

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

February 20, 2015
01:00 PM

Hearing Room D

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Margaret Doherty, Chair
Rep. Lew Frederick, Vice-Chair
Rep. Sherrie Sprenger, Vice Chair
Rep. Greg Barreto
Rep. Jodi Hack
Rep. Susan McLain
Rep. Jeff Reardon
Rep. Carl Wilson

MEMBER(S) EXCUSED: Rep. Carla Piluso

STAFF PRESENT: Richard Donovan, Committee Administrator
Tia Williams, Committee Assistant

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

MEASURES/ISSUES: HB 2657 – Public Hearing
HB 2597 – Public Hearing
HB 2673 – Public Hearing
HB 2680 – Public Hearing

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00:00:19 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:30 Chair Doherty

00:00:49 **HB 2657 - Public Hearing**
00:01:11 Richard Donovan, Committee Administrator
00:01:51 EXHIBIT 1: Rep. Betty Komp, House District 22
00:08:30 Rep. Hack
00:10:52 Rep. McLain
00:15:05 Vice-Chair Sprenger

00:17:09 **HB 2597 and HB 2673 - Public Hearing**
00:17:25 Rep. Peter Buckley, House District 5
00:22:27 Vice-Chair Frederick
00:23:21 Rep. Hack
00:26:43 Rep. Reardon
00:27:27 Vice-Chair Sprenger

00:29:56 **HB 2680 - Work Session**

00:30:00 Chair Doherty
00:30:08 Richard Donovan, Committee Administrator
00:30:33 Jan McComb, Oregon Department of Education
00:31:42 Vice-Chair Sprenger
00:31:45 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 2: Pat Muller, Oregon Save Our Schools
EXHIBIT 3: Linda Odermott, Resident
EXHIBIT 4: Kathryn Corson PhD, Resident
EXHIBIT 5: Laura Paxson-Kluthe, Teacher, Lake Oswego
EXHIBIT 6: Joel Fischer, Senior Policy Analyst, Oregon Business Association
EXHIBIT 7: Greg Burhill & Greg Earl, Educators, Portland Public Schools
EXHIBIT 8-9: Betsy Salter, Parent, Portland Public Schools

00:32:18 **HB 2597 - Public Hearing**

00:32:22 Richard Donovan, Committee Administrator
00:33:39 EXHIBIT 10: Shane Jackson
00:36:18 Grace Williams, Student
00:39:33 Kimberly Sherman, Resident
00:41:00 EXHIBIT 11: Danielle Sheldrake, Beaverton School District
00:45:04 EXHIBIT 12: Tobi Rates, Executive Director, Autism Society of Oregon
00:47:36 Rep. McLain
00:50:08 Rep. Reardon
00:52:16 Rep. Barreto
00:55:42 Vice-Chair Frederick
00:57:31 Rep. Hack
00:57:31 EXHIBIT 13: Witness Registration
00:57:31 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 14: Lori Thompson, St. Helens School District
EXHIBIT 15: Jeff Rose, Beaverton School District
EXHIBIT 16: Special Education Brief, Legislative Committee Services
EXHIBIT 17: Mary Pearson, Portland Public Schools

01:00:56 **HB 2657 - Public Hearing**

01:01:33 Richard Donovan, Committee Administrator
01:02:06 EXHIBIT 18: Andrew Dyke, Economist, EcoNorthwest
01:12:39 Rep. Reardon
01:13:01 Rep. Barreto
01:13:41 Vice-Chair Frederick
01:14:41 Rep. Hack
01:14:44 EXHIBIT 19: Witness Registration
01:14:44 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 20: Joel Fischer, Senior Policy Analyst, Oregon Business

Association
EXHIBIT 21: Iris Maria Chavez, Stand for Children
EXHIBIT 22: Dave Porter, Resident

01:17:16 Meeting Adjourned