PUBLIC HEARING & WORK SESSION:

SB 388-A, SB 774-A

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HOUSE REVENUE COMMITTEE

JUNE 27, 1997 8:30 AM HEARING ROOM A STATE CAPITOL BUILDING

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Tom Brian, Chair

Rep. Lee Beyer, Vice-Chair (Arrived 9:15 a.m.)

Rep. Tony Corcoran

Rep. Randall Edwards

Rep. Leslie Lewis (Excused a.m.)

Rep. Anitra Rasmussen

Rep. Lane Shetterly

Rep. Mark Simmons

Rep. Ken Strobeck

WITNESSES PRESENT: Mark Gibson, Governor's Office

Paul Warner, Department of Administrative Services

Jim Neely, Adult and Family Services

STAFF PRESENT: Ed Waters, Economist

Brian Reeder, Economist

Barbara Guardino, Committee Assistant

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007 Chair Brian Called meeting to order at 9:10 a.m. Invited testimony for SB 388-A, earned income tax credits. Advised, House Revenue has to work within parameters of the work from other committees.

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Gave brief overview of policy discussions concerning child care tax credit, its overall strategy for moving Oregonians off of public assistance.

036 Mar Gib	Directed members' attention to graph (EXHIBIT A) "Welfare To Work W/No Child Care". Graph indicates ascending hourly wages and their net income including subsidies. Disposable increase in net income stalls out at \$8 per hour because they lose food stamps. State wants to build work incentive into system.
095 Gib	on Refer to opposite side of chart "Welfare to Work w/\$626 Child Care". Currently, person making \$5.50 per hour has same net income as person making \$12 per hour.
151 Jim Nee	Noted, several versions of this chart, this includes average amount for cases that collect y child support.
168 Pau Wai	Concern about non-refundable element is, in most cases, someone earning \$8 per hour would pay little taxes, so they and receive very little child care credit. Need to make tax credit refundable. Governor's office proposes to phase down percentages in order to help \$8 per hour earners.
206 Cha Bria	r Reminded members that committee has certain parameters in which it must work. Getting rid of EITC (Earned Income Tax Credit) is not an option.
229 ^{Ed} Wat	Referred to handout (EXHIBIT B) "Comparative Tax Calculation: Family of four (2 adults, 2 kids)"
vv at	Tells tax liability of various income families under current law; what refundable and non-refundable credits would provide.
255 Cha Bria	Recessed meeting at 9:30 a.m.

PUBLIC HEARING -- SB 774-A

269 Chair Brian	Reconvened meeting at 2:10 p.m. Opened public hearing and work session on SB 774-A.
273 Brian Reeder	Summarized SB 774 -A: Bill eliminates sunset on riparian property tax exemption; increases number miles per county granted exemption each year; allows land that qualifies but is subsequently rezoned to still qualify. SB 774 -A2 amendments (EXHIBIT I) says, for those lands rezone, they have only five years to apply.
302 Rep. Rasmussen	Asked, why is sunset being discontinued? Referred to bill, page 2, line 11. Would prefer it to be reset to 2004.

326 Chair Brian Agreed, this is a good idea.

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ASKED FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT TO SUSPEND THE RULES TO MAKE CONCEPTUAL AMENDMENTS TO SB 774 - A, PAGE 2, LINE 11. HEARING NO OBJECTIONS, CHAIR SO ORDERED. Rep. Rasmussen MOTION TO CONCEPTUALLY AMEND SB 774-A, PAGE 2, LINE 11 TO RESTORE LANGUAGE, "THE TAX YEARS BEGIINNING PRIOR TO JULY 1;" REPLACE "1998" WITH "2004". ASKED MEMBERS FOR ANY OBJECTIONS TO CONCEPTUAL AMENDMENTS TO SB 774-A. HEARING NO OBJECTIONS, CHAIR SO Chair Brian ORDERED.

Moved out of suspension of rules.

363 Chair Brian

372 Rep. Rasmussen	MOTION TO MOVE SB 774 - A2 AMENDMENTS INTO SB 774-A.
375 Chair Brian	ASKED MEMBERS FOR ANY OBJECTIONS TO MOVING SB 774 -A2 AMENDMENTS INTO SB 774-A. HEARING NO OBJECTIONS, CHAIR SO ORDERED.
387 Chair Brian	SUSPENDED RULES TO MOVE MULTIPLE AMENDMENTS INTO SB 774- A.
395 Rep. Simmons	MOTION TO MOVE SB 774-A AS AMENDED TO THE FLOOR WITH A DO PASS RECOMMENDATION.
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398 VOTE	IN A ROLL CALL VOTE, MEMBERS VOTING AYE: REPS. CORCORAN, EDWARDS, LEWIS, RASMUSSEN, SIMMONS; CHAIR BRIAN.
	MEMBERS EXCUSED: REPS. SHETTERLY, STROBECK, VICE CHAIR

BEYER.

MOTION CARRIED.

423 Chair Brian Continued meeting until 3 p.m.

AFTERNOON MEETING CANCELLED.

Submitted by, Reviewed by,

Barbara Guardino Kim James

Committee Assistant Revenue Office Manager

EXHIBIT SUMMARY:

- A. SB 388, Gibson, Welfare to Work W/No Child Care, 2 pp.
- B. SB 388, Waters, Comparative Tax Calculation: Family of four (2 adults, 2 kids), 2 pp.
- C. SB 388, Gibson, Senate Bill 388/Amendments, 1 p.
- D. SB 388, Gibson, Welfare to Work W/\$330 Child Care, 3 pp.
- E. SB 388, Waters, Proposed Amendments: SB 388 -A8, 1 p.
- F. SB 388, Waters, Staff Measure Summary, 1 p.
- G. SB 388, Waters, Fiscal Analysis of Proposed Legislation, 1 p.
- H. SB 388, Waters, Revenue Impact of Proposed Legislation, 1 p.
- I. SB 774, Reeder, Proposed Amendments: SB 774 A2, 2 pp.
- J. SB 774, Reeder, Staff Measure Summary, 1 p.

- K. SB 774, Reeder, No Fiscal Impact statement, 1 p.
- L. SB 774, Reeder, Revenue Impact of Proposed Legislation, 1 p.