

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES

February 12, 2015
08:00 AM

Hearing Room D

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Brad Witt, Chair
Rep. Wayne Krieger, Vice-Chair
Rep. Susan McLain, Vice-Chair
Rep. Greg Baretto
Rep. Sal Esquivel
Rep. Lew Frederick
Rep. Chris Gorsek
Rep. Caddy McKeown
Rep. Gail Whitsett

STAFF PRESENT: Chuck Gallagher, Committee Administrator
Shelley Raszka, Committee Assistant

EXHIBITS: Exhibits from this meeting are available [here](#)

MEASURES/ISSUES: HB 2687 – Public Hearing
HB 2653 – Public Hearing
HB 2501 – Public Hearing

Recording Log – Recording started 07:29:15 AM

00:00:17 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:17 Chair Witt

00:00:27 **HB 2687 - Public Hearing**
00:00:27 Chair Witt
00:00:40 Chuck Gallagher, Committee Administrator
00:01:09 Rep. David Gomberg, House District 10
00:01:23 Mary Anne Nash, Oregon Farm Bureau
00:01:29 EXHIBIT 1: Sharon Harmon, Oregon Humane Society
00:05:43 Vice-Chair McLain
00:06:11 Rep. Barreto
00:07:38 EXHIBIT 2: Witness Registration

00:07:55 **HB 2653 - Public Hearing**
00:07:55 Chair Witt
00:08:00 Chuck Gallagher, Committee Administrator
00:09:02 Fred Van Natta, Oregon State Beekeepers Association

00:11:28 Joe Maresh, President, Portland Metro Beekeepers Association
00:15:41 Rep. McKeown
00:21:44 Rep. Esquivel
00:23:50 Vice-Chair McLain
00:26:08 Rep. Frederick
00:29:07 Rep. Whitsett
00:30:28 Rep. Chris Gorsek, House District 49
00:33:58 Raine Lee Ritalto, Multnomah resident
00:39:05 Vice-Chair Krieger
00:40:20 Rep. Barreto
00:45:04 Harrison Conley, Senior Deputy, Legislative Counsel
00:51:18 Ralph Rhodia, Salem resident; Willamette Valley Beekeepers Association
01:08:40 EXHIBIT 3: Witness Registration

01:09:03 **HB 2501 - Public Hearing**
01:09:03 Chair Witt
01:09:08 Chuck Gallagher, Committee Administrator
01:09:36 EXHIBIT 4: Rep. Gail Whitsett, House District 56
01:12:55 EXHIBIT 5: Sen. Doug Whitsett, Senate District 28
01:16:54 Vice-Chair Krieger
01:24:55 Rep Gorsek
01:28:27 Vice-Chair McLain
01:32:16 EXHIBIT 6: Heath Curtiss, Oregon Forest Industries Council
01:34:11 Rep. Esquivel
01:36:56 Jenny Dresler, Oregon Farm Bureau
01:38:47 Greg Miller, Weyerhaeuser Company
01:40:06 Rep. McKeown
01:47:19 Bill Kluting, Carpenters and Joiners Council
01:49:28 Jim Welsh, Oregon Cattlemen's Association
01:51:33 EXHIBIT 7: Witness Registration
01:54:03 Meeting Adjourned