

**HOUSE COMMITTEE ON HIGHER EDUCATION AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT**

February 25, 2014  
1:30 PM

Hearing Room E

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Rep. Chris Harker, Chair  
Rep. Joe Gallegos, Vice-Chair  
Rep. John Huffman, Vice-Chair  
Rep. Vic Gilliam  
Rep. Chris Gorsek  
Rep. Mitch Greenlick  
Rep. Mark Johnson  
Rep. Barbara Smith Warner  
Rep. Gene Whisnant

**STAFF PRESENT:** Victoria Cox, Committee Administrator  
Lindsay Trant, Committee Assistant

**MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD:** SB 1525 A – Work Session

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**Recording Log**

1:34:10 PM Meeting Called to Order by Chair Harker  
1:34:19 PM Chair Harker  
  
1:34:26 PM **SB 1525 A - Work Session**  
1:34:29 PM Chair Harker  
1:34:44 PM {Exhibit} 1-3: Victoria Cox, Committee Administrator  
1:35:51 PM Chair Harker  
1:35:54 PM MOTION: VICE-CHAIR GALLEGOS MOVES TO ADOPT THE -A21  
AMENDMENTS  
1:36:03 PM Chair Harker  
1:36:20 PM Vice-Chair Huffman  
1:36:27 PM Chair Harker  
1:36:44 PM Vice-Chair Huffman  
1:36:55 PM Rep. Gorsek  
1:37:00 PM Chair Harker  
1:37:01 PM Rep. Whisnant  
1:38:12 PM Chair Harker  
1:38:20 PM Vice-Chair Huffman  
1:39:58 PM Chair Harker  
1:40:42 PM Vice-Chair Huffman  
1:40:51 PM Chair Harker

1:40:57 PM Gina Zedjlik, Chief of Staff, Secretary of State  
1:41:56 PM Vice-Chair Huffman  
1:42:01 PM Brenda Bayes, Deputy Director, Oregon Elections Division  
1:42:58 PM Chair Harker  
1:43:01 PM Rep. Johnson  
1:43:42 PM Chair Harker  
1:43:54 PM Rep. Johnson  
1:44:08 PM Chair Harker  
1:44:19 PM Rep. Whisnant  
1:44:56 PM Dan Gilbert, attorney, Legislative Counsel  
1:46:30 PM Chair Harker  
1:47:02 PM Rep. Whisnant  
1:47:08 PM Chair Harker  
1:47:28 PM Gilbert  
1:47:57 PM Joe Holliday, Oregon University System  
1:48:13 PM Chair Harker  
1:48:27 PM Rep. Whisnant  
1:48:37 PM Holliday  
1:48:48 PM Rep. Whisnant  
1:48:51 PM Holliday  
1:49:14 PM Anna Teske, Oregon University System  
1:49:39 PM Rep. Whisnant  
1:49:55 PM Holliday  
1:50:36 PM Rep. Whisnant  
1:51:23 PM Holliday  
1:51:53 PM Rep. Whisnant  
1:52:18 PM Holliday  
1:52:36 PM Rep. Whisnant  
1:52:59 PM Chair Harker  
1:53:37 PM VOTE: 5-4-0  
1:53:39 PM AYES: GORSEK, GREENLICK, SMITH WARNER, GALLEGOS, HARKER  
1:53:41 PM NAYS: GILLIAM, JOHNSON, WHISNANT, HUFFMAN  
1:53:58 PM Chair Harker  
1:54:24 PM {Exhibit} 4: Vice-Chair Huffman  
1:55:28 PM Chair Harker  
1:55:48 PM Marc Thielman, Superintendent, Alsea School District  
1:58:23 PM Rep. Greenlick  
1:58:25 PM Theilman  
2:02:41 PM Chair Harker  
2:03:17 PM Rep. Johnson  
2:04:13 PM Rep. Whisnant  
2:04:34 PM Chair Harker  
2:04:52 PM MOTION: VICE-CHAIR GALLEGOS MOVES SB 1525 A DO PASS AS AMENDED  
2:05:04 PM Chair Harker  
2:05:10 PM Rep. Johnson

**2:05:27 PM** Chair Harker  
**2:05:41 PM** VOTE: 8-1-0  
**2:05:45 PM** AYES: GORSEK, GREENLICK, JOHNSON, SMITH WARNER,  
WHISNANT, GALLEGOS, HUFFMAN, HARKER  
**2:05:49 PM** NAYS: GILLIAM  
**2:06:04 PM** Vice-Chair Huffman  
**2:06:19 PM** Chair Harker  
**2:06:25 PM** Rep. Gilliam  
**2:06:28 PM** Chair Harker  
**2:06:37 PM** CARRIER: REP. HARKER WILL LEAD THE DISCUSSION ON THE  
FLOOR  
**2:06:42 PM** Chair Harker  
**2:07:11 PM** Vice-Chair Gallegos  
**2:07:32 PM** Chair Harker  
**2:07:41 PM** Cox  
**2:07:54 PM** Chair Harker  
**2:08:00 PM** Meeting Adjourned by Chair Harker

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#### Exhibit Summary

**1:34:44 PM** {Exhibit} 1: SB 1525 A, -A17 amendments, Rep. Nancy Nathanson, 2 pp  
**1:34:44 PM** {Exhibit} 2: SB 1525 A, -A19 amendments, staff, 1 p  
**1:34:44 PM** {Exhibit} 3: SB 1525 A, -A21 amendments, Sen. Mark Hass, 1 p  
**1:54:24 PM** {Exhibit} 4: SB 1525 A, -A14 amendments, Stephen Elzinga, 4 pp