HOUSE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

March 14, 2005 Hearing Room C

1:00 P.M. Tape 25

MEMBERS PRESENT:	Rep. George Gilman, Chair
Rep. Terry Beyer, Vice-Chair	
Rep. Deborah Boone	
Rep. Dave Hunt	
Rep. Kim Thatcher	

MEMBERS EXCUSED: Rep. Chuck Burley, Vice-Chair

Rep. Scott Bruun

STAFF PRESENT: John Houser, Committee Administrator

Mike Reiley, Committee Assistant

MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD:

HB 2107 – Public Hearing and Work Session

HB 2741 – Public Hearing

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TAPE 25, A

002	Chair Gilman	Calls the meeting to order at 1:03 p.m. Opens a public hearing on HB 2107.	
<u>HB 2107 – PUBLIC HEARING</u>			
012	John Houser	Committee Administrator. Introduces HB 2107 and -3 amendments (EXHIBIT A).	
035	Chair Gilman	Closes the public hearing on HB 2107 and opens a work session on HB 2107.	
HB 2107 – WORK SESSION			
040	Rep. Beyer	MOTION: Moves to ADOPT HB 2107-3 amendments dated 3/14/05.	
		VOTE: 5-0-2	
		EXCUSED: 2 - Bruun, Burley	
	Chair Gilman	Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED.	
046	Rep. Beyer	MOTION: Moves HB 2107A to the floor with a DO PASS AS AMENDED recommendation and BE REFERRED to the committee on Ways and Means by prior reference.	
		VOTE: 5-0-2	
		AYE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote Aye.	
		EXCUSED: 2 - Bruun, Burley	
	Chair Gilman	The motion CARRIES.	
070	Chair Gilman	Closes the work session on HB 2107. Opens a public hearing on	
		HB 2741.	

HB 2741 – PUBLIC HEARING

077	Jim Gardner	Hertz Corporation. Testifies in support of HB 2741. Explains that it would create an option for rental car companies to register new vehicles for one-year, two-year, or four-year period to avoid confusion when changing license plates. Notes the potential amendments that would require vehicle renewals to be for two years to conform to the ODOT renewal system.
152	Rep. Beyer	Asks if keeping vehicles for a year is standard across the rental car industry.
155	Gardner	Answers that it is the "industry standard prompted in part by regulatory authorities like ports and airports."
163	Chair Gilman	Closes the public hearing on HB 2741.
166	Houser	Describes the April 8, 2005 committee meeting in Bend.
220	Rep. Beyer	Asks about the composition of the work group to address the speed limit in school zones.
225	Chair Gilman	Assigns Rep. Beyer as the chair of the work group.
228	John Houser	Committee Administrator. Notes that he will bring the names of other interested participants in the work group to the Wednesday, March 16, 2005 committee meeting.
237	Chair Gilman	Adjourns the meeting at 1:21 p.m.

EXHIBIT SUMMARY

A. HB 2107, -3 amendments, staff, 58 pp