

SENATE COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS AND GENERAL GOVERNMENT

February 12, 2019
08:00 AM

Hearing Room B

MEMBERS PRESENT: Sen. Chuck Riley, Chair
Sen. Fred Girod, Vice-Chair
Sen. Michael Dembrow
Sen. Mark Hass

MEMBER(S) EXCUSED: Sen. Alan Olsen

STAFF PRESENT: Tyler Larson, LPRO Analyst
Maia Daniel, Committee Assistant

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

MEASURES/ISSUES: SB 294 – Public Hearing and Work Session
SB 298 – Public Hearing
SB 227 – Public Hearing
SB 43 – Work Session
SB 76 – Public Hearing and Work Session
SB 77 – Public Hearing and Work Session
SB 78 – Public Hearing and Work Session
SB 251 – Public Hearing

00:00:08 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:10 Chair Riley

00:00:35 **SB 294 - Public Hearing**
00:00:36 Chair Riley
00:00:56 Sen. Bill Hansell, Senate District 29
00:03:40 Susan Roberts, County Commissioner, Wallowa County (via telephone)
00:08:24 Vice-Chair Girod
00:08:45 EXHIBIT 1: witness registration

00:08:48 **SB 294 - Work Session**
00:08:50 Chair Riley
00:08:52 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR GIROD MOVES SB 294 DO PASS
00:09:04 VOTE: 3-0-2
AYES: DEMBROW, GIROD, RILEY
EXCUSED: HASS, OLSEN
CARRIER: SEN. HANSELL WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

00:09:32 **SB 298 - Public Hearing**
00:09:33 Chair Riley
00:09:37 EXHIBIT 2: Tyler Larson, LPRO Analyst
00:10:14 Sen. Bill Hansell, Senate District 29
00:12:18 Brian LaFollette, Co-Owner and Co-Funeral Director, Burns Mortuary of Pendleton; Lafollette's Chapel, Burns (via telephone)
00:14:08 Sen. Hass
00:15:25 EXHIBIT 3: witness registration

00:15:46 **SB 227 - Public Hearing**
00:15:47 Chair Riley
00:15:54 Tyler Larson, LPRO Analyst
00:16:45 EXHIBITS 4-5: Ty Cochrane, member, Cemetery Association of Oregon
00:18:52 Rachel Essig, Executive Director, River View Cemetery, Portland
00:21:53 Sen. Hass
00:24:30 Sen. Dembrow
00:25:56 EXHIBIT 6: witness registration

00:26:09 **SB 43 - Work Session**
00:26:10 EXHIBIT 7: Chair Riley
00:26:16 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR GIROD MOVES TO ADOPT THE -1 AMENDMENTS
00:26:39 VOTE: 4-0-1
AYES: DEMBROW, HASS, GIROD, RILEY
EXCUSED: OLSEN
00:26:43 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR GIROD MOVES SB 43 DO PASS AS AMENDED
00:27:01 VOTE: 4-0-1
AYES: DEMBROW, HASS, GIROD, RILEY
EXCUSED: OLSEN
CARRIER: SEN. RILEY WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

00:27:20 **SB 76 - Public Hearing**
00:27:21 Chair Riley
00:27:28 Tyler Larson, LPRO Analyst
00:28:22 EXHIBITS 8-10: Jack McGrail, Executive Director, Oregon Racing Commission
00:30:11 Jan Palmer, Chair, Oregon Racing Commission
00:30:27 Vice-Chair Girod
00:31:22 EXHIBIT 11: witness registration
00:31:23 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 12: Carey M. Theil, Executive Director, GREY2K USA

00:31:29 **SB 76 - Work Session**
00:31:30 Chair Riley

00:31:32 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR GIROD MOVES SB 76 DO PASS AND BE REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

00:31:57 VOTE: 4-0-1
AYES: DEMBROW, HASS, GIROD, RILEY
EXCUSED: OLSEN

00:32:06 **SB 77 - Public Hearing**

00:32:07 Chair Riley

00:32:11 Tyler Larson, LPRO Analyst

00:32:28 EXHIBITS 13-15: Jack McGrail, Executive Director, Oregon Racing Commission

00:33:56 Sen. Dembrow

00:36:16 Ben Hayes, attorney, US Off-Track

00:36:46 EXHIBIT 16: witness registration

00:36:47 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 17: Carey M. Theil, Executive Director, GREY2K USA

00:36:51 **SB 77 - Work Session**

00:36:52 Chair Riley

00:36:55 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR GIROD MOVES SB 77 DO PASS AND BE REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

00:38:28 VOTE: 4-0-1
AYES: DEMBROW, HASS, GIROD, RILEY
EXCUSED: OLSEN

00:38:44 **SB 78 - Public Hearing**

00:38:45 Chair Riley

00:38:51 Tyler Larson, LPRO Analyst

00:39:06 EXHIBITS 18-20: Jack McGrail, Executive Director, Oregon Racing Commission

00:41:07 EXHIBIT 21: witness registration

00:41:08 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 22: Carey M. Theil, Executive Director, GREY2K USA

00:41:10 **SB 78 - Work Session**

00:41:11 Chair Riley

00:41:14 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR GIROD MOVES SB 78 DO PASS

00:41:31 VOTE: 4-0-1
AYES: DEMBROW, HASS, GIROD, RILEY
EXCUSED: OLSEN
CARRIER: SEN. GIROD WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

00:41:39 **SB 251 - Public Hearing**

00:41:40 Chair Riley

00:41:44 Tyler Larson, LPRO Analyst

00:42:28 EXHIBIT 23: Andrew Stolfi, Insurance Commissioner and Administrator, Division of Financial Regulation, Oregon Department of Consumer and Business Services

00:50:23 Richard Blackwell, Policy Manager, Division of Financial Regulation, Oregon Department of Consumer and Business Services

00:56:49 Tom Simpson, Director, Government Affairs, Standard Insurance

00:58:08 Vice-Chair Girod

01:05:28 EXHIBIT 24: witness registration

01:05:37 Meeting Adjourned