

**HOUSE COMMITTEE ON STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT AND SCHOOL  
ACCOUNTABILITY**

May 08, 2001  
8:30 A.M.

Hearing Room E  
Tapes 96-98

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**     **Rep. Vic Backlund, Chair**  
                                  **Rep. Elaine Hopson, Vice Chair**  
**Rep. Tootie Smith, Vice Chair**  
                                  **Rep. Phil Barnhart**  
                                  **Rep. Bill Morrisette**  
                                  **Rep. Donna Nelson**  
                                  **Rep. Mary Nolan**  
                                  **Rep. Bruce Starr**  
                                  **Rep. Cliff Zauner**

**MEMBER EXCUSED:**  
**STAFF PRESENT:**       **Janet Adkins, Committee Administrator**  
                                  **Paula Merritt, Committee Assistant**

**MEASURE/ISSUES HEARD:**     **HB 3941 Work Session**  
                                  **HB 3429 Work Session**  
                                  **HB 3403 Work Session**  
                                  **HB 3712 Work Session**  
                                  **HB 2851 Work Session**  
                                  **SB 330 Public Hearing and Work Session**  
                                  **SB 250 A Public Hearing and Work Session**

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TAPE/#	Speaker	Comments
<b>TAPE 96, A</b>		
003	Chair Backlund	Calls committee to order at 8:30 a.m. and opens a work session on HB 3941.
<b><u>HB 3941-WORK SESSION</u></b>		
005	Janet Adkins	Committee Administrator. Explains HB 3941 and the -2 amendments ( <b>EXHIBIT A</b> ).
029	Rep. Starr	<b>MOTION: Moves to ADOPT HB 3941-2 amendments dated 04/24/01 and that the -2 amendments be FURTHER AMENDED on page 3, line 31, by inserting "\$230,000" instead of "\$170,000."</b>
030	Chair Backlund	<b>Declares the motion CARRIED.</b>
031	Rep. Starr	<b>MOTION: Moves HB 3941 to the floor with a DO PASS AS AMENDED recommendation and BE REFERRED to the committee on Ways and Means.</b>
032	Rep. Starr	<b>VOTE: 7-2</b> <b>AYE:           7 - Barnhart, Morrisette, Nelson, Smith T, Starr, Zauner, Backlund</b> <b>NAY:           2 - Hopson, Nolan</b>
033	Chair Backlund	<b>The motion CARRIES.</b>
050	Rep. Hopson	Voices her concern with this vote. Wants committee to understand the fiscal impact dollar amount. States that this bill

091 Rep. Morrisette does not improve reading.  
Disagrees with Rep. Hopson and believes the program has been well thought out.

107 Chair Backlund Mentions the importance of reading. Believes this bill is a good thing.

119 Rep. Nolan Opposes the bill's method used for funding by taking funds from one education program to another.

132 Rep. Nelson Asks where funding would come from.

133 Adkins Responds the General Fund but is not part of the Governor's budget.

135 Chair Backlund Closes work session on HB 3941 and opens work session on HB 3429.

**HB 3429 WORK SESSION**

100 Adkins Explains HB 3429 and the –4 amendments (**EXHIBIT B**).

110 Chair Backlund Recesses work session on HB 3429 and opens a work session on HB 3403.

**HB 3403 WORK SESSION**

190 Rep. Richard Devlin District 24. Explains HB 3403 and the –1 amendments (**EXHIBIT C**). Presents testimony supporting HB 3403.

**191 Rep. Starr MOTION: Moves to ADOPT HB 3403-1 amendments dated 05/07/01.**

**192 Chair Backlund Declares the motion CARRIED.**

256 Adkins Explains a minimal fiscal impact statement.

257 Rep. Smith States she will not vote for this bill.

283 Rep. Nolan Comments on unfunded mandates and believes there should be consistency around the state.

310 Rep. Barnhart Concurs.

335 Rep. Hopson Agrees and supports bill.

370 Rep. Nelson Comments on mandates and believes this is not a mandate.

**192 Rep. Starr MOTION: Moves HB 3403 to the floor with a DO PASS AS AMENDED recommendation.**

**254 Rep. Smith VOTE: 8-1**  
**AYE: 8 - Barnhart, Hopson, Morrisette, Nelson, Nolan, Starr, Zauner, Backlund**  
**NAY: 1 - Smith T**

255 **Chair Backlund The motion CARRIES.**  
**Rep. Devlin will carry bill on the floor.**

380 Chair Backlund Closes work session on HB 3403 and reopens a work session on HB 3429.

**HB 3429 WORK SESSION**

400 Adkins Explains that the center is authorized to seek contributions and federal assistance.

**TAPE 97, A**

**028 Rep. Starr MOTION: Moves to ADOPT HB 3429-4 amendments dated 05/02/01.**

**030 Chair Backlund Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED.**

030 Rep. Hopson Voices her opposition to HB 3429. Asks if the Department of Higher Education knows this has been assigned to them. Reads from bill.

073 Rep. Morrisette Mentions the shooting in Springfield and the studies done on violence. Comments on the process getting in the way of a good bill.

100 Adkins Refers to the 2<sup>nd</sup> page of the –4 amendments.  
 118 Rep. Barnhart Comments on how college education department feels about this bill.  
 150 Rep. Smith States that she will vote for but will not support on the floor.  
 160 Rep. Nelson Comments on fiscal impact.  
 183 Rep. Starr Refers to page three of the hand engrossed bill.  
 184 Rep. Nolan States that positions on the board will be held by state employees.  
 185 Rep. Nelson Asks if this bill can go to Ways and Means.  
 211 Rep. Barnhart Believes these positions will be on a per diem basis  
 224 Rep. Hopson Refers to page 4 of the bill and suggests this is over the threshold to go to Ways and Means.  
 233 Chair Backlund Believes the committee should vote on.  
 234 **Rep. Starr** **MOTION: Moves HB 3429 to the floor with a DO PASS AS AMENDED recommendation.**  
**VOTE: 5-4**  
**AYE: 5 - Barnhart, Morrisette, Nelson, Starr, Backlund**  
**NAY: 4 - Hopson, Nolan, Smith T, Zauner**  
 235 **Chair Backlund** **The motion CARRIES.**  
**REP. MORRISETTE will lead discussion on the floor.**  
 250 Chair Backlund Closes work session on HB 3429 and opens a work session HB 2851.

**HB 2851 WORK SESSION**

Rep. Gary Hansen District 17. Explains HB 2851.  
 340 Adkins Submits –1 and -2 amendments **(EXHIBIT D)**.  
 342 Adkins Explains there is not an appropriation in the bill  
**TAPE 96, B**  
 003 Rep. Barnhart States that dorms are paid for by room and board charges.  
 022 Rep. Smith Mentions that they have not received all the information that was requested on this bill.  
 030 Rep. Hanson Responds that in moving to Ways and Means there will be full dollar figures given and also a discussion on scheduling.  
 040 Lisa Zavala Associate Director, Oregon University System. Comments on room and board fees and gives an estimated cost of 31.5 million dollars.  
 050 Rep. Zauner Comments on length of time to complete improvements.  
 070 **Rep. Hopson** **MOTION: Moves to ADOPT HB 2851-2 amendments dated 05/07/01.**  
**VOTE: 9-0**  
 071 **Chair Backlund** **Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED.**  
 072 **Rep. Hopson** **MOTION: Moves HB 2851as amended to the floor WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION as to passage and BE REFERRED to the committee on Ways and Means.**  
**VOTE: 9-0**  
**AYE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote Aye.**  
 075 **Chair Backlund** **The motion CARRIES.**  
 080 Chair Backlund Closes work session on HB 2851 and opens work session on HB 3712.

**HB 3712 WORK SESSION**

090 Staff Submits the -2 amendments **(EXHIBIT E)**.  
 100 **Rep. Starr** **MOTION: Moves to ADOPT HB 3712-2 amendments dated**

101 Chair Backlund  
102 Rep. Starr  
107 Rep. Starr

05/07/01.

Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED.  
Comments on the -2 amendments.

**MOTION: Moves HB 3712 to the floor with a DO PASS AS AMENDED recommendation and the SUBSEQUENT REFERRAL to the committee on Ways and Means BE RESCINDED.**

**VOTE: 9-0**

**AYE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote Aye. The motion CARRIES.**

109 Chair Backlund  
110 Chair Backlund

Closes work session on HB 3712 and opens a public hearing on SB 330.

**SB 330 PUBLIC HEARING**

190 Adkins  
200 Tom Turner

Explains SB 300.

Legislative Coordinator, Student Assistance Commission.

Submits and presents written testimony (**EXHIBIT F**) supporting SB 330.

261 Chair Backlund

Closes public hearing and opens work session.

**SB 330 WORK SESSION**

262 Rep. Hopson

**MOTION: Moves SB 330 to the floor with a DO PASS Recommendation and be placed on the CONSENT CALENDAR.**

**VOTE: 9-0**

**AYE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote Aye. The motion CARRIES.**

263 Chair Backlund  
264 Chair Backlund

Closes work session on SB 330 and opens a public hearing on SB 250.

**SB 250 PUBLIC HEARING**

297 Adkins  
298 Courtney Vanderstek

Explains SB 250.

Assistant Executive Director, Oregon Education Association.

Submits and presents written testimony (**EXHIBIT G**)

350 Marjorie Enneking

Portland State University. Submits and presents written testimony supporting SB 250 (**EXHIBIT H**).

**TAPE 97, B**

005 Joanne Flint

Oregon Department of Education. Submits and presents written testimony (**EXHIBIT I**).

015 Chair Backlund

Closes public hearing and opens work session.

**SB 250 WORK SESSION**

049 Rep. Hopson

**MOTION: Moves SB 250A to the floor with a DO PASS recommendation and be placed on the CONSENT CALENDAR.**

**VOTE: 8-0**

**AYE: 8 - Barnhart, Hopson, Morrisette, Nolan, Smith T, Starr, Zauner, Backlund**

**EXCUSED: 1 - Nelson**

051 Chair Backlund  
052 Chair Backlund

**The motion CARRIES.**

Closes work session and adjourns committee at 10:15 a.m.

Submitted By,

Reviewed By,

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Janet Adkins,

Committee Assistant

Committee Administrator

**EXHIBIT SUMMARY**

**A - HB 3941, -2 amendments, staff, 4 pp.**

**B - HB 3429, -4 amendments, staff, 2 pp.**

**C - HB 3403, -1 amendments, staff, 1 page**

**D - HB 2851, -1 and -2 amendments, staff 2 pp.**

**E - HB 3712, -2 amendments, staff, 1 page**

**F - SB 300, written testimony, Tom Turner, 1 page**

**G - SB 250, written testimony, Courtney Vanderstek, 1 page**

**H - SB 250, written testimony and various materials, Marjorie Enneking, 7 pp.**

**I - SB 250, written testimony, Joanne Flint, 2 pp.**