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House Bill 3280

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SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure **as introduced**.

Alters commissioner composition of Higher Education Coordinating Commission by redesignating five current nonvoting positions as voting positions and by adding one additional position for graduate student attending public university.

1	A BILL FOR AN ACT
2	Relating to members of Higher Education Coordinating Commission; creating new provisions; and
3	amending ORS 350.050.
4	Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:
5	SECTION 1. ORS 350.050 is amended to read:
6	350.050. (1) There is established a Higher Education Coordinating Commission, consisting of
7	[nine] 15 voting members appointed by the Governor.
8	(2) The Governor shall appoint:
9	(a) One undergraduate student at a public university listed in ORS 352.002;
10	(b) One graduate student at a public university listed in ORS 352.002;
11	(c) One faculty member at a public university listed in ORS 352.002;
12	(d) One student at a community college in this state;
13	(e) One faculty member at a community college in this state;
14	(f) One nonfaculty member of the staff from either a public university listed in ORS
15	352.002 or a community college;
16	[(a)] (g) One member from each of the five congressional districts in this state; and
17	[(b)] (h) Four members of the general public.
18	(3) [The Governor shall also appoint five nonvoting members to the commission.] The Governor
19	shall elicit recommendations for appointments made under subsection (2)(a) to (f) of this section
20	[this subsection] from official student, faculty and nonfaculty staff organizations at community col-
21	leges and public universities listed in ORS 352.002. [The five nonvoting members of the commission
22	shall consist of:]
23	[(a) One student at a public university listed in ORS 352.002;]
24	[(b) One faculty member at a public university listed in ORS 352.002;]
25	[(c) One student at a community college in this state;]
26	[(d) One faculty member at a community college in this state; and]
27	[(e) One nonfaculty member of the staff from either a public university listed in ORS 352.002 or a
28	community college.]
29	(4) The term of office of each [voting] member appointed under subsection (2)(g) and (h) of
30	this section is four years and the term of office for each [nonvoting] member appointed under

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subsection (2)(a) to (f) of this section is two years. A member serves at the pleasure of the Governor. Before the expiration of the term of a member, the Governor shall appoint a successor whose term begins on July 1 next following. A member is eligible for reappointment. If there is a vacancy for any cause, the Governor shall make an appointment to become immediately effective for the unexpired term.

6 (5) The Governor may at any time, for cause, remove any member of the board that the Gover-7 nor has appointed, after notice and public hearing, but not more than three members shall be re-8 moved within a period of four years, unless it is for corrupt conduct in office.

9 (6) The appointment of [*voting*] members of the commission is subject to confirmation by the 10 Senate in the manner prescribed in ORS 171.562 and 171.565.

(7) A member of the commission is entitled to compensation and expenses as provided in ORS292.495.

13 <u>SECTION 2.</u> The amendments to ORS 350.050 by section 1 of this 2019 Act apply to ap-14 pointments to the Higher Education Coordinating Commission that are made on or after the 15 effective date of this 2019 Act.

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