

SB 751-2
(LC 2450)
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Requested by Senator TAYLOR

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
SENATE BILL 751**

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, line 2, after “workers;” delete the rest of
2 the line and delete line 3 and insert “and declaring an emergency.”.

3 Delete lines 5 through 25 and delete pages 2 through 4 and insert:

4 **“SECTION 1. (1) The Task Force on Health Insurance Coverage for**
5 **Retired Police and Fire Members of the Public Employees Retirement**
6 **System is established.**

7 **“(2) The task force consists of 14 members appointed as follows:**

8 **“(a) The President of the Senate shall appoint one nonvoting**
9 **member from among members of the Senate.**

10 **“(b) The Speaker of the House of Representatives shall appoint one**
11 **nonvoting member from among members of the House of Represen-**
12 **tatives.**

13 **“(c) The Governor shall appoint 12 members as follows:**

14 **“(A) One member representing Oregon State Police officers, re-**
15 **commended by the Oregon State Police Officers Association.**

16 **“(B) One member representing local law enforcement officers, re-**
17 **commended by the Oregon Coalition of Police and Sheriffs.**

18 **“(C) One member representing firefighters, recommended by the**
19 **Oregon State Fire Fighters Council.**

20 **“(D) One member representing the largest union representing De-**
21 **partment of Corrections employees, recommended by the American**

1 **Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees.**

2 **“(E) One member representing the second largest union represent-**
3 **ing Department of Corrections employees, recommended by the Asso-**
4 **ciation of Oregon Corrections Employees.**

5 **“(F) One member representing parole and probation officers, re-**
6 **commended by the Federation of Oregon Parole and Probation Offi-**
7 **cers.**

8 **“(G) One member representing state government.**

9 **“(H) One member representing county government.**

10 **“(I) One member representing municipal government.**

11 **“(J) One member representing special districts.**

12 **“(K) One member representing fire chiefs.**

13 **“(L) One member representing sheriffs, police chiefs or county**
14 **corrections directors.**

15 **“(3) The task force shall:**

16 **“(a) Evaluate methods of providing health insurance coverage to**
17 **retired members of the Public Employees Retirement System who are**
18 **police officers and firefighters, as those terms are defined in ORS**
19 **238.005 and 238A.005, including methods taken by other states and local**
20 **agencies.**

21 **“(b) Review additional impediments to the retirement of police of-**
22 **ficers and firefighters, as those terms are defined in ORS 238.005 and**
23 **238A.005.**

24 **“(4) A majority of the voting members of the task force constitutes**
25 **a quorum for the transaction of business.**

26 **“(5) Official action by the task force requires the approval of a**
27 **majority of the voting members of the task force.**

28 **“(6) The Governor shall select one member of the task force to**
29 **serve as chairperson and another to serve as vice chairperson, for the**
30 **terms and with the duties and powers necessary for the performance**

1 of the functions of the offices as the Governor determines.

2 “(7) If there is a vacancy for any cause, the appointing authority
3 shall make an appointment to become immediately effective.

4 “(8) The task force shall meet at times and places specified by the
5 call of the chairperson or of a majority of the voting members of the
6 task force.

7 “(9) The task force may adopt rules necessary for the operation of
8 the task force.

9 “(10) The task force shall submit a report in the manner provided
10 by ORS 192.245, and may include recommendations for legislation, to
11 an interim committee of the Legislative Assembly related to general
12 government no later than January 1, 2026.

13 “(11) The Legislative Policy and Research Office and the Legislative
14 Fiscal Office shall provide staff support to the task force.

15 “(12) Members of the Legislative Assembly appointed to the task
16 force are nonvoting members of the task force and may act in an ad-
17 visory capacity only.

18 “(13) Members of the task force who are not members of the Leg-
19 islative Assembly serve as volunteers on the task force and, unless
20 they are qualified members, as defined in ORS 292.495, are not entitled
21 to compensation or reimbursement for expenses.

22 “(14) All agencies of state government, as defined in ORS 174.111,
23 are directed to assist the task force in the performance of the duties
24 of the task force and, to the extent permitted by laws relating to
25 confidentiality, to furnish information and advice the members of the
26 task force consider necessary to perform their duties.

27 **“SECTION 2.** Section 1 of this 2025 Act is repealed on June 30, 2026.

28 **“SECTION 3.** This 2025 Act being necessary for the immediate
29 preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is
30 declared to exist, and this 2025 Act takes effect on its passage.”.

