

HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 2890

By COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES AND HOUSING

April 10

1 Delete lines 4 through 12 of the printed bill and insert:

2 **“SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2015 Act is added to and made a part of ORS chapter 419B.**

3 **“SECTION 2. (1) As used in this section:**

4 **“(a) ‘Extracurricular activities’ means age-appropriate or developmentally appropriate**
5 **activities as follows:**

6 **“(A) Activities or items that are generally accepted as suitable for children or wards of**
7 **the same chronological age or level of maturity or that are determined to be developmentally**
8 **appropriate for a child or ward, based on the development of cognitive, emotional, physical**
9 **and behavioral capacities that are typical for an age or age group; and**

10 **“(B) In the case of a specific child or ward, activities or items that are suitable for the**
11 **child or ward based on the developmental stages attained by the child or ward with respect**
12 **to the cognitive, emotional, physical and behavioral capacities of the child or ward.**

13 **“(b) ‘Reasonable and prudent parent standard’ means the standard, characterized by**
14 **careful and sensible parental decisions that maintain the health, safety and best interests**
15 **of a child or ward while encouraging the emotional and developmental growth of the child**
16 **or ward, that a substitute care provider shall use when determining whether to allow a child**
17 **or ward in substitute care to participate in extracurricular activities.**

18 **“(2) The Department of Human Services shall, in accordance with rules adopted by the**
19 **department, ensure that a substitute care provider for a child or ward in the care or custody**
20 **of the department provides an opportunity for the child or ward to participate in at least one**
21 **extracurricular activity and applies a reasonable and prudent parent standard when deter-**
22 **mining such participation. The department and substitute care provider shall confer to de-**
23 **termine the party that will be responsible for payment of any fee or charge related to a**
24 **child’s or ward’s participation in an extracurricular activity as required by this section.”.**

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