

HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 2649

By COMMITTEE ON HIGHER EDUCATION AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

April 14

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, line 2, delete “amending ORS 352.102” and insert “and declaring
2 an emergency”.

3 Delete lines 4 through 30 and delete page 2 and insert:

4 **“SECTION 1. (1) Notwithstanding ORS 352.287, the governing boards of Eastern Oregon
5 University, Oregon Institute of Technology, Southern Oregon University and Western
6 Oregon University may establish a rate of tuition for qualifying students participating in a
7 program developed by the boards for cooperation in higher education and economic develop-
8 ment with countries located in East Asia as determined by the boards.**

9 **“(2) The rate of tuition established under subsection (1) of this section must be equiv-
10 alent to the average tuition rate established among Eastern Oregon University, Oregon In-
11 stitute of Technology, Southern Oregon University and Western Oregon University for
12 residents of this state.**

13 **“(3) In addition to the rate of tuition established under subsection (1) of this section, the
14 boards may establish separate fees for services used by qualifying students who participate
15 in the program developed by the boards in subsection (1) of this section.**

16 **“(4) The boards shall establish the requirements for a student to be qualified for the tu-
17 ition and fees established under this section.**

18 **“SECTION 2. This 2025 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public
19 peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2025 Act takes effect
20 on its passage.”.**