

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

April 28, 1999 Hearing Room E

1:00 PM Tapes 115 - 118

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Ron Sunseri, Chair

Rep. William Morrisette, Vice-Chair

Rep. Chris Beck

Rep. Betsy Close

Rep. Elaine Hopson

Rep. Bob Jenson

Rep. Tim Knopp

Rep. Bruce Starr

Rep. Carl Wilson

Rep. Jackie Winters

MEMBER EXCUSED:

STAFF PRESENT: Norm Fox, Administrator

Joan Diaz, Administrative Support

MEASURE/ISSUES HEARD: HB 2828 Public Hearing

HB 2688 Work Session

HB 2550 Work Session

HB 3012 Public Hearing

HB 3186 Public Hearing and Work Session

HB 2597 Public Hearing and Work Session

HB 2716 Public Hearing

HB 3307 Public Hearing

HB 3365 Public Hearing and Work Session

HB 2548 Public Hearing

HB 2549 Public Hearing and Work Session

HB 2687 Work Session

HB 2993 Public Hearing

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TAPE/#	Speaker	Comments
TAPE 115, A		
004	Chair Sunseri	Calls meeting to order at 1:05 p.m. Opens public hearing on HB 2828.
<u>HB 2828 PUBLIC HEARING</u>		
010	Rep. Jeff Kropf	District 37. Introduces constituents. Distributes statement on discipline from Dr. James Dobson (EXHIBIT A)
030	Sharon Baum	Principal, Seven Oak Middle School, Lebanon. Testifies regarding HB 2828. (EXHIBIT B)
082	James Little	Private Citizen, Marion County. Testifies regarding HB 2828. (EXHIBIT C)
130	Little	Refers to scenario of parents being charged with abuse for disciplining their own child. Recommends current law be changed.
160	Merlin Crabb	Administrator, private Christian school. Testifies in favor of HB 2828. Advocates discipline of children not punishment.
204	Rep. Hopson	Asks for the witness' position on the bill.
209	Baum	Clarifies her position; advocates discipline, not "spanking."
230	Rep. Hopson	Asks why she supports the bill with the "spanking" clause.
239	Baum	Responds that "spanking" returns some form of control to the schools.

261	Rep. Hopson	Asks if special education students are prone to misbehave.
264	Baum	Responds only those students who exhibit disruptive behavior; not those with learning disabilities.
270	Rep. Hopson	Asks if parents should transfer their responsibility to discipline to the school principal.
275	Little	Responds negatively. Supports removing corporal punishment language in the current statute. States he is neutral on HB 2828.
306	Rep. Hopson	Asks what alternative discipline besides "spanking" would be appropriate.
315	Crabb	Responds "spanking, if used properly, works." Discusses several experiences he has had in schools.
339	Rep. Winters	Asks do children model their behavior from adults.
350	Crabb	Responds children need someone who is an authority figure.
362	Rep. Winters	Comments that young children learn, "if you hit, I learn how to hit."
366	Crabb	States that is a false premise.
378	Tricia Smith	Legislative Representative, Oregon School Employees Association (OSEA). Testifies against HB 2828. OSEA is opposed to corporal punishment; not an appropriate discipline.
TAPE 116, A		
001	Smith	Explains "work punishment" is not effective discipline; objects to it as a concept. Refers to the proposed ñ1 amendments. (EXHIBIT D)
034	Frank McNamara	Legislative Representative, Confederation of Oregon School Administrators (COSA). Testifies against HB 2828. Explains his background as a clinical social worker. Declares "hitting begets hitting."
089	McNamara	States the bill contains provisions that would be subject to labor grievances.
101	Victor Congleton	Program Manager, State Office for Services to Children and Families (SCF). Testifies against HB 2828; objects to SECTION 7 which amends the definition of child abuse under the child abuse reporting statute. (EXHIBIT E)

120	Rep. Starr	Asks who is responsible for raising children.
124	Congleton	Responds the parents.
128	Rep. Starr	Asks does this bill provide for parental consent.
129	Congleton	Responds that it does.
131	Rep. Starr	Asks if SCF has a problem with that provision in the bill.
139	Congleton	Responds it is the wrong direction for public policy.
153	Rep. Wilson	Asks if OSEA personnel fear for their personal safety in today's schools.
160	Smith	Responds they do not feel safe. Discusses the need to observe early warning signs of troubled students. Comments this bill will not improve their personal safety.
193	Rep. Jenson	Comments on current prosperity and yet problems in the schools. Asks if consistency in discipline is a factor.
198	Congleton	Responds consistency and early intervention are two important factors.
201	Rep. Jenson	Expresses concerns with the issue of consistency in administering corporal punishment.
215	Smith	Responds that would be a concern in her household.
225	McNamara	Discusses manner of obtaining signed, parental consent.
240	Rep. Jenson	Repeats question; meant inconsistency among parents in the district submitting their consent.
245	McNamara	Responds that would be a problem for schools.
248	Rep. Winters	Asks if this bill would create a problem with administrators who may not believe in "spanking."
259	McNamara	Comments he believes administrators would be divided on the issue, but on the side of NOT "spanking."

265	Rep. Starr	Comments that the role of the school district should be to support the parents who have ultimate responsibility. Advocates consistency in the message.
285	Chair Sunseri	Closes public hearing on HB 2828. Opens work session on HB 2688.
<u>HB 2688 WORK SESSION</u>		
295	Chair Sunseri	Explains why committee is reconsidering this bill.
298	Rep. Winters	MOTION: Moves to SUSPEND the rules for the purpose of RECONSIDERING the vote on HB 2688.
301	Chair Sunseri	Hearing no objection, the motion CARRIES.
302	Rep. Winters	MOTION: Moves to RECONSIDER the vote by which the committee passed HB 2688.
304	Chair Sunseri	Hearing no objection, the motion CARRIES.
308	Chair Sunseri	Closes work session on HB 2688. Opens work session on HB 2550.
<u>HB 2550 WORK SESSION</u>		
322	Norm Fox	Committee Administrator. Explains the bill and the proposed ñ1 amendments which replace the bill. (EXHIBIT F)
335	Rep. Jo Ann Bowman	District 19. Testifies against HB 2550 and the proposed ñ1 amendments which would permit military recruiters on school grounds.
361	Rep. Hopson	Asks who originated the amendments.
369	Chair Sunseri	Responds that he originated the amendments; comments on military scholarships.
372	Rep. Starr	MOTION: Moves to ADOPT HB 2550-1 amendments dated 04/27/99.
		VOTE: 7-3 AYE: 7 - Close, Jensen, Knopp, Starr, Wilson, Winters, Sunseri NAY: 3 - Beck, Hopson, Morrisette

375	Chair Sunseri	The motion CARRIES.
377	Chair Sunseri	Asks to include written testimony from the Portland School Board. (EXHIBIT G)
382	Rep. Starr	MOTION: Moves HB 2550 to the floor with a DO PASS AS AMENDED recommendation.
385	Rep. Jenson	Discusses reviewing a similar bill in the last legislative session; opportunities in the military.
390	Rep. Morrisette	Comments he supports the bigger concept but will vote no; believes in local control.
395	Rep. Hopson	Comments she will be voting no; supports local control.
TAPE 115, B		
017	Rep. Beck	Comments he will be voting no, since the committee has had no hearings on a "gut and stuff" amendment; governor vetoed similar bill last session.
041	Chair Sunseri	Comments that the bill has merit; similar bill was passed in both House and Senate last session.
059	Rep. Winters	Comments on the benefits of ROTC recruiting.
062	Rep. Wilson	Suggests that a school district might forego its federal funding if it objects to military recruiting on campus.
		<p>VOTE: 7-3</p> <p>AYE: 7 - Close, Jenson, Knopp, Starr, Wilson, Winters, Sunseri</p> <p>NAY: 3 - Beck, Hopson, Morrisette</p> <p>REP. SUNSERI will lead the discussion on the floor.</p>
081	Chair Sunseri	The motion CARRIES.

085	Chair Sunseri	Closes work session on HB 2550. Opens public hearing on HB 3012.
<u>HB 3012 PUBLIC HEARING</u>		
092	Jim Green	Legislative Representative, Oregon School Boards Association (OSBA). Testifies against HB 3012. States the bill mandates a curriculum; will work with proponent to draft amendments.
109	Rep. Jenson	Comments on the proposed amendments. (EXHIBIT H)
105	Chair Sunseri	Explains additional amendments are forthcoming.
111	Green	States if the committee approves this program for grades K-12, it becomes a graduation requirement.
114	Chair Sunseri	Closes the public hearing on HB 3012. Opens public hearing on HB 3186.
<u>HB 3186 PUBLIC HEARING</u>		
120	Rep. Kitty Piercy	District 39. Testifies in favor of HB 3186. (EXHIBIT I)
135	Kelly McIver	Communications Coordinator, Eugene School District. Testifies in favor of HB 3186. (EXHIBIT J)
159	Chair Sunseri	Closes public hearing on HB 3186. Opens work session on HB 3186.
<u>HB 3186 WORK SESSION</u>		
165	Rep. Winters	Asks why is this bill necessary. Asks for the cost of implementing this legislation.
181	Rep. Piercy	Responds there are a number of districts who would benefit from this legislation even though her district already distributes school choice information.
195	Rep. Winters	Asks why would the legislature have to direct the Department of Education (DOE) to share information.
210	Rep. Piercy	Comments the legislature makes various requirements on many issues.
217	Rep. Starr	Asks why is this bill necessary.

229	Rep. Piercy	Responds that the public does not know this information is available.
232	Rep. Starr	Asks if this legislation is included in the Governor's budget.
240	Rep. Piercy	Responds the fiscal impact would be minimal.
244	Rep. Morrisette	Asks for information regarding the intent of the bill.
250	Rep. Piercy	Responds it is to share information across the state regarding school choice options.
252	Rep. Hopson	Asks if information would include the charter school option should that legislation pass.
260	Rep. Piercy	Responds affirmatively.
280	Chair Sunseri	Comments on the variety of programs in District 4J. Declares local control is a "myth."
295	Rep. Starr	MOTION: Moves HB 3186 to the floor with a DO PASS recommendation.
301		VOTE: 7-2 AYE: 7 - Hopson, Jenson, Knopp, Morrisette, Starr, Wilson, Sunseri NAY: 2 - Close, Winters EXCUSED: 1 - Beck
310	Chair Sunseri	The motion CARRIES. REP. PIERCE will lead discussion on the floor.
315	Chair Sunseri	Closes work session on HB 3186. Opens public hearing on HB 2597.
<u>HB 2597 PUBLIC HEARING</u>		
320	Rep. Kevin Mannix	District 32. Testifies in favor of HB 2597. Explains bill allows a tax credit for donations to a foundation which supports public education.

367	Rep. Morrisette	Asks for clarification of terms; tax credit versus tax deduction.
399	Rep. Mannix	Explains language in the proposed ñ2 amendments (EXHIBIT K)
413	Rep. Morrisette	Asks if there is a fiscal impact.
417	Rep. Mannix	Responds there is a potential fiscal impact.
419	Chair Sunseri	Asks if there would be any "detriment" to the public schools, if this bill were passed.
422	Rep. Mannix	Responds there would not be.
425	Rep. Mannix	Clarifies previous questions concerning tax credit versus tax deduction.
427	Rep. Hopson	Asks how would this benefit the public schools.
428	Rep. Mannix	Explains the contributions would be to support programs.
TAPE 116, B		
003	Rep. Hopson	Repeats question.
011	Rep. Mannix	Explains how schools would decide on the use of any contributions.
033	Lowell Smith	Legislative Representative, Oregon School Choice Task Force. Testifies in favor of HB 2597. Advocates that the proposed ñ2 amendments be adopted and that the bill be referred to Revenue.
060	Rep. Morrisette	Asks for explanation of the difference in funds received by a school through a tax credit and funds dispersed from the General Fund.
071	Smith	Responds citizens should have "free choice" to indicate where their money goes.
082	Jon Twitchell, Jr.	Student, Washington County. Testifies in favor of HB 2597. Discusses his experiences in private schools.
095	Jon Twitchell	Private citizen, Washington County. Testifies in favor of HB 2597 and the proposed ñ2 amendments.
115	Chair Sunseri	Closes public hearing on HB 2597. Opens work session on HB 2597.

HB 2597 WORK SESSION

117	Rep. Close	MOTION: Moves to ADOPT HB 2597-2 amendments dated 04/14/99.
		VOTE: 6-4 AYE: 6 - Close, Knopp, Starr, Wilson, Winters, Sunseri NAY: 4 - Beck, Hopson, Jensen, Morrisette
189	Chair Sunseri	The motion CARRIES.
199	Rep. Winters	MOTION: Moves to SUSPEND the rules for the purpose of CONSIDERING a conceptual amendment.
		VOTE: 10-0 AYE: 10 - Beck, Close, Hopson, Jensen, Knopp, Morrisette, Starr, Wilson, Winters, Sunseri
210	Chair Sunseri	The motion CARRIES.
240	Rep. Winters	MOTION: Moves that HB 2597-2 amendments dated 04/14/99 be FURTHER AMENDED by inserting "line 18 and 19 of the original bill HB 2597" after line 15, page 2.
249	Rep. Hopson	Comments she agrees that wording should be restored but has objections to conceptual amendments.
251	Rep. Morrisette	Comments he will be voting no.
		VOTE: 8-2 AYE: 8 - Close, Hopson, Jensen, Knopp, Starr, Wilson, Winters, Sunseri NAY: 2 - Beck, Morrisette
256	Chair Sunseri	The motion CARRIES.

260	Rep. Winters	MOTION: Moves HB 2597 to the floor with a DO PASS AS AMENDED recommendation and BE REFERRED to the committee on Revenue.
		VOTE: 6-4 AYE: 6 - Close, Knopp, Starr, Wilson, Winters, Sunseri NAY: 4 - Beck, Hopson, Jenson, Morrisette
281	Chair Sunseri	The motion CARRIES.
285	Chair Sunseri	Closes work session on HB 2597. Opens public hearing on HB 2716.
<u>HB 2716 PUBLIC HEARING</u>		
287	Rep. Mike Lehman	District 47. Testifies in favor of HB 2716 which allows a college student to remove freshman grades from an official transcript.
345	Rep. Lehman	Explains the proposed ñ1 amendments allow educational institutions to require a student educational plan. (EXHIBIT L) States he is open to amendments should the bill create any accreditation problems.
387	Rep. Morrisette	Comments that the provisions of the bill are similar to expunging juvenile criminal records.
402	Rep. Lehman	Agrees with that analogy.
410	Rep. Close	Asks what would preclude students from taking advantage of this potential legislation.
419	Rep. Lehman	Responds he does not think it would be a problem.
TAPE 117, A		
003	Genevra Wall	Legislative Assistant to Rep. Lehman. Explains petition process.
008	Tamara Dykeman	Legislative Representative, Oregon Community College Association. Testifies against HB 2716.
018	Grattan Kerans	Legislative Representative, Oregon University System. Testifies against HB 2716. Comments on the effect of the freshman's financial aid, if the records were

		expunged.
030	Rep. Jenson	States at community colleges students currently have the ability to expunge a "bad" grade by retaking the course.
041	Dykeman	Agrees there is that provision.
045	Kerans	Explains the Oregon University System does not allow that option.
052	Chair Sunseri	Closes public hearing on HB 2716. Opens public hearing on HB 3307.
<u>HB 3307 PUBLIC HEARING</u>		
070	Sen. Cliff Trow	District 18. Testifies in favor of HB 3307.
090	Sen. Marylin Shannon	District 15. Testifies in favor of HB 3307. (EXHIBIT M)
136	Chair Sunseri	Recesses public hearing on HB 3307. Opens public hearing on HB 3365.
<u>HB 3365 PUBLIC HEARING</u>		
135	Rep. Bill Witt	District 7. Testifies in favor of HB 3365.
162	Chair Sunseri	Asks if the Confederation of Oregon School Administrators (COSA) and the Oregon School Board Administration (OSBA) are in favor of this bill.
168	Rep. Witt	Responds affirmatively.
175	Chair Sunseri	Closes public hearing on HB 3365. Opens work session on HB 3365.
<u>HB 3365 WORK SESSION</u>		
177	Rep. Winters	MOTION: Moves HB 3365 to the floor with a DO PASS recommendation.
		VOTE: 9-0 AYE: 9 - Close, Hopson, Jenson, Knopp, Morrisette, Starr, Wilson, Winters, Sunseri EXCUSED: 1 - Beck

182	Chair Sunseri	<p>The motion CARRIES.</p> <p>REP. WITT will lead discussion on the floor.</p>
185	Chair Sunseri	Closes work session on HB 3365. Reopens public hearing on HB 2716.
<u>HB 2716 PUBLIC HEARING</u>		
200	Jon Chandler	Legislative Representative, Oregon Building Industry Association. Testifies in favor of HB 2716.
242	Chair Sunseri	Closes public hearing on HB 2716. Reopens public hearing on HB 2828.
<u>HB 2828 PUBLIC HEARING</u>		
263	James Lace	Physician, Salem. Testifies against HB 2828. (EXHIBIT N)
322	Chair Sunseri	Closes public hearing on HB 2828. Reopens public hearing on HB 3307.
<u>HB 3307 PUBLIC HEARING</u>		
329	Wilma Wells	Legislative Representative, Confederation of Oregon School Administrators (COSA). Testifies against HB 3307. (EXHIBIT O)
390	Jim Green	Legislative Representative, Oregon School Boards Association (OSBA). Testifies against HB 3307. Comments bill will result in a fiscal impact to schools. (EXHIBIT P)
429	Rep. Morrisette	Asks how are standards set for physical education; visited some schools without physical education.
432	Green	Describes assessments. Explains some schools have teachers without a physical education endorsement.
TAPE 118, A		
007	Green	States bill would take physical education out of local district control.

022	Rep. Jenson	Asks if this bill prevents teacher "mis-assignments."
025	Green	Responds negatively. States there are instances of teachers who are teaching out of their endorsement area; teacher shortages.
038	Don Zehrung	Representative, Council for Children's Expanded Physical Education. Testifies in favor of HB 3307. (EXHIBIT Q)
050	Minot Cleveland	Physician, Member of the Governor's Commission on Physical Fitness and Sports. Testifies in favor of HB 3307.
132	Rep. Winters	Asks is nutrition taught along with physical education.
145	Cleveland	Responds nutrition is usually addressed in health education, although there is some crossover.
152	Rep. Winters	Asks how is the assessment developed if the Department of Education is not setting the standards.
161	Cleveland	Explains current situation; local districts have own standards.
172	Rep. Morrisette	Expresses concern with costs.
180	Zehrung	Explains lack of staff development, cutbacks in physical education specialists, and lack of test results in physical education.
211	Rep. Morrisette	Expresses concerns regarding the fiscal impact.
215	Zehrung	Responds he has been told the Department of Education has sufficient staffing.
252	Chair Sunseri	States the committee will bring this bill back at the next meeting. Closes public hearing on HB 3307. Opens public hearing on HB 2548 and HB 2549.
<u>HB 2548, HB 2549 PUBLIC HEARING</u>		
255	Chair Sunseri	Explains HB 2548 regarding assessment.
260	Greg McMurdo	Deputy Superintendent, Department of Education. Discusses the assessment program.
275	Barbara Wolfe	Assessment Coordinator, Department of Education. Testifies regarding HB 2548. Shares examples of standardized tests; retrieves tests. Explains the Oregon

		Assessment. (EXHIBIT R)
375	Wolfe	States how Oregon teachers are trained to be raters of the Assessment. Comments on success stories in Oregon relative to academic achievement.
397	Rep. Winters	Asks who designs the tests.
399	Wolfe	Responds they are designed by content teachers in Oregon.
422	Rep. Winters	Asks for clarification on the process.
427	Wolfe	Responds with description of the process of creating tests.
445	Rep. Winters	Asks what factor determines the grade level of the test.
447	Wolfe	Responds with description of the complete process.
TAPE 117, B		
004	Rep. Close	Refers to testing examples she finds offensive.
010	Wolfe	Declares that excerpt is part of a poem.
014	Rep. Jenson	Asks if a student needs calculus to pass the 10 th grade math test.
025	Wolfe	Responds students do not.
031	Rep. Jenson	Suggest questions should be reviewed by mathematicians.
035	Rep. Winters	Asks about use of calculators.
041	Wolfe	Responds that for some areas of the test calculators can be used.
056	Rep. Wilson	Refers to reading/literature statewide assessment. Asks what is the information used for.
060	Wolfe	Responds they are survey questions; no correct answers.
069	Ron Smith	Director of Finance Assessment and Technology, Lake Oswego School District. Clarifies his views on the statewide assessments which were previously related

		to the committee.
125	Trish Johnson	Mathematics Teacher, North Clackamas School District. Explains timing of the statewide test is inappropriate to the curriculum.
171	Johnson	Explains a lot of time is spent "teaching to the test." Suggests testing be done during a week where there is no other classroom instruction.
216	Rep. Hopson	Asks for clarification of "teaching to the test."
223	Johnson	Describes her teaching process.
238	Mick Ewers	Teacher, North Clackamas School District. Explains his experience with the statewide assessments. States his district's students experienced a 29% passing rate; down from 45%. Questions validity of the test.
331	Ewers	Describes how scoring procedures impact the teaching process.
396	Ewers	Discusses portfolio assessment which takes away from curriculum time.
442	Rep. Hopson	Asks what is the difference between the portfolio and other evidence of a student's work.
451	Ewers	Responds the portfolio must be evaluated by a statewide scoring guide.
TAPE 118, B		
006	Rep. Hopson	Asks about familiarity with the developers of the tests.
011	Ewers	Responds he met with some who facilitate the test, but not developers of the test.
018	Rep. Hopson	Asks about Oregon teachers' participation in the development of the test.
021	Ewers	Responds he would like to know which teachers participated.
023	Chair Sunseri	Closes public hearing on HB 2548 and HB 2549. Opens work session on HB 2549.
<u>HB 2549 WORK SESSION</u>		
025	Rep. Close	MOTION: Moves HB 2549 to the floor with a DO PASS

		recommendation.
030	Rep. Hopson	Comments she will be voting no.
035	Rep. Wilson	Comments he will be voting for the bill; reports of teachers' frustration.
039	Rep. Knopp	Comments he will be voting for the bill; no "harm" in studying the process.
042	Rep. Starr	Comments he will be voting for the bill; reports of teachers' frustration.
059	Rep. Winters	Comments she will be voting for the bill; good to review policies periodically.
062	Rep. Jenson	Comments he will oppose the bill; his constituents have not expressed any dissatisfaction.
071	Rep. Morrisette	Explains his no vote.
082	Chair Sunseri	States the legislature is required by law to review education reform until the year 2001.
		VOTE: 6-3 AYE: 6 - Close, Knopp, Starr, Wilson, Winters, Sunseri NAY: 3 - Hopson, Jenson, Morrisette EXCUSED: 1 - Beck
085	Chair Sunseri	The motion CARRIES. REP. SUNSERI will lead discussion on the floor.
088	Chair Sunseri	Closes work session on HB 2549. Opens work session on HB 2687.
<u>HB 2687 WORK SESSION</u>		
090	Norm Fox	Committee Administrator. Explains the bill and the proposed amendments. (EXHIBIT S)
127	Rep. Morrisette	MOTION: Moves to ADOPT HB 2687-3 amendments

		dated 04/28/99.
130	Chair Sunseri	Hearing no objection, the motion CARRIES.
132	Rep. Starr	MOTION: Moves HB 2687 to the floor with a DO PASS AS AMENDED recommendation.
145	Rep. Hopson	Comments on policy of advancing students; severe ramifications.
171	Rep. Winters	Expresses concerns; will provide courtesy vote.
175	Rep. Wilson	Comments he will provide a courtesy vote.
178	Rep. Morrisette	Comments he will provide a courtesy vote.
		VOTE: 6-4 AYE: 6 - Knopp, Morrisette, Starr, Wilson, Winters, Sunseri NAY: 4 - Beck, Close, Hopson, Jenson
182	Chair Sunseri	The motion CARRIES. REP. BACKLUND will lead discussion on the floor.
190	Chair Sunseri	Closes work session on HB 2687. Opens public hearing on HB 2993.
<u>HB 2993 PUBLIC HEARING</u>		
192	Gary Andeen	Executive Director, Oregon Independent Colleges Association. (EXHIBIT T) Testifies in favor of HB 2993. Refers to the proposed ñ2 amendments (EXHIBIT U) and the proposed ñ4 amendments. (EXHIBIT V) States the State Scholarship Commission assisted with the proposed amendments.
240	Chair Sunseri	Asks whether the Certificate of Initial Mastery (CIM) is still to be used as a leverage to obtain the grants.
255	Andeen	Responds that provision remains the same.

260	Rep. Starr	Asks for clarification of CIM.
269	Chair Sunseri	Explains discussion from a previous hearing.
272	Rep. Morrisette	Comments that the program will be phased in.
281	Chair Sunseri	Refers to high achievers who are not working towards a CIM; diploma is goal. States those students will not be eligible for these grants.
294	Rep. Beck	Asks if the bill precludes obtaining other state aid.
310	Andeen	Explains intention of the bill.
352	Tamara Dykeman	Legislative Representative, Oregon Community College Association. Testifies that she supports the proposed §4 amendments and the bill.
355	Woody Farber	Executive Director, Oregon State Scholarship Commission. Supports HB 2993 and the proposed §4 amendments. Expresses support for the proposed §1 amendments as well.
384	Rep. Hopson	Reads the proposed §4 amendments.
395	Farber	Responds that SECTION 16 refers to the Need Grant program; CIM is not a method for determining the Need Grant.
405	Rep. Close	Refers to page 2, SECTION 3 (c) of the bill and CIM requirement.
410	Farber	Responds that provision applies to the Achievement Grant, not the Need Grant.
420	Chair Sunseri	Closes public hearing on HB 2993. Adjourns at 4:50 p.m.

Submitted By, Reviewed By,

Joan Diaz, Norm Fox,

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