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Requested by SENATE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 181

1 Delete lines 4 through 8 of the printed bill and insert:

2 "<u>SECTION 1.</u> (1) As used in this section:

"(a) 'Clinical veterinary research' means research on an animal
with a naturally occurring disease or injury that is conducted:

5 "(A) For the benefit of the animal; and

6 "(B) With the intention of studying the effect of a procedure, device
7 or treatment protocol.

8 "(b) 'Directly fund' does not mean the issuance of funds for:

9 "(A) The construction or maintenance of a research facility;

10 "(B) The purchase or maintenance of general-use equipment;

- 11 "(C) Overhead costs;
- 12 "(D) Capital improvements; or

13 "(E) Faculty or employee salaries.

"(c) 'Laboratory research' has the meaning given that term in ORS
609.410.

"(d) 'Medically unnecessary laboratory research' means laboratory
 research on an animal that is undertaken for a primary purpose other
 than improving the health, welfare or safety of the animal.

"(e) 'Research facility' has the meaning given that term in ORS
609.410.

21 "(f) 'Veterinary education' means laboratory research on an animal

for the purpose of training veterinary professionals under a program
 accredited by the American Veterinary Medical Association.

"(2) A research facility may not use public funds, in whole or in
part, to directly fund medically unnecessary laboratory research on
dogs or cats that is classified under a pain and distress category D or
E by the United States Department of Agriculture.

"(3) This section does not apply to a procedure performed on a dog
or cat for the purpose of veterinary education or clinical veterinary
research.".

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