

**SENATE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON BUDGET – 2005 SESSION
PUBLIC SAFETY SUBCOMMITTEE**

TAPE LOG

**Date: June 1, 2005
Tapes: 4A, 5A**

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Tape / Counter	Speaker	Comments
Members Present: Senators Devlin, Chair Gordly		
Members Excused: Senator Winters		
TAPE 4A		
003	Chair Gordly	Calls the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m. Opens a Work Session on SB 5533 – Criminal Justice Commission . SB 5533 – CRIMINAL JUSTICE COMMISSION (Refer to HB 5020 for prior Exhibits.)
010	Doug Wilson, Legislative Fiscal Office (LFO)	Refers to (Exhibit #1, Memorandum from Doug Wilson, dated June 1, 2005), (Exhibit #2, Criminal Justice Comm., Oregon, Work Session Action Report) . Explains that the commission has two units: the Criminal Justice unit and the Juvenile Crime Prevention unit. (Exhibit #3, Senate Bill 5533) .
039	Doug Wilson	Moves to page 4 in Exhibit #2 reviewing Package 070: Revenue Shortfalls. Comments on the impact of Measure 3.
053	Chair Gordly	Asks if Rep. Olson's bill has been heard on the house side.
055	Craig Prins, Criminal Justice Commission	Explains the status of the bill.
057	Chair Gordly	Asks if the agency supports the measure.
058	Craig Prins	Responds yes.
059	Doug Wilson	Reviews Package 090: Analyst Adjustments and Package 101: Replace Funding Other Fund Revenue Shortfall.
071	Doug Wilson	Discusses Package 104: Fully Fund Merit Increases. Explains LFO is recommending approval.
075	Doug Wilson	Covers Package 107: Eliminate Law Enforcement Contracts Commission. Indicates that LFO is recommending to add back the \$131,643 to the budget.
088	Chair Gordly	Asks what the length of the contract is with Portland State.
090	Craig Prins	Responds it was a year contract.
103	Chair Gordly	Asks how the activity will be covered in the future. Asks if it is the same staffing as the Asset Forfeiture.
109	Craig Prins	Responds yes it is the same staff person.
121	Chair Gordly	Comments about completing a long range comprehensive plan.
130	Doug Wilson	Moves to page 6 of 9 in Exhibit #1 discussing Package 300: Transfer Juvenile Crime Prevention Grants. Discusses the LFO recommendation.
139	Doug Wilson	Reviews Package 801: LFO Analyst Adjustments.
142	Doug Wilson	Covers Package 811: Special Budget Committee Adjustments #1.

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156	Doug Wilson	Reviews Package 812: Special Budget Committee Adjustments #2 explaining that LFO is recommending approval of the package.
173	Chair Gordly	Asks what outcomes that they are expecting with that small investment.
179	Craig Prins	Replies regarding prevention of methamphetamine and believes the package will get to that issue.
186	Chair Gordly	Clarifies the question that she was asking about regarding the Oregon partnership.
190	Craig Prins	Replies that they are putting together a TV campaign for public service announcements as well as radio ads. Explains that they will also be putting together community kits for use in educating about methamphetamine.
209	Doug Wilson	Covers page 8 of 9 in Exhibit #1 discussing the Juvenile Crime Prevention unit. Covers Package 070: Revenue Shortfalls.
216	Doug Wilson	Reviews Package 104: Fully Fund Merit Increases.
222	Doug Wilson	Covers Package 105: Increase FTE (.09) Position #10.
230	Doug Wilson	Discusses Package 300: Transfer Juvenile Crime Prevention Grants.
242	Chair Gordly	Asks how it is reflected in the House Budget plan.
245	Doug Wilson	Responds it fully funds the transfer. Believes that the Senate cuts it back to 2 or 3 million for the Juvenile Crime Prevention.
248	Sen. Devlin	Clarifies about 4 million.
249	Doug Wilson	Indicates it is cut in the Senate version.
254	Doug Wilson	Refers back to the memo (Exhibit #1), page 2 discussing the bulleted points titled "Outstanding Issues".
269	Chair Gordly	Asks if the co-chairs are fully aware of both of the issues and the fiscal impact.
273	Doug Wilson	Replies that he doesn't believe that they have talked about it.
279	Craig Prins	Clarifies the question and indicates that if nothing happens legislatively and measure 3 is overturned they would be able to civil forfeiture as it was done before measure 3 which would mean that there would be money coming into the state.
309	Chair Gordly	Speaks about the conversation she had with Mr. Olson about the split regarding drug cleanup.
319	Doug Wilson	Explains as the meth proposals come through they need to look at how drug courts may be funded through the proposal and then elaborates.
334	Chair Gordly	Asks if the House has the same level of awareness.
336	Doug Wilson	Agrees to speak to them about the drug courts.
339	Doug Wilson	Comments on the second bulleted item under "Outstanding Issues" in Exhibit #1.
349	Doug Wilson	Covers the final bulleted item under "Outstanding Issues" reviewing the budget note that is being recommended. Explains that a motion may be in order to accept the LFO recommendations before them.

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373	Sen. Devlin	MOVES to accept all of the recommendations from the LFO office.
378	Chair Gordly	Vote: 2 – 0 – 1 Ayes: Senators Devlin, Chair Gordly Exc.: Senator Winters Hearing no objections, declares the motion CARRIED .
381	Doug Wilson	Discusses the change in the appropriation bill.
390	Sen. Devlin	MOVES to accept the LFO recommendations to amend HB 5022 in SB 5533 with the LFO changes noted in Exhibit #1 and the technical change that Mr. Wilson just discussed.
398	Chair Gordly	Vote: 2 – 0 – 1 Ayes: Senators Devlin, Chair Gordly Exc.: Senator Winters Hearing no objections, declares the motion CARRIED .
403	Doug Wilson	Covers the Performance Measures found on page 3 of Exhibit #1. Reviews the three performance measures in Exhibit #1.
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003	Doug Wilson	Continues discussing the performance measures and specifically discusses the language of the budget note found on the bottom of page 3 in Exhibit #1.
016	Chair Gordly	Adds for the record that ultimately what they are trying to get to is the ability to measure the effectiveness of a coordinated criminal justice system. Asks him to keep that framework in mind for future reference.
022	Sen. Devlin	Indicates he is fine with the LFO recommendation and then elaborates about an entity that is comparable to the commission that might have performance measures in place. Comments on the difficulty of what they can measure.
041	Chair Gordly	Replies that she does have an interest on serving on the Audit Committee. Discusses the good expertise and information that is out there and available to draw upon.
055	Craig Prins	Indicates his thoughts about measuring the relevance of the commission. They see the Legislature as their customer. Agrees that it is a difficult task and he believes that they need to look at recidivism rates, etc.
076	Chair Gordly	Agrees that his comments are very good.
078	Doug Wilson	Explains that they are ready to deal with a motion.
080	Sen. Devlin	MOVES to accept the budget note that has been requested by LFO.
083	Chair Gordly	Vote: 2 – 0 – 1 Ayes: Senators Devlin, Chair Gordly Exc.: Senator Winters Hearing no objections, declares the motion CARRIED .
084	Sen. Devlin	MOVES SB 5533, as Amended, to the Full Senate Special Budget Committee with a “do pass” recommendation.
089	Chair Gordly	Vote: 2 – 0 – 1

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		Ayes: Senators Devlin, Chair Gordly Exc.: Senator Winters Hearing no objections, declares the motion CARRIED .
090	Doug Wilson	Explains that they are finished with that part of the agenda.
083	Chair Gordly	Closes the Work Session on SB 5533. SB 5577 – DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE – WORK SESSION Opens a Work Session on SB 5577 – Department of Justice. Explains that it is a possible reconsideration and work session of SB 5577. Indicates that the chair requests unanimous consent that the rules be suspended to allow a motion to reconsider the vote by which SB 5577 was reported out with a recommendation to the full committee. Seeing no objections indicates that the chair would accept a motion.
103	Sen. Devlin	MOVES to reconsider the vote by which SB 5577 was reported out with a recommendation to the Full Committee.
105	Chair Gordly	Vote: 2 – 0 – 1 Ayes: Senators Devlin, Chair Gordly Exc.: Senator Winters Hearing no objections, declares the motion CARRIED . Notes that the bill is back before the subcommittee.
109	Doug Wilson	Explains what the budget note instructs the agency to do. (Exhibit #4, Department of Justice Budget Note), (Exhibit #5, Senate Bill 5577).
121	Chair Gordly	Asks if the Attorney General wishes to comment on the budget note.
122	Hardy Myers, Attorney General	Responds no.
124	Sen. Devlin	Indicates he is willing to vote for the budget note but believes that it is valid to be able to track the cost of litigation that the State enters into, but also believes they need to recognize that there are very legitimate cases where the state needs to enter into litigation. Comments on the purpose behind the budget note explaining when he would have a problem with it.
142	Chair Gordly	Wants the record to show that she is joining Sen. Devlin in his statement regarding the concern of the budget note. Agrees to accept a motion.
146	Sen. Devlin	MOVES to accept the budget note as has been explained to them by LFO.
149	Chair Gordly	Vote: 2 – 0 – 1 Ayes: Senators Devlin, Chair Gordly Exc.: Senator Winters Hearing no objections, declares the motion CARRIED .
150	Doug Wilson	Explains they need to move the bill to the Full Committee.
152	Sen. Devlin	MOVES SB5577, as Amended, back to the Full Committee with a Do Pass recommendation.

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156	Chair Gordly	Vote: 2 – 0 – 1 Ayes: Senators Devlin, Chair Gordly Exc.: Senator Winters Hearing no objections, declares the motion CARRIED.
159	Doug Wilson	Explains that there is no meeting scheduled for tomorrow for the subcommittee.
160	Chair Gordly	Adjourns the meeting at 2:45 p.m.