis will remain a therapeutic
13	option for persons with debilitating medical conditions as defined in ORS 475C.777;
14	"[(4)] (d) Develop a long-term strategic plan for ensuring that cannabis will remain affordable
15	for persons with debilitating medical conditions as defined in ORS 475C.777; and
16	"[(5)] (e) Monitor and study federal laws, regulations and policies regarding marijuana.
17	"(2) The Oregon Cannabis Commission, the Oregon Health Authority and the Oregon Li-
18	quor and Cannabis Commission shall work collaboratively to:
19	"(a) Determine the optimal framework for the continued governance and administration
20	of ORS 475C.770 to 475C.919 and steps that the state must take, whether administrative or
21	legislative in nature, to continue to provide safe and affordable access to cannabis and
22	cannabis-derived products; and
23	"(b) Once every two years, submit a report in the manner provided in ORS 192.245 to the
24	interim committees of the Legislative Assembly related to health care and the judiciary on
25	the status of the governance and administration of ORS 475C.770 to 475C.919 and the progress
26	the Oregon Cannabis Commission has made, since the immediately preceding report submit-
27	ted as described in this paragraph, in carrying out the commission's duties described in this
28	section and as otherwise determined by the commission. As part of the report described in
29	this paragraph, the commission may make recommendations for legislation.
30	"(3) As necessary to carry out the duties described in subsection (2) of this section, the

Oregon Cannabis Commission may collaborate and consult with the chairpersons of the committees and interim committees of the Legislative Assembly related to health care and

"SECTION 2. The Oregon Cannabis Commission shall first report as described in ORS

the judiciary.

475C.939 not later than September 15, 2024.

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"SECTION 3. This 2023 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2023 Act takes effect on its passage.".

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