

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON TRADE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

March 03, 2003 Hearing Room D
1:00 PM Tape 20

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Patti Smith, Chair
 Rep. Vicki Berger, Vice-Chair
 Rep. Mary Gallegos, Vice-Chair
 Rep. Mark Hass
 Rep. Dave Hunt
 Rep. Steve March
 Rep. Dennis Richardson

STAFF PRESENT: Kimberly A. Medford, Committee Administrator
 Linda K. Gatto, Committee Assistant

MEASURE/ISSUES HEARD: Work Session
 Introduction of Committee Bills

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<u>TAPE/#</u>	<u>Speaker</u>	<u>Comments</u>
TAPE 20, A		
003	Chair Smith	Calls the meeting to order at 1:15 p.m. and opens the work session for the purpose of introduction of committee bills.
<u>WORK SESSION</u>		
010	Bruce Anderson	Legislative Director to Speaker Karen Minnis. States that all bills relate to economic development. Reviews each LC Draft, (EXHIBIT A) . LC 3035 – Department of Economic and Community Development (ODECD) and marketing of Oregon products. LC 3036 – Department of Land Conservation and Development, (DLCD) and OECCD improving economic planning assistance to local governments. LC 3037 – Columbia River dredging. LC 3038 – Increasing timber harvest levels. LC 3039 – Directing OECCD to promote business recruitment and expansion. LC 3040 – Designating sites for industrial development. LC 3041 – Establishing a task force to review streamlining the permitting process.
038	Rep. Gallegos	MOTION: Moves LC's: 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3041 BE INTRODUCED as committee bills.
045	Rep Hunt	States a conflict of interest relating to LC 3037.
050		VOTE: 7-0
	Chair Smith	Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED.
057	Kimberly A Medford	Committee Administrator. Reviews LC Drafts at the request of the Auto Dealers Association, (EXHIBIT B) .

		LC 3270 – Adds motor vehicles with gross vehicle weight of 8500 pounds or more to the lemon law.
		LC 3271 – Modifies the limitation on penalty wages for failure to pay wages on termination.
		LC 3245 – Increasing the penalty for failure to deliver vehicle documents on transfer of a vehicle.
		LC 3246 – Limiting the obligations for a motor vehicle owner to notify prospective buyers of previous repurchase of motor vehicle to motor vehicle repurchased for failure or inability to conform to express warranties.
073	Rep. Berger	MOTION: Moves LC's: 3270, 3271, 3245, 3246 BE INTRODUCED as committee bills.
077		VOTE: 7-0
	Chair Smith	Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED.
081	Medford	Announces that there are a few additional LC Drafts, (EXHIBIT C).
		LC 3203 relating to OECDD.
		LC 3205 relating to the Oregon Business Task Force.
		LC 3206 relating to Oregon businesses specializing in environmental protection.
091	Rep. Richardson	States that these bills are designed to stimulate greater trade development between Oregon and China.
102	Rep. Richardson	MOTION: Moves LC's: 3203, 3205, 3206 BE INTRODUCED as committee bills.
094	Rep. Richardson	Provides details on LC 3203, 3205, and 3206.
		VOTE: 7-0
	Chair Smith	Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED.
144	Rep. Richardson	MOTION: Moves LC 3450 BE INTRODUCED as a committee bill.
149	Rep. Richardson	Explains LC 3450.
		VOTE: 7-0
	Chair Smith	Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED.
137	Chair Smith	Closes the work session and adjourns the meeting at 1:35 p.m.

EXHIBIT SUMMARY

A – LC Drafts 3035 dated 2/24/03, 3036 dated 2/25/03, 3037 dated 2/24/03, 3038 dated 2/24/03, 3039 dated 2/25/03, 3040 dated 2/28/03, 3041 dated 2/26/03, Speaker Karen Minnis, 10 pp

B – LC Drafts 3245 dated 2/25/03, 3246 dated 2/28/03, 3270 dated 3/3/03, 3271 dated 3/3/03, Auto Dealers Association, 12 pp

C – LC Drafts 3203, 3205, 3206 dated 3/3/03, 3450 dated 2/28/03, Representative Dennis Richardson, 6 pp