

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS AND LABOR

April 03, 2013
8:00 AM

Hearing Room E

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Margaret Doherty, Chair
Rep. Brent Barton, Vice-Chair
Rep. Bill Kennemer, Vice-Chair
Rep. Paul Holvey
Rep. Greg Matthews
Rep. Kim Thatcher
Rep. Jim Thompson
Rep. Jim Weidner
Rep. Brad Witt

MEMBER EXCUSED: Rep. Shemia Fagan

STAFF PRESENT: Jan Nordlund, Committee Administrator
Branden Pursinger, Committee Assistant

MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD: HB 3076 – Public Hearing
HB 2669 – Public Hearing
HB 3390 – Public Hearing
HB 2706 – Work Session
HB 2683 – Work Session
HB 2448 – Work Session
HB 2903 – Work Session
HB 3361 – Work Session

Recording Log

8:02:32 AM Meeting Called to Order by Chair Doherty

8:02:40 AM **HB 3076 - Public Hearing**

8:02:45 AM Jan Nordlund, Committee Administrator

8:03:00 AM Rep. Wally Hicks, House District 03

8:03:04 AM Chair Doherty

8:03:06 AM Rep. Hicks

8:05:28 AM Chair Doherty

8:05:42 AM Elizabeth Cushwa, Legislative Director, Bureau of Labor and Industries

8:06:54 AM Chair Doherty

8:07:24 AM Rep. Hicks

8:07:30 AM Rep. Holvey

8:07:56 AM Cushwa

8:08:19 AM Chair Doherty

8:08:35 AM {Exhibit} 1: witness registration

8:08:38 AM HB 2669 - Public Hearing

8:08:48 AM Jan Nordlund, Committee Administrator

8:09:02 AM Rep. Lew Frederick, House District 43

8:11:17 AM Rep. Greg Matthews, House District 50

8:14:38 AM Chair Doherty

8:15:29 AM {Exhibit} 2: Elizabeth Cushwa, Legislative Director, Bureau of Labor and Industries

8:17:42 AM {Exhibit} 3: Marcia Ohlemiller, Legal Policy Advisor, Bureau of Labor and Industries

8:19:31 AM Chair Doherty

8:19:37 AM Rep. Thatcher

8:20:13 AM Ohlemiller

8:21:06 AM Rep. Thatcher

8:21:14 AM Chair Doherty

8:21:17 AM Rep. Witt

8:21:35 AM Ohlemiller

8:22:07 AM Rep. Witt

8:22:09 AM Chair Doherty

8:22:34 AM Ohlemiller

8:23:11 AM Chair Doherty

8:23:13 AM Ohlemiller

8:23:16 AM Cushwa

8:23:25 AM Rep. Holvey

8:23:52 AM Ohlemiller

8:25:01 AM Chair Doherty

8:25:29 AM Emma Kallaway, Legislative Director, Oregon Student Association

8:27:36 AM Bob Joondeph, Disability Rights Oregon

8:29:12 AM {Exhibit} 4: J.L. Wilson, Associated Oregon Industries

8:32:22 AM Rep. Matthews

8:33:06 AM Chair Doherty

8:33:14 AM {Exhibit} 5: witness registration

8:33:15 AM The following written testimony is submitted for the record without public testimony:

8:33:18 AM {Exhibit} 6: Rick Bennett, Director of Government Relations, AARP Oregon

8:33:41 AM HB 3390-Public Hearing

8:33:54 AM {Exhibit} 7: Rep. Michael Dembrow, House District 45

8:34:56 AM Chair Doherty

8:34:57 AM Rep. Dembrow

8:40:23 AM {Exhibit} 8: Amanda Fritz, City Commissioner, Portland

8:43:59 AM Chair Doherty

8:44:15 AM Fritz

8:44:56 AM Chair Doherty

8:44:57 AM Fritz

8:44:58 AM Chair Doherty

8:45:01 AM Rep. Dembrow

8:47:58 AM Chair Doherty

8:48:15 AM **HB 2706 - Work Session**

8:48:19 AM {Exhibit} 9: Jan Nordlund, Committee Administrator

8:48:42 AM Vice-Chair Barton

8:48:43 AM MOTION: VICE-CHAIR BARTON MOVES HB 2706 DO PASS AS AMENDED

8:48:59 AM Rep. Weidner

8:49:52 AM Chair Doherty

8:49:54 AM Vice-Chair Kennemer

8:50:07 AM Chair Doherty

8:50:08 AM Vice-Chair Kennemer

8:50:12 AM Chair Doherty

8:50:45 AM VOTE: 9-0-1

8:50:46 AM AYES: THOMPSON, WITT, THATCHER, HOLVEY, MATTHEWS, WEIDNER, KENNEMER, BARTON, DOHERTY

8:50:47 AM EXCUSED: FAGAN

8:50:55 AM CARRIER: REP. WITT WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

8:50:57 AM Chair Doherty

8:50:58 AM Vice-Chair Barton

8:51:00 AM Chair Doherty

8:51:15 AM **HB 2683 - Work Session**

8:51:20 AM {Exhibit} 10: Jan Nordlund, Committee Administrator

8:51:51 AM Vice-Chair Barton

8:51:52 AM MOTION: VICE-CHAIR BARTON MOVES HB 2683 DO PASS AS AMENDED

8:52:31 AM VOTE: 9-0-1

8:52:32 AM AYES: MATTHEWS, THATCHER, THOMPSON, WEIDNER, WITT, HOLVEY, KENNEMER, BARTON, DOHERTY

8:52:33 AM EXCUSED: FAGAN

8:52:38 AM CARRIER: REP. JOHNSON WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

8:52:48 AM **HB 2448 - Work Session**

8:52:50 AM {Exhibit} 11: Jan Nordlund, Committee Administrator

8:53:19 AM Vice-Chair Barton

8:53:21 AM MOTION: VICE-CHAIR BARTON MOVES HB 2448 DO PASS AS AMENDED

8:53:28 AM Rep. Witt

8:54:03 AM Rep. Thatcher

8:54:18 AM Chair Doherty

8:54:48 AM VOTE: 7-2-1

8:54:49 AM AYES: HOLVEY, THOMPSON, WITT, MATTHEWS, BARTON, KENNEMER, DOHERTY

8:54:50 AM NAYS: THATCHER, WEIDNER

8:54:51 AM EXCUSED: FAGAN
8:54:56 AM CARRIER: REP. DOHERTY WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

8:55:06 AM **HB 2903 - Work Session**

8:55:09 AM Jan Nordlund, Committee Administrator
8:55:35 AM Vice-Chair Barton
8:55:37 AM MOTION: VICE-CHAIR BARTON MOVES HB 2903 DO PASS
8:55:47 AM Rep. Weidner
8:56:35 AM Vice-Chair Kennemer
8:56:50 AM Chair Doherty
8:57:32 AM Rep. Matthews
8:58:44 AM VOTE: 9-0-1
8:58:45 AM AYES: MATTHEWS, HOLVEY, WEIDNER, WITT, THOMPSON,
THATCHER, KENNEMER, BARTON, DOHERTY
8:58:46 AM EXCUSED: FAGAN
8:58:50 AM CARRIER: REP. TOMEI WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR
8:58:55 AM The following written testimony is submitted for the record without public
testimony:
8:58:56 AM {Exhibit} 12: Vanessa Timmons, Executive Director, Oregon Coalition
Against Domestic & Sexual Violence

8:59:01 AM **HB 3361 - Work Session**

8:59:05 AM {Exhibit} 13: Jan Nordlund, Committee Administrator
8:59:24 AM Chair Doherty
8:59:36 AM Rep. Matthews
8:59:38 AM Rep. Witt
8:59:38 AM Chair Doherty
8:59:40 AM Rep. Witt
8:59:47 AM Chair Doherty
8:59:51 AM Rep. Matthews
9:00:42 AM Mary Botkin, American Federation for State, County, and Municipal
Employees (AFSCME)
9:02:10 AM Tim Woolery, Lead Negotiator, AFSCME
9:03:56 AM Vice-Chair Barton
9:04:30 AM Rep. Weidner
9:05:29 AM Woolery
9:07:15 AM Rep. Thompson
9:07:33 AM Rep. Weidner
9:07:35 AM Woolery
9:07:35 AM Botkin
9:07:56 AM Rep. Thatcher
9:08:10 AM Botkin
9:09:34 AM Woolery
9:10:03 AM Chair Doherty
9:10:40 AM Botkin
9:10:44 AM Chair Doherty

9:11:00 AM Rep. Matthews
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9:11:06 AM Botkin
9:12:01 AM Chair Doherty
9:12:03 AM Rep. Weidner
9:12:09 AM Rep. Matthews
9:12:15 AM Chair Doherty

9:12:20 AM **HB 3390 - Public Hearing**
9:12:25 AM Chair Doherty
9:12:58 AM Vice-Chair Kennemer
9:13:05 AM Chair Doherty
9:13:24 AM {Exhibit} 14: Ian Tolleson, Oregon Farm Bureau
9:14:32 AM Doug Kramer, President, Berries Northwest
9:18:12 AM John Zalenski, President, Marion County Farm Bureau
9:21:04 AM Chair Doherty
9:21:06 AM Vice-Chair Barton
9:21:15 AM Zalenski
9:21:16 AM Vice-Chair Barton
9:21:52 AM Zalenski
9:22:32 AM Tolleson
9:23:21 AM Rep. Weidner
9:23:35 AM Rep. Holvey
9:24:56 AM Kramer
9:26:19 AM Chair Doherty
9:26:58 AM {Exhibit} 15-17: Andrea Paluso, Executive Director, Family Forward Oregon; Coalition Chair, Everybody Benefits Coalition for Earned Sick Time

9:31:50 AM {Exhibit} 18: Anna Stiefvater, public health nurse, Oregon Nurses Association; Oregon Public Health Association
9:34:22 AM Chair Doherty
9:34:23 AM Rep. Witt
9:34:59 AM Chair Doherty
9:35:00 AM Steifvater
9:35:38 AM Rep. Weidner
9:35:43 AM Chair Doherty
9:36:06 AM {Exhibit} 19: J.L. Wilson, Associated Oregon Industries
9:39:36 AM {Exhibit} 20: Jan Meekcoms, State Director, National Federation for Independent Business

9:41:25 AM {Exhibit} 21: Joe Gilliam, Northwest Grocers Association
9:41:32 AM Vice-Chair Kennemer
9:41:34 AM Rep. Holvey
9:41:36 AM Vice-Chair Kennemer
9:41:39 AM Chair Doherty
9:41:41 AM Gilliam
9:41:47 AM Chair Doherty

9:41:49 AM Gilliam
9:44:05 AM Chair Doherty
9:44:07 AM Rep. Matthews
9:44:32 AM Gilliam
9:44:48 AM Chair Doherty
9:45:16 AM Jan Nordund, Committee Administrator
9:45:38 AM Leslie Lindberg-Harper, instructional assistant, Salem/Kaizer School District
9:47:50 AM Tony Fuentes, owner, Milagros Boutique; President, VOIS Business Alliance
9:50:36 AM Mellisa Erlbaum, Executive Director, Clackamas Women's Services
9:51:41 AM {Exhibit} 22-24: Bill Dickey, owner, Morel Ink; Main Street Alliance
9:53:33 AM Chair Doherty
9:54:13 AM {Exhibit} 25: Susan Lund, United Food and Commercial Workers
9:55:21 AM {Exhibit} 26: Ty Schwoeffermann, Urban League of Portland
9:56:44 AM Chair Doherty
9:56:49 AM Rep. Thatcher
9:57:04 AM Chair Doherty
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9:57:12 AM {Exhibit} 29: Caitlin Baggott, Executive Director, The Bus Project
9:57:12 AM {Exhibit} 30: Roberta Weber, Faculty Research Associate, Oregon State University
9:57:12 AM {Exhibit} 31: Steve Hughes, State Director, Oregon Working Families Party
9:57:12 AM {Exhibit} 32: Karen Weisz, Vice President of Human Resources and Corporate Services, Standard Insurance Company
9:57:12 AM {Exhibit} 33: Vanessa Timmons, Executive Director, Oregon Coalition Against Domestic & Sexual Violence
9:57:12 AM {Exhibit} 34: Sokho Eath, Asian Pacific American Network of Oregon
9:57:12 AM {Exhibit} 35: Jennifer Keller, resident, Oregon
9:57:12 AM {Exhibit} 36: Maura C. Roche, Government Relations Consultant, Basic Rights Oregon
9:57:12 AM {Exhibit} 37: Martin Donohoe, senior physician, Kaiser Permanente
9:57:12 AM {Exhibit} 38: Helen K. Bellanca, family physician
9:57:12 AM {Exhibit} 39: Anne Endicott, resident, Gresham
9:57:12 AM {Exhibit} 40: Avery Leinova, cab driver
9:57:12 AM {Exhibit} 41: Cynthia Nehf, resident, Oregon
9:57:12 AM {Exhibit} 42: Susie Ellwood, Illinois Valley Safe House Alliance
9:57:12 AM {Exhibit} 43: Steve Ferree, Mr. Rooter Plumbing
9:57:12 AM {Exhibit} 44: Jeff Nelson, General Manager, Springfield Utility Board
9:57:12 AM {Exhibit} 45: Soren Metzger, Oregon School Employees Association
9:57:39 AM Meeting Adjourned by Chair Doherty

Exhibit Summary

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8:15:29 AM {Exhibit} 2: HB 2669, written testimony, Elizabeth Cushwa, 2 pp
8:17:42 AM {Exhibit} 3: HB 2669, written testimony, Marcia Ohlemiller, 2 pp
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8:33:14 AM {Exhibit} 5: HB 2669, witness registration, staff, 1 p
8:33:18 AM {Exhibit} 6: HB 2669, written testimony, Rick Bennett, 1 p
8:33:54 AM {Exhibit} 7: HB 3390, written testimony, Rep. Michael Dembrow, 2 pp
8:40:23 AM {Exhibit} 8: HB 3390, written testimony, Amanda Fritz, 1 p
8:48:19 AM {Exhibit} 9: HB 2706, -1 amendments, staff, 1 p
8:51:20 AM {Exhibit} 10: HB 2683, -1 amendments, staff, 1 p
8:52:50 AM {Exhibit} 11: HB 2448, -2 amendments, staff, 1 p
8:58:56 AM {Exhibit} 12: HB 2903, written testimony, Vanessa Timmons, 2 pp
8:59:05 AM {Exhibit} 13: HB 3361, Fiscal Statement, staff, 1 p
9:13:24 AM {Exhibit} 14: HB 3361, written testimony, Ian Tolleson, 1 p
9:26:58 AM {Exhibit} 15: HB 3390, written testimony, Andrea Paluso, 2 pp
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9:57:12 AM {Exhibit} 45: HB 3390, written petition of support, Soren Metzger, 4 pp