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AGENDA

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Work Session

SB 344

CARRIED OVER FROM THE 4/10/2013 AGENDA: Establishes unlawful employment practice for certain actions taken by employer to access employee's or prospective employee's personal account on social networking website for employment purposes.

SB 435

CARRIED OVER FROM THE 4/10/2013 AGENDA: Modifies restoration rights of certain state exempt and management service employees to classified position in state service held prior to appointment to exempt or management service position.

SB 489

CARRIED OVER FROM THE 4/10/2013 AGENDA: Repeals requirement that certain local governments make health care insurance coverage available to certain retirees.

SB 613

CARRIED OVER FROM THE 4/10/2013 AGENDA: Reduces amount of continuing education required for vehicle dealers.

SB 615

CARRIED OVER FROM THE 4/10/2013 AGENDA: Prohibits Department of Transportation from imposing civil penalty on vehicle dealer if vehicle dealer fails to submit notice of sale to department.

SB 804 **

**Subsequent Referral(s) to Judiciary CARRIED OVER FROM THE 4/10/2013 AGENDA: Requires grantor that seeks mediation with trustee before foreclosure proceedings to provide mediation service provider with certain documents.

Public Hearing and Possible Work Session

SB 684

CARRIED OVER FROM THE 4/10/2013 AGENDA: Specifies requirements for persons to intervene in contested case proceedings conducted by Department of Consumer and Business Services on rate filings.

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SB 74

Changes calculation of present value of adjusted premiums for certain types of life insurance so that present value o all adjusted premiums equals 50 percent of adjusted premium for first policy year instead of 40 percent of adjusted premium for first policy year.

SB 91

Allows landlord to charge fee described in rental agreement when, contrary to written rules or policies, tenant keeps on premises pet capable of causing damage to persons or property.

SB 140

Directs state government bodies that request individuals to disclose Social Security numbers to inform individuals that Social Security numbers may be used in matching with other public records for purposes of state auditing.

SB 143 **

**Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means

Establishes Office of Small Business Assistance in Office of Secretary of State for purpose of facilitating interactions between small businesses and state agencies with regulatory authority over small businesses.

SB 416

Requires Department of Consumer and Business Services to provide complaint process for challenging actions or credentials of independent review organization and to enforce requirements for external reviews.

SB 573

Establishes right of employee for civil action based on unpaid wages.

SB 574

Permits consumer to request that consumer reporting agency place, temporarily lift or remove security freeze on protected consumer's consumer report if consumer provides sufficient proof of consumer's authority to act on protected consumer's behalf.

SB 577

Adds specifications for service contracts and vehicle protection products that are subject to regulation.

SB 683

Prohibits health care practitioners from referring patients to health care entities in which practitioner has beneficial interest or with which practitioner has compensation arrangement, subject to specified exceptions.

SB 744

Requires council on civil rights appointed by Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor and Industries to study wage equality in Oregon and report findings to Legislative Assembly.

SB 768

Establishes Oregon Civil Rights Network.

SB 789

Clarifies that only certain districts claiming exception from requirement to offer benefits provided and administered by Oregon Educators Benefit Board must undergo actuarial analysis by board to maintain exception.

SB 805

Permits employee of contracting agency that conducts cost analysis or determines feasibility of procurement, or exclusive representative of employee's bargaining unit, to seek judicial review of cost analysis or determination.

Public Hearing and Possible Work Session

SB 414

Permits Director of Department of Consumer and Business Services to seek restitution on behalf of consumer that suffered actual damages as result of insurer's violation of Insurance Code or breach of insurance contract or policy and to seek other equitable relief that director deems appropriate under circumstances.

SB 525

Establishes requirements under which debt buyer may bring legal action to collect debt.

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