

# SENATE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC STIMULUS

February 8, 2002 Hearing Room B  
2:30 PM Tape 1

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**        **Sen. Jason Atkinson, Chair**  
                                 **Sen. Ryan Deckert**  
                                 **Sen. Ken Messerle**  
                                 **Sen. Rick Metsger**  
                                 **Sen. Dave Nelson**

**STAFF PRESENT:**        **Cara Filsinger, Committee Administrator**  
                                 **Andrew Morris, Committee Assistant**

**ISSUES HEARD:**        **SB 1000 Work Session**  
                                 **SB 1001 Work Session**  
                                 **SB 1002 Work Session**  
                                 **SB 1003 Work Session**  
                                 **SB 1004 Work Session**

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<b>TAPE/#</b>	<b>Speaker</b>	<b>Comments</b>
<b>TAPE 1, A</b>		
004	Chair Atkinson	Calls meeting to order at 2:38 p.m. and opens a work session to adopt the committee rules.
<b><u>ADOPTION OF RULES</u></b>		
011	Sen. Metsger	<b>MOTION: Moves to ADOPT the proposed Committee Rules (EXHIBIT A).</b> <b>VOTE: 4-0-1</b> <b>EXCUSED: 1 – Nelson</b>
015	Chair Atkinson	<b>Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED.</b>
021	Chair Atkinson	Closes the work session to adopt committee rules and opens a work session on SB 1000.
<b><u>SB 1000 WORK SESSION</u></b>		
023	Cara Filsinger	Administrator. Explains SB 1000 to the committee
029	Sen. Metsger	<b>MOTION: Moves SB 1000 to the floor with a DO PASS recommendation.</b> <b>VOTE: 5-0</b>
035	Chair Atkinson	<b>Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED.</b> <b>SEN. METSGER will lead discussion on the floor.</b>
040	Chair Atkinson	Closes the work session on SB 1000 and opens a work session on SB 1001.
<b><u>SB 1001 WORK SESSION</u></b>		
042	Pete Shepherd	Deputy Attorney General. Testifies on SB 1001. Asks that the proposed amendment be examined during the interim and acted on at the next regular session.

065 Sen. Messerle Asks if the bill is interstate or international.  
066 Shepherd Responds it only applies between states.  
070 Scott Gallant Oregon Medical Association. Explains the proposed amendment.  
102 Sen. Nelson Asks for clarification.  
109 Sen. Metsger Asks about the definition of the “officers of the state.”  
114 Shepherd Responds it is not a change in the status quo.  
121 Chair Atkinson Closes the work session on SB 1001 and opens a work session on SB 1002.

**SB 1002 WORK SESSION**

124 Filsinger Explains SB 2002 to the committee.  
128 Sen. Nelson **MOTION: Moves SB 1002 to the floor with a DO PASS recommendation.**  
**VOTE: 5-0**  
133 Chair Atkinson **Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED. SEN. NELSON will lead discussion on the floor.**  
135 Chair Atkinson Closes the work session on SB 1002 and opens a work session on SB 1003.

**SB 1003 WORK SESSION**

137 Filsinger Explains SB 1003 to the committee.  
140 Chair Atkinson Comments on SB 1003.  
144 Sen. Nelson **MOTION: Moves SB 1003 to the floor with a DO PASS recommendation.**  
**VOTE: 5-0**  
146 Chair Atkinson **Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED. SEN. NELSON will lead discussion on the floor.**  
148 Chair Atkinson Closes the work session on SB 1003 and opens a work session on SB 1004.

**SB 1004 WORK SESSION**

151 Filsinger Explains SB 1004  
155 Sen. Messerle Asks about the monetary savings in SB 1004.  
161 Jim Green Oregon School Board Association. Responds that the specific saving is unknown. Adds that SB 1004 is voluntary. States the bill is a cost containment measure for schools.  
172 Sen. Nelson **MOTION: Moves SB 1004 to the floor with a DO PASS recommendation.**  
**VOTE: 5-0**  
175 Chair Atkinson **Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED. SEN. MESSERLE will lead discussion on the floor.**  
178 Chair Atkinson Closes the work session on SB 1004 and adjourns the meeting at 2:52 p.m.

Submitted By,

Reviewed By,

Andrew Morris,  
Committee Assistant

Cara Filsinger,  
Administrator

**EXHIBIT SUMMARY**

**A – Committee Rules, Submitted by Staff, 1 p.**