

SENATE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 1508

By COMMITTEE ON HEALTH CARE

February 9

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, line 2, after “care;” insert “creating new provisions; and” and
2 delete “and 414.701” and insert “, 414.701 and 743A.069”.

3 After line 3, insert:
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“QUALITY OF LIFE MEASURES”

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7 On page 4, delete lines 39 and 40 and insert:

8 “(iii) Determines that any of a researcher’s conclusions and analyses about the value or cost-
9 effectiveness of a treatment, that were relied upon by the staff of the commission in making a rec-
10 ommendation regarding the treatment, did not rely upon and were not influ-”.

11 On page 14, after line 11, insert:
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“HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE OF INSULIN

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15 “**SECTION 7.** ORS 743A.069 is amended to read:

16 “743A.069. (1) As used in this section:

17 “(a) ‘Health benefit plan’ has the meaning given that term in ORS 743B.005.

18 “(b) ‘Insulin’ has the meaning given that term in ORS 689.696.

19 “(2) A health benefit plan offered in this state may not require an enrollee in the plan to incur
20 cost-sharing or other out-of-pocket costs[, *as adjusted under subsection (3) of this section,*] that exceed
21 [\\$75] **\$35** for each 30-day supply of a type of insulin prescribed for the treatment of diabetes or
22 [\\$225] **\$105** for each 90-day supply.

23 “[~~(3)~~ *The Department of Consumer and Business Services shall, by rule, annually adjust the max-*
24 *imum cost specified in subsection (2) of this section by the percentage increase, if any, in the cost of*
25 *living for the previous calendar year, based on changes in the Consumer Price Index for All Urban*
26 *Consumers, West Region (All Items), as published by the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the United*
27 *States Department of Labor.*]

28 “[~~(4)~~ **(3)** The coverage under this section may not be subject to a deductible imposed by a health
29 benefit plan.

30 “[~~(5)~~ **(4)** This section does not prohibit a health benefit plan from using a drug formulary or
31 other utilization review protocol applicable to prescription drug coverage under the plan.

32 “[~~(6)~~ **(5)** This section is not subject to ORS 743A.001.

33 “**SECTION 8. The amendments to ORS 743A.069 by section 7 of this 2024 Act apply to**
34 **health benefit plans issued, renewed or extended on or after the effective date of this 2024**
35 **Act.**

“CAPTIONS

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“SECTION 9. The unit captions used in this 2024 Act are provided only for the convenience of the reader and do not become part of the statutory law of this state or express any legislative intent in the enactment of this 2024 Act.”
