

**SENATE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH CARE, HUMAN SERVICES &
RURAL HEALTH POLICY**

April 13, 2011
3:00 pm

Hearing Room A

MEMBERS PRESENT: Sen. Laurie Monnes Anderson, Chair
Sen. Jeff Kruse, Vice-Chair
Sen. Alan Bates
Sen. Frank Morse
Sen. Chip Shields

STAFF PRESENT: Brian Nieuburt, Committee Administrator
Joel Thomas, Committee Assistant

MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD: SB 493 – Work Session
SB 213 – Public Hearing
SB 234 – Work Session
SB 964 – Work Session
SB 89 – Work Session
SB 224 – Work Session
SB 787 – Work Session
SB 201 – Work Session
SB 210 – Work Session
SB 216 – Work Session
SB 880 – Work Session
SB 91 – Work Session

Recording Log

3:06:57 PM Meeting Called to Order by Chair Monnes Anderson

3:07:27 PM **SB 493 - Work Session**

3:07:32 PM {Exhibit} 1: Brian Nieuburt, Committee Administrator

3:07:47 PM Chair Monnes Anderson

3:07:48 PM Sen. Suzanne Bonamici, Senate District 17

3:10:21 PM Chair Monnes Anderson

3:10:27 PM Nieuburt

3:10:32 PM Chair Monnes Anderson

3:10:33 PM Nieuburt

3:10:36 PM Bonamici

3:11:06 PM Chair Monnes Anderson

3:11:12 PM Nieuburt

3:11:18 PM Chair Monnes Anderson

3:11:39 PM Bonamici

3:11:43 PM Sen. Bates

3:12:38 PM Bonamici

3:13:08 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
3:13:15 PM Vice-Chair Kruse
3:13:40 PM Sen. Bates
3:13:47 PM Bonamici
3:14:05 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
3:14:11 PM Sen. Bates
3:14:13 PM Bonamici
3:14:47 PM Sen. Bates
3:15:12 PM Bonamici
3:15:43 PM Sen. Bates
3:16:12 PM Bonamici
3:16:32 PM Vice-Chair Kruse
3:16:57 PM Sen. Bates
3:16:59 PM Vice-Chair Kruse
3:17:12 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
3:17:14 PM Bonamici
3:17:21 PM MOTION: Vice-Chair Kruse moves -3 amendments
3:17:26 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
3:17:29 PM VOTE: 4-0-1
3:17:33 PM AYES: Bates, Shields, Kruse, Monnes Anderson, EXCUSED: Morse
3:17:37 PM MOTION: Vice-Chair Kruse moves SB 493 Do Pass as Amended
3:17:45 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
3:17:54 PM Vice-Chair Kruse
3:18:06 PM VOTE: 4-0-1
3:18:17 PM AYES: Bates, Shields, Kruse, Monnes Anderson, EXCUSED: Morse
3:18:18 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
3:18:20 PM CARRIER: SENATOR BONAMICI will lead the discussion on the floor

3:18:31 PM **SB 213 - Public Hearing**
3:18:34 PM {Exhibit} 2: Brian Nieuburt, Committee Administrator
3:18:52 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
3:19:26 PM {Exhibit} 3: Rose Cox, Douglas County IPA
3:22:23 PM {Exhibit} 4 - 5: Dr. David Bauner, Medical Director, MVP Health Authority
3:31:48 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
3:32:01 PM Sen. Bates
3:32:17 PM Bauner
3:32:33 PM Cox
3:33:39 PM Sen. Bates
3:33:45 PM Cox
3:33:46 PM Sen. Bates
3:34:02 PM Bauner
3:36:28 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
3:36:47 PM Sen. Bates
3:38:09 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
3:38:30 PM {Exhibit} 6: Jodie Joyce, Vice President, Quality and Patient Safety,
Legacy Health

3:43:26 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
3:43:29 PM {Exhibit} 7: Patricia O'Sullivan, Oregon Association of Hospitals and Health Systems
3:47:26 PM Tom Holt, Director of Legislative and Regulatory Affairs, Regence Blue Cross Blue Shield of Oregon
3:50:12 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
3:50:34 PM The following written testimony was submitted for the record without public testimony:
3:50:35 PM {Exhibit} 8: Adam Walsh, Legislative Analyst, Intergovernmental Relations

3:50:42 PM **SB 234 - Work Session**
3:50:43 PM {Exhibit} 9 - 11: Brian Nieuburt, Committee Administrator
3:51:03 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
3:51:35 PM Jim Anderson, Oregon Emergency Physicians
3:52:10 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
3:52:26 PM Dr. Lisa Yanase, Stroke Neurologist, Providence Stroke Center
3:52:37 PM Robert Leopold, Director, State Emergency Medical Services
3:52:44 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
3:52:46 PM Leopold
3:53:18 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
3:53:22 PM Leopold
3:53:37 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
3:54:28 PM Anderson
3:55:36 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
3:55:39 PM Sen. Bates
3:57:41 PM Leopold
3:58:04 PM Sen. Bates
3:58:12 PM Leopold
3:58:19 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
3:58:32 PM Sen. Bates
3:58:47 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
3:58:59 PM Sen. Bates
3:59:14 PM Yanese
3:59:34 PM Sen. Bates
3:59:56 PM Vice-Chair Kruse
4:00:01 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:00:02 PM Sen. Bates
4:00:20 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:00:38 PM Nan Heim, Oregon State Ambulance Association
4:02:02 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:02:04 PM Vice-Chair Kruse
4:02:42 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:02:52 PM MOTION: Vice-Chair Kruse moves -2 amendments
4:02:57 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:03:04 PM VOTE: 5-0-0
4:03:05 PM AYES: Bates, Morse, Shields, Kruse, Monnes Anderson

4:03:07 PM MOTION: Vice-Chair Kruse moves -3 amendments
4:03:12 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:03:17 PM VOTE: 5-0-0
4:03:18 PM AYES: Bates, Morse, Shields, Kruse, Monnes Anderson
4:03:19 PM MOTION: Vice-Chair Kruse moves -4 amendments
4:03:25 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:03:29 PM AYES: Bates, Morse, Shields, Kruse, Monnes Anderson
4:03:29 PM VOTE: 5-0-0
4:03:38 PM MOTION: Vice-Chair Kruse moves SB 234 Do Pass as Amended
4:03:43 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:03:58 PM VOTE: 5-0-0
4:04:09 PM AYES: Bates, Morse, Shields, Kruse, Monnes Anderson
4:04:14 PM The following written testimony was submitted for the record without public testimony:
4:04:15 PM {Exhibit} 12: Andy Easton, Oregon Association of Hospitals and Health Systems

4:04:16 PM **SB 964 - Work Session**
4:04:51 PM MOTION: Vice-Chair Kruse moves SB 964 Do Pass as Amended and Be Referred to the Joint Committee on Ways and Means by prior reference
4:05:02 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:05:13 PM VOTE: 5-0-0
4:05:23 PM AYES: Bates, Morse, Shields, Kruse, Monnes Anderson
4:05:27 PM Sen. Bates

4:05:55 PM **SB 89 - Work Session**
4:06:05 PM Brian Nieuburt, Committee Administrator
4:06:09 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:07:32 PM Teresa Miller, Administrator, Insurance Division, Department of Consumer and Business Services
4:08:54 PM Vice-Chair Kruse
4:09:39 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:10:05 PM Sen. Morse
4:10:14 PM Miller
4:11:22 PM Vice-Chair Kruse
4:12:00 PM Chair Monnes Anderson

4:12:24 PM **SB 224 - Work Session**
4:12:47 PM Vice-Chair Kruse
4:12:57 PM Brian Nieuburt, Committee Administrator
4:12:59 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:13:03 PM Vice-Chair Kruse
4:13:07 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:13:15 PM Nieuburt
4:13:29 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:13:55 PM Deborah Herron, Oregon Society of Physician Assistants

4:15:35 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:15:52 PM Sen. Bates
4:15:54 PM Vice-Chair Kruse
4:15:55 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
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4:16:24 PM Sen. Bates
4:16:27 PM Herron
4:16:30 PM Vice-Chair Kruse
4:16:31 PM Herron
4:16:59 PM Sen. Bates
4:17:02 PM Herron
4:17:08 PM Sen. Bates
4:17:09 PM Herron
4:17:26 PM Sen. Bates
4:17:43 PM Herron
4:17:45 PM Sen. Bates
4:18:10 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:18:13 PM Herron
4:18:36 PM Nan Heim, Oregon Medical Board
4:19:03 PM Sen. Bates
4:19:18 PM Vice-Chair Kruse
4:19:25 PM Sen. Bates
4:19:26 PM Vice-Chair Kruse
4:19:29 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:19:33 PM Sen. Bates
4:19:34 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:19:51 PM Vice-Chair Kruse
4:20:06 PM Chair Monnes Anderson

4:20:22 PM **SB 787 - Work Session**
4:20:40 PM Brian Nieubuurt, Committee Administrator
4:20:43 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:20:52 PM Nieubuurt
4:20:57 PM Vice-Chair Kruse
4:20:58 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:21:34 PM The following written testimony was submitted for the record without public testimony:
4:21:35 PM {Exhibit} 13: Catherine Britain, Telehealth Alliance of Oregon

4:21:36 PM **SB 964 - Work Session**
4:21:49 PM MOTION: Vice-Chair Kruse moves that the Rules be Suspended to Rescind the vote on SB 964
4:22:01 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:22:20 PM VOTE: 5-0-0
4:22:21 PM AYES: Bates, Morse, Shields, Kruse, Monnes Anderson
4:22:24 PM {Exhibit} 14: Vice-Chair Kruse

4:22:27 PM MOTION: Vice-Chair Kruse moves -3 amendments
4:22:30 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:22:38 PM VOTE: 5-0-0
4:22:39 PM AYES: Bates, Morse, Shields, Kruse, Monnes Anderson
4:22:41 PM MOTION: Vice-Chair Kruse moves SB 964 Do Pass as Amended and Be Referred to the Joint Committee on Ways and Means by prior reference
4:22:55 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:23:06 PM VOTE: 5-0-0
4:23:20 PM AYES: Bates, Morse, Shields, Kruse, Monnes Anderson

4:23:25 PM **SB 201, SB 210, SB 216 - Work Session**
4:23:28 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:23:35 PM Vice-Chair Kruse
4:23:37 PM Chair Monnes Anderson

4:23:56 PM **SB 880 - Work Session**
4:24:06 PM {Exhibit} 14: Brian Nieuburt, Committee Administrator
4:24:21 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:25:03 PM Vice-Chair Kruse
4:25:13 PM MOTION: Vice-Chair Kruse moves -1 amendments
4:25:17 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:25:24 PM VOTE: 5-0-0
4:25:43 PM AYES: Bates, Morse, Shields, Kruse, Monnes Anderson
4:25:44 PM MOTION: Vice-Chair Kruse moves SB 880 Do Pass as Amended and Be Referred to the Joint Committee on Ways and Means
4:25:53 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:26:04 PM VOTE: 5-0-0
4:26:15 PM AYES: Bates, Morse, Shields, Kruse, Monnes Anderson

4:26:25 PM **SB 91 - Work Session**
4:27:54 PM {Exhibit} 15-16: Brian Nieuburt, Committee Administrator
4:28:09 PM Laura Etherton, Health Allies
4:31:43 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:31:47 PM Howard "Rocky" King, Interim Director, Health Programs, Oregon Health Authority
4:31:58 PM Anthony Behrens, Insurance Division, Department of Business and Consumer Services
4:32:04 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:32:39 PM King
4:36:09 PM Sen. Shields
4:36:11 PM Behrens
4:36:43 PM Sen. Bates
4:36:51 PM Behrens
4:37:03 PM King
4:37:32 PM Vice-Chair Kruse
4:38:10 PM Chair Monnes Anderson

4:38:34 PM Tom Holt, Director of Legislative and Regulatory Affairs, Regence Blue
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5:05:38 PM Sen. Shields
5:05:45 PM Vice-Chair Kruse
5:05:50 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
5:07:52 PM Meeting Adjourned by Chair Monnes Anderson

Exhibit Summary

3:07:32 PM {Exhibit} 1: SB 493, -3 amendment, staff, 3 pp
3:18:34 PM {Exhibit} 2: SB 213, -1 amendment, staff, 2 pp
3:19:26 PM {Exhibit} 3: SB 213, written testimony, Rose Cox, 2 pp
3:22:23 PM {Exhibit} 4: SB 213, written testimony, Dr. David Bauner, 7 pp
3:22:23 PM {Exhibit} 5: SB 213, *Adverse Events in Hospitals: National Incidence Among Medicare Beneficiaries*, Dr. David Bauner, 81 pp
3:38:30 PM {Exhibit} 6: SB 213, written testimony, Jodie Joyce, 1 p
3:43:29 PM {Exhibit} 7: SB 213, written testimony, Patricia O'Sullivan, 2 pp
3:50:35 PM {Exhibit} 8: SB 213, written testimony, Adam Walsh, 1 p
3:50:43 PM {Exhibit} 9: SB 234, -2 amendments, staff, 1 p
3:50:43 PM {Exhibit} 10: SB 234, -3 amendments, staff, 4 pp
3:50:43 PM {Exhibit} 11: SB 234, -4 amendments, staff, 9 pp
4:04:15 PM {Exhibit} 12: SB 234, written testimony, Andy Easton, 2 pp
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