

## SENATE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

February 24, 2022  
01:00 PM

Hearing Room Remote A

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Sen. Michael Dembrow, Chair  
Sen. Chuck Thomsen, Vice-Chair  
Sen. Sara Gelser Blouin  
Sen. Chris Gorsek

**MEMBER(S) EXCUSED:** Sen. Art Robinson

**STAFF PRESENT:** Matthew Perreault, LPRO Analyst  
Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst  
Kaitlyn Bishop, Committee Assistant

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

**MEASURES/ISSUES:** SB 1552 – Public Hearing  
HB 4031 – Work Session  
Informational Meeting  
Virtual Learning Quality Standards

*This meeting was held virtually with remote participation only*

00:00:18 Meeting Called to Order  
00:00:19 Chair Dembrow  
00:01:41 ROLL CALL

00:02:21 **SB 1552 - Public Hearing**  
00:02:22 Chair Dembrow  
00:02:37 Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst  
00:04:06 Sen. Dennis Linthicum, Senate District 28  
00:11:33 Rep. Lily Morgan, House District 3  
00:15:11 Renee Perry, Chief of Staff, Office of Rep. Shelly Boshart Davis, House District 15

00:18:57 **HB 4031 - Work Session**  
00:18:58 Chair Dembrow  
00:19:12 Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst  
00:19:42 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR THOMSEN MOVES HB 4031 DO PASS

**00:20:05** VOTE: 3-1-1  
AYE: GELSER BLOUIN, GORSEK, DEMBROW  
NAY: THOMSEN  
EXCUSED: ROBINSON  
CARRIER: SEN. GORSEK

**00:20:55** **Virtual Learning Quality Standards - Informational Meeting**  
**00:20:56** Chair Dembrow  
**00:22:29** Ken Greenbaum, Director, Digital Learning and Well Rounded Access,  
Oregon Department of Education  
**00:22:48** Allie Ivey, Program Specialist, Digital Learning, Oregon Department of  
Education  
**00:22:58** Kate Pattison, Charter School Specialist, Oregon Department of Education

**00:37:14** **SB 1552 - Public Hearing**  
**00:37:15** Chair Dembrow  
**00:38:21** Melanie Cutler, parent, Eugene  
**00:40:54** Chris Long, School Leader, Oregon Connections Academy  
**00:44:06** Louis De Sitter, Oregon Education Association  
**00:47:46** Christina Duval, parent, Bandon  
**00:50:27** Carol Greenough, resident, Tualatin  
**00:51:51** Diana Fairhurst, Oregonians for Liberty in Education  
**00:53:35** Tricia Powell, President, Oregon Virtual Public Schools Alliance  
**00:56:32** Kason Utz, student, Willamette Connections Academy  
**00:58:44** Nicole Utz, parent, Dallas  
**01:02:01** Betina Frost, resident, Roseburg  
**01:04:18** Melissa Fisher, parent, Beaverton  
**01:11:25** Meeting Adjourned