

Requested by Senator LIEBER

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
SENATE BILL 582**

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, delete lines 4 through 25 and delete page
2 2 and insert:

3 **“SECTION 1. (1) As used in this section:**

4 **“(a) ‘Electric vehicle charging system’ includes any electrical sys-**
5 **tem or device needed for the delivery of electrical current for the**
6 **purpose of charging one or more electric vehicles.**

7 **“(b) ‘Equivalent training program’ means a registered apprentice-**
8 **ship or continuing education electrician program for the installation**
9 **and maintenance of an electric vehicle charging system that is devel-**
10 **oped in accordance with a national guideline standard approved by the**
11 **United States Department of Labor, in consultation with the United**
12 **States Department of Transportation, and approved by the Electrical**
13 **and Elevator Board.**

14 **“(c) ‘State agency’ means any state office, department, division,**
15 **bureau, board or commission or any other state agency.**

16 **“(2) A state agency that authorizes or funds, in whole or in part,**
17 **the installation of an electric vehicle charging system to be located**
18 **on the customer’s side of the meter shall require as a condition of the**
19 **authorization or funding that:**

20 **“(a) The electric vehicle charging system be installed by a contrac-**
21 **tor or contractors who hold all licenses legally required to perform the**

1 **electrical installation work;**

2 **“(b) One or more electricians who hold an Electric Vehicle**
3 **Infrastructure Training Program or equivalent training program cer-**
4 **tification supervise or participate in the installation work for the pe-**
5 **riods during which electrical installation work is being performed; and**

6 **“(c) An electrical inspector verify that each electrician who is**
7 **supervising or participating in the installation work holds the certif-**
8 **ications required under this subsection.**

9 **“(3) The requirements under this section do not apply to the in-**
10 **stallation of an electric vehicle charging system for a single-family**
11 **dwelling, townhouse or multifamily residential building with four or**
12 **fewer residential units.**

13 **“SECTION 2.** Section 1 of this 2023 Act is amended to read:

14 **“Sec. 1.** (1) As used in this section:

15 **“(a) ‘Electric vehicle charging system’ includes any electrical system or**
16 **device needed for the delivery of electrical current for the purpose of**
17 **charging one or more electric vehicles.**

18 **“(b) ‘Equivalent training program’ means a registered apprenticeship or**
19 **continuing education electrician program for the installation and mainte-**
20 **nance of an electric vehicle charging system that is developed in accordance**
21 **with a national guideline standard approved by the United States Depart-**
22 **ment of Labor, in consultation with the United States Department of Trans-**
23 **portation, and approved by the Electrical and Elevator Board.**

24 **“(c) ‘State agency’ means any state office, department, division, bureau,**
25 **board or commission or any other state agency.**

26 **“(2)(a) A state agency that authorizes or funds, in whole or in part, the**
27 **installation of an electric vehicle charging system to be located on the**
28 **customer’s side of the meter shall require as a condition of the authorization**
29 **or funding that:**

30 **“[(a)] (A) The electric vehicle charging system be installed by a contrac-**

1 tor or contractors who hold all licenses legally required to perform the
2 electrical installation work;

3 “[*b*] (B) One or more electricians who hold an Electric Vehicle
4 Infrastructure Training Program or equivalent training program certification
5 supervise or participate in the installation work for the periods during which
6 electrical installation work is being performed; and

7 “[*c*] (C) An electrical inspector verify that each electrician who is
8 supervising or participating in the installation work holds the certifications
9 required under this subsection.

10 **“(b) In addition to the requirements under paragraph (a) of this**
11 **subsection, when the installation is for an electric vehicle charging**
12 **system to be located on the customer’s side of the meter that will**
13 **supply 25 or more kilowatts to an electric vehicle, the state agency**
14 **shall require that at least 25 percent of electricians who are present**
15 **and working on the installation hold Electric Vehicle Infrastructure**
16 **Training Program or equivalent training program certifications.**

17 “(3) The requirements under this section do not apply to the installation
18 of an electric vehicle charging system for a single-family dwelling,
19 townhouse or multifamily residential building with four or fewer residential
20 units.

21 **“SECTION 3. (1) As used in this section, ‘equivalent training pro-**
22 **gram’ has the meaning given that term in section 1 of this 2023 Act.**

23 **“(2) The Electrical and Elevator Board shall approve the Electric**
24 **Vehicle Infrastructure Training Program (EVITP), and review equiv-**
25 **alent training programs for consideration, as a continuing education**
26 **program that meets the continuing education standards established**
27 **by the board under ORS 479.680 (1).**

28 **“(3)(a) The board shall, on an annual basis, review the cost to take**
29 **the EVITP course and certification exam and request from the EVITP**
30 **provider information on the number of electricians who have signed**

1 up for the course, completed the course and passed the certification
2 exam.

3 “(b) The board may track the aggregate demographic data of
4 electricians who pass the certification exam.

5 “(4) The board may audit the EVITP to ensure that the EVITP in-
6 cludes the most current national electrical codes and best practices for
7 the installation of electrical vehicle charging systems.

8 **“SECTION 4.** (1) As used in this section, ‘equivalent training pro-
9 gram’ has the meaning given that term in section 1 of this 2023 Act.

10 “(2) The Bureau of Labor and Industries shall establish a program
11 to provide one-time grants to reimburse individuals who successfully
12 complete:

13 “(a) The Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Training Program (EVITP)
14 and pass the EVITP certification exam; or

15 “(b) An equivalent training program and pass the equivalent train-
16 ing program certification exam.

17 “(3) The amount of a grant awarded under this section shall be for
18 the cost of the EVITP or equivalent training program course and cer-
19 tification exam actually incurred by the individual.

20 “(4) The bureau shall prescribe the form and manner in which an
21 individual may apply for a grant under the program.

22 “(5) The Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor and Industries may
23 adopt rules to carry out this section.

24 **“SECTION 5.** Section 4 of this 2023 Act is repealed on January 1,
25 2025.

26 **“SECTION 6.** There is appropriated to the Bureau of Labor and In-
27 dustries, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2023, out of the General
28 Fund, the amount of \$_____ for the purpose of making grants under
29 the program established pursuant to section 4 of this 2023 Act.

30 **“SECTION 7.** (1) As used in this section, ‘equivalent training pro-

1 **gram’ has the meaning given that term in section 1 of this 2023 Act.**

2 **“(2) The amendments to section 1 of this 2023 Act by section 2 of**
3 **this 2023 Act become operative on the day after the date the Electrical**
4 **and Elevator Board certifies that 500 individuals in the state have**
5 **completed:**

6 **“(a) The Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Training Program (EVITP)**
7 **and passed the EVITP certification exam; or**

8 **“(b) An equivalent training program and passed the equivalent**
9 **training program certification exam.**

10 **“(3) The board shall notify the appropriate committees of the Leg-**
11 **islative Assembly related to consumer and business services upon**
12 **certifying that 500 individuals in the state have completed:**

13 **“(a) The EVITP and passed the EVITP certification exam; or**

14 **“(b) An equivalent training program and passed the equivalent**
15 **training program certification exam.”.**

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