

SENATE COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT & LAND USE

March 16, 2005
3:00 P.M.

Hearing Room B
Tapes 45 - 46

Corrected 11/03/05

MEMBERS PRESENT: Sen. Charlie Ringo, Chair
Sen. Jason Atkinson, Vice-Chair
Sen. Frank Shields

MEMBERS EXCUSED: Sen. Roger Beyer
Sen. Ginny Burdick

MEMBER VISITING: Rep. Jackie Dingfelder

STAFF PRESENT: Matt Shields, Committee Administrator
Katie Lowry, Committee Assistant

MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD:
SB 740 – Public Hearing

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TAPE/#	Speaker	Comments
TAPE 45, A		
005	Chair Ringo	Calls meeting to order at 3:06 p.m. States that SB 537 will not be heard today. States that all testimony is welcome on SB 740. Opens A public hearing on SB 740.
<u>SB 740 – PUBLIC HEARING</u>		
020	Rep. Dingfelder	Introduces SB 740 and presentation.
045	Pamela Brody-Heine	Advisory Committee on Electronic Product Stewardship. Introduces herself.
050	Wayne Rifer	Advisory Committee on Electronic Product Stewardship and Rifer Environmental. Introduces himself.
055	Brody-Heine	Submits and presents PowerPoint presentation titled "Report to the 2005 Oregon Legislature: Oregon Advisory Committee on Electronic Product Stewardship" (EXHIBIT A).
110	Chair Ringo	Asks how re-use works generally.
115	Brody-Heine	Explains how re-use works.
117	Chair Ringo	Asks if a hard drive would be taken apart and re-used.
120	Rifer	States that a hard drive probably wouldn't be taken apart, but it may be taken out of one machine and put into another.
122	Chair Ringo	Points out that then it would be an old hard drive.
123	Brody-Heine	Replies yes. States that is okay for some uses.
124	Chair Ringo	Replies okay.
125	Brody-Heine	Continues PowerPoint presentation (EXHIBIT A).
170	Rep. Dingfelder	Gives background on SB 740.
195	Rifer	Submits and presents PowerPoint presentation titled "Electronic Waste Generation" (EXHIBIT B).
300	Janet Matthews	Policy Program Manager, Metro. Discusses disposal ban on electronic waste (e-waste).
360	Matthews	Discusses education about e-waste recycling.
395	Matthews	Gives recommendations of the Advisory Committee on Electronic Product Stewardship.

430	Greg Sampson	Earth Protection Services. Discusses certification process.
TAPE 46, A		
020	Sampson	Continues explanation of certification process.
035		<i>(Note: The committee is now chaired by Sen. Jason Atkinson.)</i>
045	Frank Marella	Corporate Environmental Affairs, Sharp. Submits white paper titled "White Paper on Electronics End-of-Life Management" (EXHIBIT C) . Submits and presents PowerPoint presentation titled "National and State Activity on Electronics" (EXHIBIT D) .
130	Rep. Dingfelder	Asks about national legislation on e-waste.
135	Marella	Responds.
140	Vice-Chair Atkinson	Asks if there is anyone else who would like to testify. Asks for other comments.
145	Sen. Shields	Discusses e-waste. Asks about fee.
160	Marella	Discusses fee.
170	Sen. Shields	Asks about desk computers.
175	Marella	Responds. Makes comment about a split in the industry.
176	Sen. Shields	Asks witness to explain comment.
177	Marella	Explains comment.
205	Vice-Chair Atkinson	Closes the public hearing on SB 740 and adjourns meeting at 3:51 p.m.

EXHIBIT SUMMARY

- A. SB 740, PowerPoint presentation, Pamela Brody-Heine, 3 pp**
- B. SB 740, PowerPoint presentation, Wayne Rifer, 3 pp**
- C. SB 740, white paper, Frank Marella, 17 pp**
- D. SB 740, PowerPoint presentation, Frank Marella, 3 pp**