

Requested by Senator SMITH DB

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
SENATE BILL 1516**

On page 3 of the printed bill, after line 44, insert:

“PUBLIC DEFENSE

“SECTION 4. (1) As used in this section, ‘trial attorney’ means an attorney member of the Oregon State Bar who is not employed by a public body as defined in ORS 174.109 and who appeared as an attorney of record in any court in this state in 2026.

“(2) The Oregon State Bar shall require a trial attorney to provide at least 120 hours of public defense services before December 31, 2029.

“(3) The Oregon Public Defense Commission shall provide training in criminal defense law that prepares trial attorneys to satisfy the requirements of this section.

“SECTION 5. Section 4 of this 2026 Act is repealed on January 2, 2030.”.

On page 4, line 3, delete “4” and insert “6”.

In line 9, delete “5” and insert “7”.
