

SENATE COMMITTEE ON
RULES AND ELECTIONS

April 27, 1995 Hearing Room C
9:00 A.M. Tape 56

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Sen. Paul Phillips, Vice-Chair
Sen. Brady Adams
Sen. Dick Springer

MEMBER EXCUSED:

Sen. Randy Miller, Chair
Sen. Shirley Gold

STAFF PRESENT:

Kristina McNitt, Committee Administrator
Gretchen Haber, Committee Assistant

MEASURES HEARD:

SB 1070: Public Hearing
SCR 11: Public Hearing and Work Session
SB 1101: Public Hearing
HB 2154: Public Hearing

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TAPE 56, A

003 VICE CHAIR PHILLIPS: calls the meeting to order at 9:00a.m. as a subcommittee.

005 Opens public hearing on HB 2154.

Witnesses: Oregon Student Lobby: Robert Nosse, Executive Director
Colleen Sealock, Director, Elections Division, Office of the Secretary of State
Vicki Ervin, Director of Elections, Multnomah County

008 COLLEEN SEALOCK, DIRECTOR, ELECTIONS DIVISION, OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE, testifies on HB 2154.

SENATE RULES AND ELECTIONS April 27, 1995 - Page 2 020 SEALOCK: discusses categories of citizens whose residency classifications pose questions. Examples include instances where homes are split by a jurisdictional line, and where citizens vacate their home, do not establish another residence, yet see themselves as Oregon citizens. Provides additional examples.

057 SEALOCK: discusses need for election clerks to consider additional documentation for the determination of residency, as is listed in HB 2154.

070 SEALOCK: testifies that suggested "tests" would not be used as a checklist. Discusses.

080 VICKI ERVIN, DIRECTOR OF ELECTIONS, MULTNOMAH COUNTY, testifies in favor of HB 2154. --Measure is needed to provide additional guidelines --Measure provides needed standardization

095 ROBERT NOSSE, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, OREGON STUDENT LOBBY testifies on HB 2154.

--Notes distinction in language between "may" and "shall." Prefers the term "may"

--Discusses concern with residency issues which affect college students

114 SEN. PHILLIPS: notes that the measure will be scheduled for a work session next week.

118 Closes public hearing on HB
2154.
119 Opens public hearing on SB 1070.

Witnesses: Oregon Public Employees Union: Rich
Peppers
Don Wyant, Staff of Senator Marilyn
Shannon

120 DON WYANT, STAFF OF SENATOR MARILYN SHANNON, test)ifies in favor of SB
1070. Presents written testimony (EXHIBIT A) and letter to Senator Shannon
(written by Mark Ford, Policy Section, Oregon Department of Transportation,
relating to semiindependent state agencies (EXHIBIT B).

130 WYANT: test)ifies that a study could determine which agencies would be
more efficient privately rather than through government

142 SEN. PHILLIPS: asks if Wyant has worked with the Dept. of
Administrative Services.

WYANT: responds.

154 SEN. PHILLIPS: notes that studies are currently underway.

160 RICH PEPPERS, OREGON PUBLIC EMPLOYEES UNION, test)ifies on SB 1070.
--Notes that the measure goes beyond a study to establish semi-independent
status for
agencies

--Calls for amendments
170 SEN. PHILLIPS: discusses the potential fiscal impact.

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178 Closes public hearing on SB 1070.

186 Opens public hearing on SCR 11.

192 SEN. ADAMS: notes that Senator Lim is in support of the measure.

195 KRISTINA MCNITT, COMMITTEE ADMINISTRATOR: notes that the measure was
requested by Senate President Gordon Smith.

200 SEN. SPRINGER: states that members of the Taiwanese community are
interested in building ties.

211 Closes public hearing on SCR 11.
212 Opens work session on SCR 11.
214 MOTION: SEN. SPRINGER: Moves SCR 11 be sent to the Floor with a DO PASS
recommendation.
VOTE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote AYE. SEN. GOLD and SEN.
MILLER are excused.
VICE CHAIR PHILLIPS: The motion CARRIES.
SEN. LIM will lead discussion on the Floor.
220 Closes public hearing on SCR 11.

230 SEN. PHILLIPS: adjourns the meeting at 9:20 a.m.

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Committee Assistant Committee Administrator

EMIIBIT SUMMARY:

A - Testimony on SB 1070 - D. Wyant Jr. -1 page

B - Supplemental material on SB 1070 - D. Wyant Jr. -14 pages

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