

Requested by HOUSE COMMITTEE ON HIGHER EDUCATION

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
HOUSE BILL 3563**

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, delete lines 16 through 26 and insert:

2 “(3) The Governor shall appoint the members of the advisory board. The
3 members must be residents of this state who reflect the geographic, racial,
4 ethnic and gender diversity of this state and who have necessary experience
5 that will enable the advisory board to meaningfully advise the commission
6 on topics including, but not limited to:

7 “(a) Career-connected learning that provides learners with career aware-
8 ness, exploration, preparation and training in connection with professional
9 and industry-based expectations;

10 “(b) Development of career pathways;

11 “(c) Youth education programs;

12 “(d) Workforce development programs;

13 “(e) Rural workforce needs; and

14 “(f) Workforce issues affecting underrepresented communities.

15 “(4) The advisory board must include representation from:

16 “(a) The forestry or wildfire sector;

17 “(b) The natural resources sector;

18 “(c) Workforce sectors that are experiencing workforce demands;

19 “(d) Communities in which the wildland-urban interface faces a high risk
20 of wildfire exposure;

21 “(e) Underrepresented communities, including communities of color, rural

1 communities and communities that have faced generational poverty or other
2 communities that have been historically underrepresented in youth employ-
3 ment as determined by the commission by rule;

4 “(f) Tribal communities; and

5 “(g) Local workforce development boards.

6 “(5) Members of the advisory board serve for a term of four years at the
7 pleasure of the Governor.

8 “(6) Members may not receive compensation for service on the advisory
9 board, but, subject to any applicable laws regulating travel and other ex-
10 penses of state officers and employees, may be reimbursed for actual and
11 necessary travel and other expenses incurred in the performance of official
12 duties, as provided in ORS 292.495, with moneys available to the advisory
13 board for the purpose of reimbursing members.

14 “(7) The commission shall provide the advisory board with necessary staff
15 support.”.

16 On page 4, line 29, after “state” insert “, nonprofit associations engaged
17 in workforce development”.

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