

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON
LABOR

Hearing Room
Tapes

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Rep. John Watt, Chair
Rep. Lee Beyer, Vice-Chair
Rep. Kate Brown
Rep. Chuck Carpenter
Rep. Mike Fahey
Rep. Lynn Lundquist
Rep. Lynn Snodgrass

STAFF PRESENT:

Aaron Felton, Committee Counsel
Paula Gilmer Purcell, Committee Assistant

MEASURES HEARD:

Work Session On House Bill 2318
Work Session On House Bill 2237
Public Hearing On House Bill 2437

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.

TAPE , SIDE A

04 CHAIR WATT: Brings meeting to order at 1:30pm. Since we do not have enough members present for a quorum we will go into a subcommittee.

10 REP. MANNIX, SPONSOR OF HOUSE BILL 2318: Gives an explanation of why the bill is needed and why an amendment has been proposed.

40 CHAIR WATT: We are now in full committee, so lets go into a work session. Representatives Brown and Carpenter have come into the hearing room.

Opens Work Session on House Bill 2318

49 AARON FELTON, COUNSEL: Gives explanation of House Bill 2318.

54 CHAIR WATT: And we have a dash one amendment that is in front of us.

63 MOTION: REP. BROWN: MOVES that the dash one amendment be adopted.

65 VOTE: CHAIR WATT: Rep. Brown MOVES the dash one amendments of 2318. Are there any objections? Hearing none, so ordered.

66 MOTION: REP. BROWN: MOVES House Bill 2318 to floor as amended with a PASS recommendation.

DO

68 VOTE: 6-0 MOTION PASSES
AYE: Brown, Carpenter, Fahey, Lundquist, Snodgrass, Watt
NO: None
EXCUSED: Beyer

74 CHAIR WATT: House Bill 2318 as amended, will go to the floor with a do pass recommendation. Representative Mannix will you carry?

75 REP. MANNIX: Yes.

Closes Work Session on House Bill 2318

Opens Work Session on House Bill 2237

Witnesses: Representative Dennis Luke
Fred VanNatta

78 FELTON: Gives an explanation of House Bill 2237.

82 REP. DENNIS LUKE, SPONSOR OF THE BILL Speaks to the bill and discusses the amendments.

110 CHAIR WATT: 701.992, improper registration, what are we talking about in penalties?

115 FRED VANNATTA, OREGON STATE HOME BUILDERS ASSOCIATION: Speaks to the civil penalty amendment to House Bill 2237.

128 Representative Beyer comes into the hearing room.

132 MOTION: REP. BEYER: MOVES to adopt the dash one amendments.

134 VOTE: CHAIR WATT: Discussion? Any objections? Hearing none, so
ordered.

136 MOTION: REP. BEYER: MOVES to adopt the dash two amendments.

137 VOTE: CHAIR WATT: Discussion? Without objection, so ordered.

140 MOTION: REP. BEYER: MOVES House Bill 2237 to floor as amended
DO PASS recommendation.

142 VOTE: 7-0 MOTION PASSES

AYE: Brown, Carpenter, Fahey, Lundquist, Snodgrass, Beyer,
NO: None.

147 CHAIR WATT: House Bill 2237 as amended will go the floor with a do pass
recommendation. Representative Luke will carry the bill.

149 REP. LUKE: Thank you, and I would like to thank the committee for all
of their work.

157 CHAIR WATT: We will take a recess untill 2:00pm.

Opens Public Hearing on House Bill 2437

Witnesses: Representative Lisa Naito
Donna Hunter
Marsha Martin

154 REP. LISA NAITO, SPONSOR OF HOUSE BILL 2437: Discusses why she
introduced this bill. Uses the black board to clarify the amendment that
she is recommending.

189 CHAIR WATT: Has someone had a bad experience with this?

192 NAITO: Yes, and people from the Employment Department could explain
what happened.

199 DONNA HUNTER, EMPLOYMENT DEPARTMENT: We have had a few cases, three in
the last eight years.

210 REP. NAITO: We just want to clarify existing expectations.

215 I would like to introduce one amendment that the word providers would be
included.

231 CHAIR WATT: Please look at sub B. Is there any way to include that all
in one?

246 REP. NAITO: I believe that we did pass that section out of this very
type of occurrence.

251 CHAIR WATT: I was thinking that we could simplify the statute.

255 HUNTER: This could run some risk when broadening an exclusion that is
very narrowly focused.

261 REP. NAITO: Any time you get into the independent contractor
definitions, one thing just leads to another.

273 MARSHA MARTIN, EXECUTIVE OFFICER WITH THE COMMISSION FOR CHILD CARE:
Explains with written testimony [EXHIBIT A] why they feel this language
should be changed. The commission supports this legislation.

Closes Public Hearing on House Bill 2437

27 CHAIR WATT: Adjourns the hearing at 2:10pm.

Submitted by, Reviewed by,

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EXHIBIT SUMMARY:

A - Testimony on House Bill 2437, submitted by Marsha Martin