

SENATE COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RESOURCES

April 16, 2003
1:00 pm

Hearing Room B
Tapes 40 - 41

MEMBERS PRESENT: **Sen. Bill Fisher, Chair**
 Sen. Bill Morrisette, Vice-Chair
 Sen. Kate Brown
 Sen. Ginny Burdick
 Sen. Bev Clarno
 Sen. Charles Starr

STAFF PRESENT: **Marjorie Taylor, Administrator**
 Saranelle Allen, Committee Assistant

MEASURE/ISSUES HEARD: **SB 885 – Public Hearing**
 HB 2240 - Public Hearing and Work Session
 HB 2517 - Public Hearing and Work Session
 HJM 3 - Public Hearing and Work Session

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<u>TAPE/#</u>	<u>Speaker</u>	<u>Comments</u>
Tape 40, A		
	Chair Fisher	Convenes meeting at 1:14 pm and opens a public hearing on SB 885.
<u>SB 885 – PUBLIC HEARING</u>		
025	Marjorie Taylor Sen. Peter Courtney Ann Cruzen	Administrator. Explains bill. District 11. Testifies in support of SB 885. Parent. Testifies in support of SB 885. Explains a three year personal experience in the loss of a child and subsequent law suit and further expresses concern over current autopsy consent reports (EXHIBIT A).
408	Barbara Glidewell	OHSU. Testifies in support of SB 885 for written consent and authorization on autopsy reports (EXHIBIT B). Suggests that if a standardized form is being developed that input from various agencies in the state would be appropriate.
Tape 41, A		
045	Dr. Grant Higginson	Department of Human Services. Testifies in support of SB 885 and concurs in developing a standardized autopsy form and insuring its use in all state facilities (EXHIBIT C).
100	Sen. Morrisette Charles Cheek	Asks what facilities in Oregon do autopsies? Deputy Legislative Counsel. Advises that an autopsy cannot be performed without prior written consent.
150	Rod Norton Chair Fisher Cheek	Attorney, OHSU. Available for any questions. Asks question on phone requests or denials on autopsies. Advises that the bill was developed with the 'consumer' in mind.
210	Cruzen Dr. Higginson	Reviews other specifics on language and interpretation on autopsy consent forms. Suggests implementing a process to develop a standardized form,

	Chair Fisher	utilizing other medical professionals, citizen focus groups, lawyers, etc.
440	Dr. Higginson Sen. Clarno	Asks several questions on implementing a process and any fiscal impact. Concurs on working in a way to not impact the fiscal aspects. Asks that Dr. Higginson look into forms used by other states for comparison.
	Chair Fisher	Asks if Cheek could work on a draft document and send on to OHSU and Dr. Higginson for opinion and input. Closes public hearing on SB 885 and opens a public hearing on HJM 3.

Tape 40, B

HJM 3 – PUBLIC HEARING

020	Rep. Tom Butler	District 60. Testifies in support of HJM 3, for Taiwan’s participation in the World Health Organization.
	Chair Fisher	Closes public hearing and opens a work session on HJM 3.

HJM 3 – WORK SESSION

039	Sen. Brown	MOTION: Moves HJM 3 to the floor with a DO PASS recommendation.
041		VOTE: 6-0
		AYE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote Aye.
043	Chair Fisher	The motion CARRIES.
	Chair Fisher	SEN. C. STARR will lead discussion on the floor. Closes work session on HJM 3 and opens a public hearing on HB 2240.

HB 2240 – PUBLIC HEARING

050	Marjorie Taylor	Administrator. Explains bill and the -3 and -4 amendments
	Chair Fisher	(EXHIBIT D). Explains the emergency clause in the -4 amendment.
056	Jo Ann Bones	Board of Dentistry. Testifies in support of HB 2240 and the -4 amendments (EXHIBIT E).
078	Jane Myers	Oregon Dental Association. States she is in agreement on the HB 2240 and -4 amendment.
	Paul Cosgrove	Oregon Dental Hygienists Association. Concurs in support of HB 2240 and -4 amendment.
099	Chair Fisher	Closes public hearing and opens a work session on HB 2240.

HB 2240 – WORK SESSION

104	Sen. Morrisette	MOTION: Moves to ADOPT HB 2240-4 amendments dated 04/08/03.
106		VOTE: 5-0
		AYE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote Aye.
	Chair Fisher	EXCUSED: 1 - Burdick
108	Sen. Morrisette	The motion CARRIES. MOTION: Moves HB 2240 to the floor with a DO PASS AS AMENDED recommendation.
110		VOTE: 5-0
		AYE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote Aye.
	Chair Fisher	EXCUSED: 1 - Sen. Burdick
		The motion CARRIES.
		SEN. MORRISETTE will lead discussion on the floor.
120	Chair Fisher	Closes work session on HB 2240 and opens a public hearing on HB 2517.

HB 2517 – PUBLIC HEARING

140	Marjorie Taylor	Administrator. Explains bill.
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220 Jim Edge Acting Assistant Administrator, OMAP. Advises intent of the bill and new HIPPA regulations on the bill.
Chair Fisher Closes public hearing and opens a work session on HB 2517.
HB 2517 – WORK SESSION
304 Sen. C. Starr **MOTION: Moves HB 2517 to the floor with a DO PASS recommendation.**
306 **VOTE: 4-0**
AYE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote Aye.
EXCUSED: 2 - Burdick, Morrisette
Chair Fisher **The motion CARRIES.**
SEN. FISHER will lead discussion on the floor.
319 Chair Fisher Closes work session on HB 2517 and adjourns meeting at 2:38 p.m.

EXHIBIT SUMMARY

- A – SB 885, written testimony, Ann Cruzen, 22 pp.**
- B – SB 885, written testimony, Barbara Glidewell, 1 p.**
- C – SB 885, written testimony, Dr. Grant Higginson, 1 p.**
- D – HB 2240, proposed -3, -4 amendments, staff, 2 pp.**
- E – HB 2240, written testimony, Jo Ann Bones, 4 pp.**