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Requested by SENATE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 181

- Delete lines 4 through 8 of the printed bill and insert:
- 2 "SECTION 1. (1) As used in this section:
- 3 "(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;

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- 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
- 18 than improving the health, welfare or safety of the animal.
- "(e) 'Research facility' has the meaning given that term in ORS 609.410.
 - "(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.".
