

SENATE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

June 18, 2001 Hearing Room B
3:00 PM Tapes 98 - 99

MEMBERS PRESENT: Sen. Charles Starr, Chair
Sen. Susan Castillo, Vice-Chair
Sen. Ryan Deckert
Sen. Ted Ferrioli
Sen. Bill Fisher
Sen. Avel Gordly
Sen. Tom Hartung

STAFF PRESENT: Jan McComb, Administrator
Andrew Morris, Committee Assistant

MEASURES HEARD: SB 1 Public Hearing and Work Session

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<u>TAPE/#</u>	<u>Speaker</u>	<u>Comments</u>
<u>TAPE 98, A</u>		
004	Chair Starr	Calls the meeting to order at 3:12 p.m. and opens a public hearing on SB 1.
<u>SB 1 PUBLIC HEARING</u>		
008	Jan McComb	Committee Administrator. Explains SB 1 to the committee. Comments on the Attorney General's opinion.
030	Sen. Verne Duncan	SD 12. Testifies in opposition to SB 1. Explains the history of the Oregon Constitution. Provides personal opinion.
099	Sen. Ferrioli	Comments on working SB 1 in a public setting.
111	Sen. Duncan	States that SB 1 circumvents the public process.
118	Sen. Gordly	Reviews arguments from a previous hearing on SB 1. States the issue presented should be voted on by constituents. Comments on the election process.
158	Sen. Fisher	Relates concerns about recent misuses by the current Education Superintendent.
169	Sen. Duncan	Comments on public scrutiny.
178	Sen. Fisher	Reiterates previous statement.
182	Sen. Duncan	Comments on employment in state government.
195	Sen. Fisher	Relates that SB 1 could be used as an accountability tool.
220	Marcia Kelley	American Association of University Women. Testifies in opposition to SB 1. Gives reasons why the association does not support the bill. Comments on accountability to voters.
271	Chair Hartung	Closes the public hearing on SB 1 and opens a work session on SB 1.
<u>SB 1 WORK SESSION</u>		
274	Sen. Fisher	MOTION: Moves SB 1 to the floor with a DO PASS recommendation.
289	Sen. Gene Derfler	Senate President. Testifies in support of SB 1. Comments on elected officials. Reviews conversations he has had with the

Governor. Relates the reason SB 1 was proposed.

VOTE: 4-3

AYE: 4 – Castillo, Fisher, Hartung, Starr

NAY: 3 – Deckert, Ferrioli, Gordly

The motion CARRIES.

SEN. DERFLER will lead discussion on the floor.

Gives a vote explanation.

Gives a vote explanation. Comments on education funding.

Comments on elected positions.

339 Chair Starr

342 Sen. Ferrioli

361 Sen. Hartung

404 Sen. Fisher

TAPE 99, A

000 Sen. Fisher

021 Chair Starr

Provides personal opinion.

Closes the work session on SB 1 and adjourns the meeting at 3:41 p.m.

Submitted By,

Reviewed By,

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Committee Assistant

Jan McComb,
Administrator

EXHIBIT SUMMARY

NO EXHIBITS SUBMITTED