

## SENATE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

March 30, 2017  
03:00 PM

Hearing Room C

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Sen. Arnie Roblan, Chair  
Sen. Dennis Linthicum, Vice-Chair  
Sen. Mark Hass  
Sen. Jeff Kruse

**MEMBER(S) EXCUSED:** Sen. Sara Gelser

**STAFF PRESENT:** Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst  
Dana Frenchko, Committee Assistant

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

**MEASURES/ISSUES:** SB 1032 – Public Hearing  
SB 297 – Public Hearing  
SB 1004 – Public Hearing  
SB 1003 – Public Hearing  
SB 221 – Public Hearing  
SB 565 – Work Session

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00:00:11 Meeting Called to Order  
00:00:12 Chair Roblan

00:01:27 **SB 1032 - Public Hearing**  
00:01:30 EXHIBIT 1: Chair Roblan  
00:02:17 Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst  
00:03:05 Sen. Chuck Thomsen, Senate District 26  
00:04:32 Sen. Richard Devlin, Senate District 19  
00:10:31 Ben Cannon, Executive Director, Higher Education Coordinating  
Commission  
00:14:58 Emma Kallaway, Government Relations Manager, Portland Community  
College  
00:14:58 EXHIBIT 2: witness registration

00:16:16 **SB 297 - Public Hearing**  
00:16:18 Chair Roblan  
00:16:31 EXHIBIT 3: Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst

00:17:20 Sen. Michael Dembrow, Senate District 23  
00:20:56 Jim Piro, President, CEO, Portland General Electric  
00:25:39 EXHIBIT 4: Brian Krieg, Sheet Metal and Air Conditioning Contractor's Association; Career Technical Education and Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (CTE-STEM) Employer Coalition  
00:28:33 Jan McComb, Legislative Director, Oregon Department of Education  
00:30:52 EXHIBIT 5: Richard Donovan, Oregon School Boards Association  
00:32:51 Morgan Allen, Director of Legislative and Policy Affairs, Confederation of Oregon School Administrators  
00:35:16 Craig Hudson, team leader, Garmin International  
00:37:20 Dylan Mcann, math teacher, Twality Middle School, Tigard  
00:40:33 George Granger, President, AT&T-Oregon; board member, Technology Association of Oregon  
00:41:48 Joel Fischer, Oregon Business Association; Associated Oregon Industries  
00:42:22 EXHIBIT 6: Don Dome, consultant, tax and small business, Hillsboro  
00:44:59 EXHIBIT 7: witness registration  
  
00:45:23 **SB 1004 - Public Hearing**  
00:45:25 Chair Roblan  
00:45:26 Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst  
00:45:48 EXHIBIT 8: Alex Cuyler, Intergovernmental Relations Manager, Lane County  
00:49:10 EXHIBIT 9: Richard Donovan, Oregon School Boards Association  
00:50:25 Ozzie Rose, North West Education Service District  
00:51:05 EXHIBIT 10: Laurie Wimmer, Oregon Education Association  
00:53:05 EXHIBIT 11: witness registration  
  
00:54:46 **SB 1003 - Public Hearing**  
00:54:50 Chair Roblan  
00:54:57 Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst  
00:56:14 EXHIBIT 12: Morgan Allen, Confederation of Oregon School Administrators (COSA)  
00:58:31 Lori Sattenspiel, Oregon School Boards Association  
00:59:13 Jared Mason-Gere, COSA  
01:00:27 Sen. Kruse  
01:02:07 EXHIBIT 13: Michelle Handsmen, Legislative Assistant, Office of Sen. Kathleen Taylor, Senate District 21  
01:03:39 EXHIBIT 14: Chris Demianew, resident, Umatilla  
01:05:49 EXHIBIT 15: Rebecca Hannafin, resident, Portland  
01:08:20 EXHIBIT 16: witness registration  
01:08:21 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:  
EXHIBIT 17: Amy Cortese, resident, Portland  
EXHIBIT 18: Joann Rossi, affiliation unknown  
EXHIBIT 19: Karen Apgar, school psychologist, Eugene  
EXHIBIT 20: Kristine Fernando, resident, Beaverton  
EXHIBIT 21: Marcia Davis, Irlen Diagnostician, Positive Learning

Solutions, LLC

EXHIBIT 22: Marla Resnick, Director, Language-Learning Connections

EXHIBIT 23: Theresa Sorensen, resident, Happy Valley

EXHIBIT 24: Susan Farmer, teacher and tutor, Oregon

**01:08:22**      **SB 221 - Public Hearing**

**01:08:23**      EXHIBIT 25: Chair Roblan

**01:08:29**      EXHIBIT 26: Rebecca Hannafin, resident, Portland

**01:10:43**      Leif Gustavsan, President, Oregon Association of Colleges for Teacher Education; Dean, College of Education, Pacific University

**01:18:18**      Sen. Kruse

**01:20:24**      Michelle Handmen, Legislative Assistant, Office of Sen. Kathleen Taylor, Senate District 21

**01:21:26**      EXHIBIT 27: Cindy Robert, Oregon Alliance of Independent Colleges and Universities

**01:23:48**      EXHIBIT 28: Erin Prince, Vice-President, Education Policy, The Chalkboard Project

**01:27:02**      Chris Demianew, resident, Umatilla

**01:28:42**      Katelyn Demianew, student, Umatilla

**01:29:32**      Rylee Demianew, student, Umatilla

**01:31:27**      Shannon Cooper, teacher, Portland Public Schools

**01:33:28**      EXHIBIT 29: Monicah McGee, resident, Lake Oswego

**01:36:17**      EXHIBIT 30: Cathy Wyrick, resident, Multnomah

**01:40:16**      EXHIBIT 31: Lisa Lyon Decoding Dyslexia (DD)

**01:42:52**      EXHIBITS 32-37: Diana Sticker, Founding Member, DD

**01:45:06**      Britten Clark-Huyck, resident, Benton County

**01:49:30**      EXHIBIT 38: Marty Stockton, resident, Portland

**01:55:54**      Christina Lincoln, certified language therapist; dyslexic therapist

**01:59:14**      EXHIBIT 39: Jennifer M. Pultz, language skills therapist, The Blosser Center

**02:02:02**      EXHIBIT 40: Michelle Barnette, resident, Clackamas

**02:05:37**      EXHIBIT 41: Susan Farmer, teacher; tutor

**02:10:40**      Monica Bean, Executive Director, Teacher Standards and Practices Commission

**02:11:45**      EXHIBITS 42-43: witness registration

**02:12:14**      The following is submitted to the record without public testimony:

EXHIBIT 44: Alexandra Verdieck-Devlaeminck, family medicine physician, OHSU

EXHIBIT 45: Amy Cortese, resident, Portland

EXHIBIT 46: Betsy Ramsey, Research Associate, Oregon Health and Science University

EXHIBIT 47: Cheryl Anthony, CEO, Successful Learning Educational Services LLC.

EXHIBIT 48: Christy Lincoln, dyslexic therapist and language therapist, Portland

EXHIBIT 49: Dave Porter, resident, Portland

EXHIBIT 50: David P. Hurford, Professor and Chair, Department of Psychology and Counseling; Director, Center for READING, Pittsburg State University

EXHIBIT 51: Dawn Tacker, resident, Silverton

EXHIBIT 52: Diane Turner Maller, resident, Vernonia

EXHIBIT 53: Jane Cooper, President, International Dyslexia Association-Oregon

EXHIBIT 54: Jane Gramenz, dyslexia screener, consultant, and private tutor, Newberg

EXHIBIT 55: Jen Cappalonga, member, Decoding Dyslexia Oregon

EXHIBIT 56: Jennifer Dawson, resident, Portland

EXHIBIT 57: Joann Rossi, affiliation unknown

EXHIBIT 58: Kate McLean, certified Barton Tutor, dyslexia consultant and teacher

EXHIBIT 59: Kathleen George, resident, Dallas

EXHIBIT 60: Kesa Andrews, affiliation unknown

EXHIBIT 61: Kristine Fernando, resident, Beaverton

EXHIBIT 62: R.W. Kamphaus Ph.D., Dean and Professor, College of Education, University of Oregon

EXHIBIT 63: Lonnie Henderson, teacher

EXHIBIT 64: Louisa Moats Ed.D., President, Moats Associates Consulting, Inc., Sun Valley, ID

EXHIBIT 65: Meg Hagan, member, Decoding Dyslexia Oregon

EXHIBIT 66: Mindy Legard, Professor of Education, Linfield College; member, Literacy Teacher Educators

EXHIBIT 67: Morgan Bulson, special education teacher, Oregon

EXHIBIT 68: Randy Hitz, Dean, Graduate School of Education, Portland State University

EXHIBIT 69: Theresa Sorensen, resident, Happy Valley

EXHIBIT 70: Tiffaney Culligan, resident, Beaverton

**02:12:15** **SB 565 - Work Session**

**02:12:21** Chair Roblan

**02:12:41** Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst

**02:12:47** MOTION: VICE-CHAIR LINTHICUM MOVE SB 565 DO PASS AND BE REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON TAX CREDITS BY PRIOR REFERENCE

**02:12:56** VOTE: 3-0-2

AYES: KRUSE, LINTHICUM, ROBLAN

EXCUSED: GELSER, HASS

**02:13:26** Meeting Adjourned