

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON  
COMMERCE

Hearing Room  
1:35 PM Tapes - 17

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Rep. Eldon Johnson, Chair  
Rep. Cynthia Wooten, Vice-Chair  
Rep. Chuck Carpenter  
Rep. Michael Fahey  
Rep. Tony Federici  
Rep. Lynn Lundquist  
Rep. Gail Shibley  
Rep. Lynn Snodgrass  
Rep. Larry Wells

MEMBER EXCUSED:

STAFF PRESENT:

Daniel Jarman, Committee Administrator  
Jodie Hall, Committee Assistant

MEASURES HEARD:

HB 2036 - Work Session  
HB 2139 - Work Session  
HB 2647 - Work Session  
HB 2652 - Work Session  
HB 2430 - Work Session  
HB 2791 - Work Session  
HB 2845 - Work Session

These minutes contain materials which paraphrase and/or summarize statements made during this session. Only text enclosed in quotation marks report a speaker's exact words. For complete contents of the proceedings, please refer to the tapes.

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000 CHAIR JOHNSON OPENS MEETING AT 1:35 PM.

006 OPENS WORK SESSION ON HB 2036.

007 REP. WELLS: Summarizes HB 2036. Explains reasons why HB 2036 passed the Commerce Committee and was then brought back to discuss certificates of authority for nonprofits and educational institutions.

069 MOTION: REP. WELLS moves HB 2036, AS AMENDED, be sent to the Floor with a DO PASS recommendation.

075 VOTE: REP. CARPENTER, FAHEY, FEDERICI, LUNDQUIST, SHIBLEY, SNODGRASS, WELLS and JOHNSON vote AYE. REP. WOOTEN is EXCUSED.

079 CHAIR JOHNSON: The motion CARRIES.

081 Rep. Wells will lead the Floor discussion.

082 CLOSES WORK SESSION ON HB 2036.

083 OPENS WORK SESSION ON HB 2139.

086 REP. SHIBLEY: Summarizes HB 2139.

104 MOTION: REP. SHIBLEY moves HB 2139, AS AMENDED, be sent to the Floor  
with a DO PASS recommendation.

112 VOTE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote AYE.

114 CHAIR JOHNSON: The motion CARRIES.

116 Rep. Shibley will lead the Floor discussion.

117 CLOSES WORK SESSION ON HB 2139.

118 OPENS WORK SESSION ON HB 2647.

120 REP. SNODGRASS: Summarizes HB 2647 and the amendments adopted in the  
Business Sub-Committee. Refers the committee members to the -3 amendments.

141 MOTION: REP. SNODGRASS moves HB 2647, AS AMENDED, be sent to the Floor  
with a DO PASS recommendation.

149 VOTE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote AYE.

152 CHAIR JOHNSON: The motion CARRIES.

154 Rep. Snodgrass will lead the Floor discussion.

155 CLOSES WORK SESSION ON HB 2647.

156 OPENS WORK SESSION ON HB 2652.

158 REP. FEDERICI: Summarizes HB 2652.

188 -In response to Rep. Shibley: No, we did not hear from DCBS.

190 DAN JARMAN, Committee Administrator: Frank Brawner stated that DCBS did  
support this measure.

192 MOTION: REP. FEDERICI moves HB 2652 be sent to the Floor with a DO PASS  
recommendation.

199 VOTE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote AYE.

201 CHAIR JOHNSON: The motion CARRIES.

203 Rep. Federici will lead the Floor discussion.

204 CLOSES WORK SESSION ON HB 2652.

206 OPENS WORK SESSION ON HB 2430.

208 REP. FEDERICI: Summarizes HB 2430 and the amendments adopted by the  
Business Sub-Committee.

231 -In response to Rep. Wooten: Explains "adequate reserves". Adequate  
reserves are between 15 and 17% of paid claims.

242 REP. SNODGRASS: In response to Rep. Wooten, explains for Rep. Wooten  
that currently there is only one licensed MEWA in Oregon.

251 REP. SNODGRASS: Currently only applies to one company.

253 MOTION: REP. FEDERICI moves HB 2430, AS AMENDED, be sent to the Floor  
with a DO PASS recommendation.

257 VOTE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote AYE.

262 CHAIR JOHNSON: The motion CARRIES.

264 Rep. Federici will lead the Floor discussion.

265 CLOSES WORK SESSION ON HB 2430.

266 OPENS WORK SESSION ON HB 2791.

268 REP. LUNDQUIST: Summarizes HB 2791.

304 REP. FEDERICI: Explains his concerns in clarifying the definitions of mortgage broker and mortgage banker so that the Commerce Committee members have complete information for the Floor Session.

319 REP. LUNDQUIST: Defines mortgage broker and mortgage banker as defined in the bill.

386 MOTION: REP. LUNDQUIST moves HB 2791 be sent to the Floor with a DO PASS recommendation.

391 VOTE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote AYE.

395 CHAIR JOHNSON: The motion CARRIES.

398 Rep. Lundquist will lead the Floor discussion.

399 CLOSES WORK SESSION ON HB 2791.

340 OPENS WORK SESSION ON HB 2845.

WITNESSES:

FRANK BRAWNER, Oregon Bankers Association

342 REP. SNODGRASS: Summarizes HB 2845 and the -1 amendments adopted by the Business Sub-Committee.

385 -In response to Rep. Wooten: Does not see this as an unfunded mandate.

Is not aware of how many counties are not open six hours a day.

409 REP. WELLS: Explains further that under current law, counties are open for six hours. It is most important as to what the offices do during these

hours that is at issue.

439 FRANK BRAWNER, Oregon Bankers Association: Responds further to Rep. Wooten's concerns. Explains the amendment further. Explains the declaration by a county of a fiscal emergency resolution to decrease the hours of operation of the county clerks office.

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040 BRAWNER: Continues with explanation of HB 2845 and the -1 amendment adopted by the Business Sub-Committee.

050 -In response to Chair Johnson: Explains reasons for HB 2845.

066 MOTION: REP. SNODGRASS moves HB 2845, AS AMENDED, to the Floor with a DO PASS recommendation.

072 VOTE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote AYE.

076 CHAIR JOHNSON: The motion CARRIES.

081 Rep. Snodgrass will lead the Floor discussion.

082 CLOSES WORK SESSION ON HB 2845.

083      ADJOURNS MEETING AT 2:10 PM.

Submitted by,      Reviewed by,

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