HOUSE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

January 31, 1997 Hearing Room D

8:30 AM Tapes 10-11

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Rep. Bob Montgomery, Chair

Rep. Mike Lehman, Vice-Chair

Rep. Tim Josi

Rep. Jane Lokan

Rep. Bill Markham

Rep. Lonnie Roberts

Rep. Larry Wells

MEMBER EXCUSED:

STAFF PRESENT:

Janet Adkins, Policy Analyst

Debi Parker, Administrative Support

MEASURE/ISSUES HEARD:

INFORMATIONAL MEETING: Overview of the State Marine Board

H.B. 2117 with Amendment (EXHIBIT A) Public Hearing and Work

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HB.B. 2193 Public Hearing and Work Session

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

Tape/#	Speaker	Comments
TAPE 109, A]	
	Chair Montgomery	Calls to order Informational Meeting 8:35 am.
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OVERVIEW	1	
<u>STATE</u> <u>MARINE</u> <u>BOARD</u>		
		Director, State Marine Board, presentation on overview of Marine Board.
001	Paul Donheffner.	* program areas
		* revenue sources* increases in boating
009	Donheffner	Continues presentation.
056	Donheffner	Continues presentation.
127	Donheffner	Continues presentation.
160	Janet Adkins	Policy Analyst, aAsks question regarding matching funds
165	Donheffner	Answers question
103	Donheffner	Continues presentation.
243	Rep. Wells	Asks whether Donheffner believes that most people (constituents) know what the Marine Board does, and where their fees go
249	Donheffner	Replies that nNews releases and advertisement should make constituents aware. constituents means user fees mean user uses.
257	Rep. Roberts	Mainly, it is for safety, is that correct?By majority it is for safety, is that correct.
260	Donheffner	Agrees
275	Chair	Open Public Hearing for HBH.B. 2117
HB 2117 PUBLIC HEARING		
284	Janet Adkins	Description of bill, amendments (EXHIBIT A), staff measure summary, and Letters of Support (EXHIBIT B)
331	Donheffner	Presentation on HBH.B. 2117 (EXHIBIT C) Witness is in support of HBH.B. 2117.
TAPE 11, A		
055	Donheffner	Continues support testimony of HBH.B. 2117.
056	Chair Montgomery	For the record "The State Marine Board is the most, the best agency in the State of Oregon. I worked with them for over 20 years, I've seen what they've done as a elected county commission, and I've seen what they've done as a colleague, w. When I was over in that building over there. I've seen what they do as a Port Manager, and I know what they do as a Legislator, so I'd like to compliment you and your whole organization. It's money well spent. I wasn't aware that you donate 39% of your funding to law enforcement. I commend you."

064	Rep. Wells	Asks question regarding onethe fee increase, would that only affect small boats, personal water craft that are less that 12 ft. and over 30 horsepower.
080	Donheffner	Answers yes.
090	Rep. Wells	States support of HBH.B. 2117.
107	Chair Montgomery	Introduces Michael Machado
120	Michael Machado,	Clackamas County Sheriff's Office, Testimony in Support of HBH.B. 2117 (EXHIBIT D) in way of reading letter of support from John P. Raichi, Clatsop County Sheriff, OSSA's Marine Affairs Committee Chair, Salem, Clatsop County.
142	Rep. Roberts	Asks if the Sheriffs Dept. gives educational lessons, and if all of the counties are provided boats for enforcement purposes
150	Machado	Yes, on education question and defers boat question to Paul Donheffner.
177	Donheffner	Yes, all counties are provided boats and equipment.
180	Chair Montgomery	Introduces Lieutenant Terry Jones, Multnomah County Sheriff's Office
182	Lt. Terry Jones	Multnomah County Sheriff's office, provides support for HBH.B. 2117 (EXHIBIT E) gives verbal presentation of support.
242	Lt. Jones	Continues testimony supporting HBH.B. 2117.
295	Chair Montgomery	Asks for any further public hearing on HBH.B. 2117.
301	Ken Armstrong	Oregon Public Ports Association comes forth to testify. States that as everyone had heard from Mr. Donheffner, my members are very supportive of this bill.
323	Ray Gribling	Identifies himself as a "bBoater" and " I would encourage the bill, and don't believe that it goes far enough."
356	Chair Montgomery	Closes Public Hearing on HBH.B. 2117, and opens a Public Hearing on HBH.B. 2193.
TAPE 10, B		
<u>HB 2193</u> <u>PUBLIC</u> HEARING		
001	Paul Donheffner	Director, Oregon State Marine Board. Gives testimony infor support of HBH.B. 2193 see (EXHIBIT F).
060	Janet Adkins	States that there is a provision in the statute, that it is only if the person is convicted. Points out that a court order stipulation that if the operator is convicted, they cannot operate ANY boat for a year.
069	Rep. Lehman	Introduces his family who is in committee today.
090	Rep. Wells	Asks If I'm in court and convicted, the law says I will lose any and all registration if I consent to a chemical test or 3 years if I don't.

114	Donheffner	The only thing its going to change is the date of cancellation. This is a housekeeping bill. Meant to help the process, as we have little control over when the notices are sent out.
123	Rep. Wells	States his support of this legislation (H.B. 2193)
136	Rep. Roberts	States support of bill
140	Chair Montgomery	Closes Public Hearing, and opens work session on HBH.B. 2193.
HBH.B. 2193 WORK SESSION		
175	Rep. ROBERTS	MOTION: Moves HB 2193 to the floor with a DO PASS recommendation.
180		VOTE: 7-0 AYE: In a roll call vote, all members are present and vote Aye.
	Chair Montgomery	The motion CARRIES. REP. ROBERTS will lead discussion on the floor.
203	Chair Montgomery	Informs members that they have a handout (EXHIBIT G)(EXHIBIT F) in front of them from the Dept. of Transportation, Victor Dodier. This memo contains updated and corrected statistics on vehicle drivers in Oregon, and studded tires.
210	Chair Montgomery	Closes Work Session, and recesses meeting 9:50 a.m

Submitted By, Reviewed By,

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Administrative Support Policy Analyst

EXHIBIT SUMMARY

A - HBH.B. 2117, Amendments to the Measure, provided by Legislative Counsel, 1 pp

B - HBH.B. 2117, Letters of Support of Measure from various agencies, provided by Janet Adkins, 4 pp

C - HBH.B. 2117, Testimony in support of Measure, provided by Paul Donheffner, 3 pp

D - HBH.B. 2117, Testimony in support of measure, provided by Lt. Terry Jones, 2 pp

E - HBH.B. 2117, Letter read in to record voicing support of measure, provided by Michael Machado, 1 pp

F - HBH.B. 2193, Testimony in support of Measure, provided by Paul Donheffner, 1 pp

G - Memo from Victor Dodier, ODOT, clarifying January 29, 1997 meeting, driver statistics and tire information. Please note that Exhibit will be added to 1/29/97 minutes also. 1 pp.