

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON HB 2045

JULY 20, 1999 - 5:00 P.M. - HEARING ROOM A - STATE CAPITOL BUILDING

Members Present: Representative Ken Strobeck, Chair

Representative Al King

Representative Jim Welsh

Senator Charles Starr

Senator Ted Ferrioli

Senator Thomas Wilde

Staff: Paul Warner, Legislative Revenue Officer

Lizbeth Martin-Mahar, Economist, Legislative Revenue Office

Joan Green, Committee Assistant

Invited Witnesses: Mike Miller, Associated Oregon Loggers

Bob Cantine, Association of Oregon Counties

Tom Linhares, Oregon State Association of County Assessors

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003 Chair Strobeck Meeting called to order at 5:09 p.m.

008	Lizbeth Martin-Mahar	Reviewed the major points of the A-Eng. measure, which replaces the original tax collector's bill, as passed by the House with exemption of environmentally sensitive logging equipment. Reviewed the A-Eng. measure section by section, referencing the handout of major points on HB 2045 A-Eng. (Exhibit 3)
048	Martin-Mahar	Referenced the revenue impact for the A-Eng. measure and discussed the process in determining the revenue impact; the revenue impact could be an overestimate, but it also does not include any leased equipment. (Exhibit 1)
072	Martin-Mahar	Distributed a handout listing the major points of HB 2045, as passed by the House. (Exhibit 2)
077	Mike Miller	Spoke in support of the A-Eng. version of the measure, as passed out of the Senate and provided legislative history on the measure.
142	Bob Cantine	The counties generally oppose any measure that offers tax exemptions and reduction of county monies, however with the sunset present in the A-Eng. measure the Association of Oregon Counties will not oppose the measure.
163	Tom Linhares	Distributed testimony, which lists concerns with the A-Eng. measure. After conversations with Dexter Johnson of Legislative Counsel the concern pertaining to §5 is no longer an issue. (Exhibit 4)
194	Chair Strobeck	MOTION: MOVED THAT THE HOUSE CONCUR IN THE SENATE AMENDMENTS DATED JULY 14 AND THAT THE BILL BE REPASSED.
197	VOTE	<p>ROLL CALL VOTE: MOTION PASSED 6-0-0</p> <p>MEMBERS VOTING AYE: SENATORS FERRIOLI, STARR, WILDE; REPRESENTATIVES KING, REP. WELSH, CHAIR STROBECK</p> <p>MOTION CARRIED.</p> <p>REP. KING AND SEN. WILDE WILL CARRY THE BILL IN THEIR RESPECTIVE CHAMBERS.</p>
211	Chair Strobeck	Meeting adjourned at 5:24 p.m.

Submitted by, Reviewed by,

Joan Green Kim T. James

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Exhibit Summary:

1. HB 2045, Martin-Mahar, Senate staff measure summaries, revenue and fiscal impact statements for Senate committee action dated July 12 and March 4, 7 pages
2. HB 2045, Martin-Mahar, Handout of major points in House version, 1 page
3. HB 2045, Martin-Mahar, Handout of major points in Senate version (A-Eng. Measure), 1 page
4. HB 2045, Linhares, Written testimony, 2 pages