

Requested by Senator DEMBROW

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO  
SENATE BILL 196**

1 In line 2 of the printed bill, after the semicolon insert “creating new  
2 provisions; and”.

3 Delete lines 4 through 20 and insert:

4 **“SECTION 1.** ORS 350.355 is amended to read:

5 “350.355. (1) Subject to ORS 352.237 and any group health and welfare  
6 insurance benefit plan developed under ORS 352.237, a part-time faculty  
7 member at a public institution of higher education is eligible for the same  
8 health care benefits as full-time faculty members if the part-time faculty  
9 member is eligible for membership in the Public Employees Retirement Sys-  
10 tem or another plan authorized under ORS chapter 238 or 238A by teaching  
11 either at a single public institution of higher education or in aggregate at  
12 multiple public institutions of higher education during the prior year.

13 “(2) A part-time faculty member at a public institution of higher educa-  
14 tion shall pay [*all*] **10 percent of the** insurance premiums for health care  
15 benefits, **with the remaining 90 percent of the insurance premiums paid**  
16 **by the state out of funds appropriated to the Oregon Educators Benefit**  
17 **Board by the Legislative Assembly** [*unless otherwise provided for by the*  
18 *policy of the institution or by collective bargaining at the institution*].

19 “(3) **The Oregon Educators Benefit Board may make rules to im-**  
20 **plement this section.**

21 **“SECTION 2.** The amendments to ORS 350.355 by section 1 of this

1 2017 Act become operative and first apply to health care benefits of-  
2 fered to part-time faculty members on September 1, 2019.

3 **“SECTION 3. The Oregon Educators Benefit Board shall, before the**  
4 **operative date specified in section 2 of this 2017 Act, take any actions**  
5 **necessary to implement the amendments to ORS 350.355 by section 1**  
6 **of this 2017 Act on the operative date specified in section 2 of this 2017**  
7 **Act.”.**

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