SENATE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

May 21, 1999 Hearing Room B

1:00 p.m. Tapes 103 - 104

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Sen. Tom Hartung, Chair

Sen. Susan Castillo, Vice-Chair Sen. Peter Courtney Sen. Verne Duncan Sen. Gary George Sen. Avel Gordly Sen. Marylin Shannon

MEMBER EXCUSED:

STAFF PRESENT:

Jan McComb, Administrator

Karen O'Kelley, Administrative Support

MEASURES HEARD:

HB 2549 Work Session

HB 3585 Work Session

HB 2249 Work Session

HB 2687 Work Session

These minutes are in compliance with Senate and House Rules. Only text enclosed in quotation marks reports a speaker's exact words. For complete contents, please refer to the tapes.

TAPE/#	Speaker	Comments		
TAPE 103, A				

004	Chair Hartung	Convenes meeting at 1: 13 p.m. and opens work session on HB 2549.
	<u>HB 2549 WORK S</u>	SESSION
012	Rep. Ron Sunseri	House District 22. States that HB 2549 is essential to school reform. Comment on the importance of reviewing the Certificate of Initial Mastery (CIM).
044	Chair Hartung	Emphasizes that this bill is not an effort to eliminate school reform.
047	Rep. Sunseri	States that Sen. Hartung is correct. Believes that HB 2549 would provide a forum for teachers to express their view on the education reform.
052	Chair Hartung	Agrees with Rep. Sunseri that the education reform needs to be reviewed.
058	Sen. Shannon	Asks Rep. Sunseri what the intention of the committee would be.
064	Rep. Sunseri	Responds that the committee could create interim legislation to provide improvements to the reform.
067	Sen. Shannon	States that legislators need to hear more testimony from teachers.
073	Rep. Sunseri	Refers to a bill that would move the endorsement of the CIM to the community colleges.
085	Sen. Duncan	States that he is opposed to HB 2549.
101	Sen. Shannon	States that this bill would help to keep the legislature informed.
108	Sen. Gordly	Asks Rep. Sunseri if there is a relationship between the Quality Education Mod (QEM) task force and the task force outlined in HB 2549.
117	Rep. Sunseri	Responds that there is not a parallel between the two.
124	Sen. Gordly	Asks when the QEM task force will complete its work.
127	Rep. Sunseri	Responds that he is not sure.
129	Sen. Gordly	Asks if the QEM task force will continue through the interim.
132	Rep. Sunseri	Responds that he is not sure.

241	Sen. Hartung	MOTION: Moves to take HB 3585 FROM THE TABLE.
241	Rep. Tim Knopp	House District 54.
HB 3585	WORK SESSION	JI
231	Chair Hartung	Closes work session on HB 2549 and opens work session on HB 3585.
220	Sen. Shannon	States that communication is good. Comments that there is a difference between an interim committee and a task force committee.
216	Sen. Duncan	Agrees with Sen. Gordly
196	Sen. Gordly	Appreciates the ODEis support of this bill, however, she believes that this review could take place in the interim committee instead.
194	Sen. Hartung	MOTION: Moves HB 2549 to the floor with a DO PASS recommendation.
182	Joanne Flint	Responds that they do.
181	Sen. Duncan	Asks if the Oregon Department of Education (ODE) supports this bill.
164	Rep. Sunseri	Responds that he has not spoken to the Superintendent about this bill.
162	Vice-Chair Castillo	Asks if the Superintendent supports this bill.
155	Rep. Sunseri	Responds that they will utilize the interim staff in order to minimize the fiscal impact.
146	Sen. Gordly	Refers to Section 1, asks about the interim committee staff.
138	Chair Hartung	Responds that it does not have a subsequent referral to the Ways and Means Committee.
133	Vice-Chair Castillo	Asks if HB 2549 needs to go to the Ways and Means Committee.

249	Chair Hartung	Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED.
254	Rep. Knopp	Explains that this bill "attempts to add discipline enforcement to the district policies concerning discipline." Discusses the Confederation of Oregon School Administratorís (COSA) concern with the bill. States that the ñA2 amendments included in (EXHIBIT C) resolve COSAís concerns.
273	Laurie Wimmer	Government Relations Coordinator, Oregon Education Association (OEA). Endorses the ñA2 amendments and submits (EXHIBIT D). States that Ozzie Rose supports the bill with the ñA2 amendments.
290	Sen. Duncan	MOTION: Moves to ADOPT HB 3585-A2 amendments dated 05/20/99.
		VOTE: 6-0
		EXCUSED: 1 - George
292	Chair Hartung	Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED.
293	Sen. Duncan	MOTION: Moves HB 3585A to the floor with a DO PASS AS AMENDED recommendation.
		VOTE: 6-0
		EXCUSED: 1 - George
302	Chair Hartung	Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED.
		SEN. DUNCAN will lead discussion on the floor.
309	Chair Hartung	Closes work session on HB 3585 and opens work session on HB 2249.
<u>HB 2249</u>	WORK SESSION	
313	Jan McComb	Committee Administrator. Describes the ñ1 amendments, offered by Gary Andeen, and ñ2 amendments included in (EXHIBIT E) , offered by McComb, to resolve conflicts from another bill.
336	Sen. Gordly	Asks McComb to state the purpose of the ñ2 amendments.

338	McComb	States that SB 35, which is making its way through the legislative process, refers to the SSC under the old name. States that the ñ2 amendments would make everything uniform depending on which bills pass.
348	Sen. Duncan	MOTION: Moves to ADOPT HB 2249-1 amendments dated 05/18/99.
353	Sen. Duncan	Withdraws the motion to move the ñ1 amendments.
358	Sen. Shannon	MOTION: Moves to ADOPT HB 2249-2 amendments dated 05/19/99.
		VOTE: 6-0 EXCUSED: 1 - George
361	Chair Hartung	Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED.
365	Sen. Duncan	States that he does not support the ñ1 amendments because he is not ready to make a drastic change for the ODA.
405	Sen. Duncan	MOTION: Moves HB 2249 to the floor with a DO PASS AS AMENDED recommendation.
412	Sen. Gordly	Suggests that the interested parties will get together and discuss the issues that have been raised about the ODA.
		VOTE: 6-0
		AYE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote Aye.
		EXCUSED: 1 - George
456	Chair Hartung	The motion CARRIES.
		SEN. COURTNEY will lead discussion on the floor.
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)04	Chair Hartung	Closes work session on HB 2249 and opens work session on HB 2687.

HB 2687 WORK SESSION

011	Sen. Duncan	MOTION: Moves to TABLE HB 2687.		
016	Sen. Shannon	States that she would like to move this bill to another committee.		
029	Sen. Duncan	States that he supports this bill because it is something that local districts should do.		
		VOTE: 3-3		
		AYE: 3 - Castillo, Duncan, Gordly		
		NAY: 3 - Courtney, Shannon, Hartung		
		EXCUSED: 1 - George		
059	Chair Hartung	The motion FAILS.		
064	Chair Hartung	Recesses meeting until 1:52 p.m.		
065	Chair Hartung	Reconvenes meeting at 1:53 p.m.		
068	Sen. Hartung	MOTION: Moves to TABLE HB 2687.		
072	Sen. Shannon	Suggests that Chair Hartung adjourn the meeting.		
075	Chair Hartung	Withdraws the motion to TABLE HB 2687.		
077	Chair Hartung	Closes work session on HB 2687 and adjourns meeting at 1:52 p.m.		

Submitted By, Reviewed By,

Karen O'Kelley Jan McComb

Administrative Support Administrator

EXHIBIT SUMMARY

- A ñ HB 2249, written testimony, submitted prior to meeting by Danny Santos, 1 p B ñ HB 2687, written testimony, submitted prior to meeting by Tricia Bosak, 2 pp C ñ HB 3585, -A2 amendments, staff, 1 p D ñ HB 3585, written testimony, Laurie Wimmer, 3 pp
- E ñ HB 2249, -1 and ñ2 amendments, staff, 13 pp