

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON CHILDREN AND FAMILIES
WORK GROUP ON STATE COMMISSION FOR CHILDREN AND
FAMILIES

April 5, 1993 Hearing Room 137
1:30 p.m. Tapes 03 - 04

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Gail Shibley, Chair
 Rep. Ron Adams

STAFF PRESENT: Annette Price, Committee Administrator
 Edward C. Klein, Committee Assistant

PUBLIC HEARING &
POSSIBLE WORK SESSION:

HB 2003 - Establishes standards for support delivery
systems for children and families by State Office of
Services for Children and Families.
HB 2004 - Creates State Commission on Children and
Families.
HB 2005 - Transfers duties of child protective
services from Department of Human Resources to State
Office for Children and Families.

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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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TAPE 03, SIDE A

003 CHAIR SHIBLEY: Calls the work group to order at 1:43 p.m.

Witnesses:

Bob Kerns, Branch Manager, Douglas Branch, CSD

Mr. Kyliluay, CSD Client

Mrs. Kyliluay

Joe Moss, Supervisor, CSD

Jerry Waybrant, Supervisor, CSD

Muriel Goldman, Children First for Oregon

Leslie Haines, Care Team Member

Rose Ottey, Care Team Member

012 BOB KERNS, Branch Manager, Douglas Branch, CSD: Introduces clients.

021 MR. KYLILUAY, CSD Client: Reads testimony on his favorable

experience
with CSD.

060 MRS. KYLILUAY: Reads testimony on her favorable experiences with
Douglas County CSD.

095 KERNS: We're committed to serving families at the community level.

CHAIR SHIBLEY: Appreciates their testimony.

107 JOE MOSS, Supervisor, CSD: Presents an update on Douglas County
pilot
project.

CHAIR SHIBLEY: Focus on why the project works.

120 JERRY WAYBRANT, Supervisor, CSD: Our project works because we have a
respect for families.

137 MOSS: It's about listening to families.
-He elaborates on the program.

167 CHAIR SHIBLEY: How do people know where to go?

WAYBRANT: Because we're in the community. He elaborates.

180 CHAIR SHIBLEY: How do you interface with the schools and the
workforce?

WAYBRANT: Responds.

196 KERNS: Discusses a specific school program.
-He describes the parent's relief nursery.

225 WAYBRANT: Describes their philosophy in reaching the community.

243 CHAIR SHIBLEY: Thanks the presenters.
-Please provide us with any information you may have.
-She presents draft amendments (EXHIBIT A).

290 ANNETTE PRICE, Committee Administrator: Begins describing the
amendments.

310 CHAIR SHIBLEY: In section 1 she attempted to take language from the
care team report.
-Continues describing the amendments.
-Wants to ensure the language in the bill keeps true to the language
of
the report.

369 MURIEL GOLDMAN, Children First for Oregon: Section 2 contains more
of
the values listed in the report.

383 CHAIR SHIBLEY: Continues discussing section 3.
-There was a question raised about what the plan is.
-She discusses section 4.

TAPE 04, SIDE A

020 CHAIR SHIBLEY: Describes section 4 (3).

- Discusses section 5.
- Discusses section 6.
- Discusses section 10.
- Discusses section 13.
- Discusses section 15.

161 REP. ADAMS: Doesn't suspect we'll finalize anything on Wednesday.

ANNETTE PRICE: We're expected to update the committee on what's gone on to date.

- The following week we'll draft a final report and the final week is when the committee will finalize the proposals.

183 REP. ADAMS: We'll go over our notes for the personnel work group and discuss things further.

- We have to caution folks we'll move with great speed with caution.

203 CHAIR SHIBLEY: Eventually all services for children and families will

be centralized.

would She significantly changed the makeup of the state commission and appreciate any comments.

- It makes sense that this legislation not be micromanaged, but provide clear, but broad policy frameworks.

250 LESLIE HAINES, Care Team Member: Presents concerns about competitive bidding.

- We need to get that back into the standards for the plans in general.
- There are a number of other programs that aren't listed.

309 CHAIR SHIBLEY: Responds.

321 ROSE OTTEY, Care Team Member: Refers to page 2, line 19. Does this refer to the state or local plan?

- Discusses the need for a multi-year plan.
- She'd like some clear language that indicates the first steps as the plan is implemented.

362 CHAIR SHIBLEY: This requires the Governor to appoint members within 45

days of the effective date of the act.

- Perhaps the date the final commission member is confirmed the OCCYSC can be abolished and their services transferred to this state commission, will that help?

OTTEY: That's one piece.

- She refers to page 6.

CHAIR SHIBLEY: We'll get to that.

394 HAINES: Will we repeat the language of the Care Team child protective

services language?

CHAIR SHIBLEY: We need to wait until we hear from the state office work group.

418 OTTEY: Refers to section 10. Is it your intention to leave the bill as broad as possible?

CHAIR SHIBLEY: That's in the state office.
-We need to do it here or in a companion bill.

TAPE 03, SIDE B

015 REP. ADAMS: There are those who believe the state commission should identify the role for the state office, others don't believe that's in the commission's purview.

022 CHAIR SHIBLEY: The third option is that the Legislature should provide that.

REP. ADAMS:

038 OTTEY: Notion of a joint interim committee to provide legislative oversight?

044 CHAIR SHIBLEY: We've had discussions on it.
-Perhaps the commission could report to the interim committee.
-She's trying to balance competing concerns.

068 REP. ADAMS: The local commissions are concerned about having to sit on their hands for two years.
-He'd be surprised if there weren't a joint interim committee.

080 OTTEY:

091 CHAIR SHIBLEY: Asked to identify and provide a list of services that individual counties can provide.

114 OTTEY:

HAINES:

119 CHAIR SHIBLEY:

122 NANCY MILLER, Citizens Review Board: Refers to section 1. We're not trying to enable, we're trying to empower.

127 CHAIR SHIBLEY:

130 GOLDMAN: Asks for clarification regarding majority of lay persons.

137 CHAIR SHIBLEY: Responds

141 GOLDMAN:

147 CHAIR SHIBLEY:

149 GOLDMAN: What do you mean by foster care?

154 CHAIR SHIBLEY: Don't know yet, Do you have a preference?

155 GOLDMAN: Is asking for clarification.

160 CHAIR SHIBLEY: Responds and closes work session on HB 2004.

CHAIR SHIBLEY: Discusses with Annette Price and Rep. Adams what needs
to be done and what she would like them to do.
-Adjourns at 3:05 p.m.

Submitted by,

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EXHIBIT LOG:

A - Amendments to HB 2004 - Staff - 10 pages