

SENATE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

February 8, 2016
03:00 PM

Hearing Room B

MEMBERS PRESENT: Sen. Arnie Roblan, Chair
Sen. Tim Knopp, Vice-Chair
Sen. Mark Hass
Sen. Lee Beyer
Sen. Jeff Kruse
Sen. Herman Baertschiger
Sen. Sara Gelser

STAFF PRESENT: Richard Donovan, Committee Administrator
Ian Borgman, Committee Assistant

EXHIBITS: Exhibits from this meeting are available [here](#)

MEASURES/ISSUES: SB 1540 – Work Session
SB 1558 – Work Session
SB 1564 – Public Hearing and Work Session
SB 1541 – Public Hearing
SB 1566 – Public Hearing
Informational Meeting
SB 1536 Presentation

Recording Log – Recording started 02:57:31 PM

00:00:10 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:10 Chair Roblan

00:00:29 **SB 1540 - Work Session**
00:00:29 Chair Roblan
00:00:38 EXHIBIT 1: Richard Donovan, Committee Administrator
00:01:16 Sen. Gelser
00:01:33 MOTION: SEN. HASS MOVES TO ADOPT THE -1 AMENDMENTS
00:02:27 Sen. Baertschiger
00:03:37 VOTE: 7-0-0
AYES: BAERTSCHIGER, BEYER, GELSER, HASS, KRUSE, KNOPP,
ROBLAN
00:03:47 MOTION: SEN. HASS MOVES SB 1540 DO PASS AS AMENDED

00:04:00 VOTE: 7-0-0
AYES: BAERTSCHIGER, BEYER, GELSER, HASS, KRUSE, KNOPP,
ROBLAN
CARRIER: SEN. HASS WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

00:04:08 Sen. Kruse

00:05:06 **SB 1558 - Work Session**
00:05:06 Chair Roblan
00:05:17 EXHIBIT 2: Richard Donovan, Committee Administrator
00:05:49 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR KNOPP MOVES TO ADOPT THE -2
AMENDMENTS

00:06:02 Sen. Gelser
00:06:33 VOTE: 7-0-0
AYES: BAERTSCHIGER, BEYER, GELSER, HASS, KRUSE, KNOPP,
ROBLAN

00:06:37 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR KNOPP MOVES SB 1558 DO PASS AS
AMENDED

00:06:50 Sen. Kruse
00:07:34 VOTE: 7-0-0
AYES: BAERTSCHIGER, BEYER, GELSER, HASS, KRUSE, KNOPP,
ROBLAN
CARRIER: SEN. GELSER WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

00:08:20 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 3: Betsy Jones, Oregon Psychological Association

00:08:21 **SB 1564 - Public Hearing**
00:08:21 Chair Roblan
00:08:31 EXHIBIT 4: Richard Donovan, Committee Administrator
00:09:25 Sen. Kruse
00:09:51 EXHIBIT 5: Parasa Chanramy, Stand for Children and English Language
Learners Advocates Coalition

00:11:09 Morgan Allen, Oregon School Boards Association
00:12:01 Cindy Hunt, Government Legal Affairs Manager, Oregon Department of
Education

00:12:19 Sen. Baertschiger
00:15:11 EXHIBIT 6: Witness Registration

00:15:12 **SB 1564 - Work Session**
00:15:12 Chair Roblan
00:15:23 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR KNOPP MOVES TO ADOPT THE -2
AMENDMENTS

00:16:03 VOTE: 6-0-1
AYES: BAERTSCHIGER, BEYER, GELSER, KRUSE, KNOPP, ROBLAN
EXCUSED: HASS

00:16:14 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR KNOPP MOVES SB 1564 DO PASS AS AMENDED

00:15:18 VOTE: 6-0-1
AYES: BAERTSCHIGER, BEYER, GELSER, KRUSE, KNOPP, ROBLAN
EXCUSED: HASS
CARRIER: SEN. ROBLAN WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

00:16:40 Sen. Kruse

00:17:01 **SB 1541 - Public Hearing**

00:16:59 Chair Roblan

00:17:10 Richard Donovan, Committee Administrator

00:17:38 Sen. Hass

00:20:30 Brian Reeder, Oregon Department of Education

00:22:17 Sen. Kruse

00:26:12 Sen. Gelser

00:31:29 EXHIBIT 7: Parasa Chanramy, Stand for Children

00:32:59 Joel Fischer, Oregon Business Association

00:34:21 Chuck Bennett, Director of Government Relations, Confederation of Oregon School Administrators

00:37:54 Jim Green, Oregon School Boards Association

00:59:51 Vice-Chair Knopp

01:04:03 EXHIBIT 8: Witness Registration

01:04:03 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 9: Laurie Wimmer, Oregon Education Association

01:04:04 **SB 1566 - Public Hearing**

01:04:04 Chair Roblan

01:04:26 Richard Donovan, Committee Administrator

01:04:36 EXHIBIT 10: Kim Thatcher, Senate District 13

01:06:32 Susan McKenzie, Superintendent, Gaston School District

01:10:36 Morgan Allen, Oregon School Boards Association

01:13:44 Sen. Gelser

01:13:56 Sen. Kruse

01:15:56 EXHIBIT 11: Witness Registration

01:15:56 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 12: Bobbie Jager, Cascade Policy Institute
EXHIBIT 13: Laurie Wimmer, Oregon Education Association

01:15:57 **SB 1536 Presentation - Informational Meeting**

01:15:52 Chair Roblan

01:16:21 EXHIBIT 14: Kaaren Heikes, Kairos PDX

01:18:48 Sen. Kruse

01:21:55 Meeting Adjourned