

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON RULES AND REORGANIZATION

February 24, 1993 Hearing Room E 1:30 p.m. Tapes 33 - 34

MEMBERS PRESENT:Rep. John Watt, Chair Rep. Lonnie Roberts,
Vice-Chair Rep. Avel Gordly Rep. Dave McTeague Rep. Eldon Johnson Rep.
Fred Girod Rep. Delna Jones Rep. Cedric Hayden Rep. Michael Payne STAFF
PRESENT:Adrienne Sexton, Administrator Betina Rothauser, Coordinator
MEASURES CONSIDERED: HJR 12 - Directs Legislative Administration
Committee to develop legislative museum and designate capitol curator.
HB 2493 - Limits number of measures that may be requested by elected
officials and others for drafting by Legislative Counsel.
WITNESSES: Susan Wilson, Legislative Committees, H1R 12
Representative Tom Mason, HJR 12 Bill Leach, Administrative Services,
HJR 12 Tom Clifford, Legislative Counsel, HB 2493

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004 JOHN WATT, COMMITTEE CHAIR: Calls meeting to order at 1:30pm.

PUBLIC HEARING ON HJR 12 Witnesses: Susan Wilson, Legislative
Committees House Legislative Rules and Reorganuauation February 24, 1993 -
Page 2 Representative Tom Mason Bill Leach, Administrative Services 007
ADRIENNE SEXTON. COMMITTEE ADMINISTRATOR: Introduces and summarizes
bill. Presents memorandum from Chet Orloff, Director, Oregon Historical
Society. (EXHIBIT A) 059 SUSAN WILSON! LEGISLATIVE ADMINISTRATOR:
Offers to answer questions on HJR 12. 063 REP. LONNIE ROBERTS: Is
there is a way to account for what is there now? 065 WILSON: Since
capitol burned, things have disappeared. Secretary of State now tags and
keeps inventory on historical properties. 080 ROBERTS: How large is the
inventory? 083 WILSON: Nothing that we know of has walked away since
the late 70's. 089 BILL LEACH. GENERAL MANAGER. ADMINISTRATIVE
SERVICES: Introduces himself. 094 REPRESENTATIVE TOM MASON:
Summarizes HJR 12 and talks about the disappearance of items. Testifies
in favor of having a capitol curator. 110 REP. AVEL GORDLY: Where do
we keep legislative artifacts now? 120 MASON: It's haphazard.
125 WILSON: A number of pieces are in offices and tagged. If member
wants a piece we work through the Secretary of State to find them
something. 134 MASON: Things have disappeared. 140 GORDLY: Has
anyone looked at the possibility of using the new archives building as a
location and using their staff? 145 WILSON: There are two issues:
inventory and warehousing. There are warehouses of historical property
that the Secretary of States' Office oversees. As far as museum aspect,
a 1989 bill looked at designating museum Room 50 as museum space. Oregon
Historical Society has done plans for display cases for special items.
179 GORDLY: Aside from this proposal is there a plan to renovate Room
50? 183 WILSON: Room 50 is renovated. 187 MASON: Gives testimony
about Washington D.C. history and speaks about missing items. -
Emphasizes need for a curator. House Legislative Rules and
Reorganization February 24, 1993 - Page 3 224 ROBERTS: Who is
Administration Committee controlled by?

228 WILSON: It is co-chaired by the Speaker and President.

234 WATT: Where will the dollars to finance this come from?

235 MASON: It doesn't take dollars, it's a designation.

239 WATT: What about display cases?

243 MASON: We'll confront these down the road.

250 ROBERTS: Talks about general fund money. Can we get public donations?

261 WILSON: Have thought about Friends of the Capitol group.

272 ROBERTS: Wants to maintain control within the Legislature.

277 LEACH: Gives testimony on HJR 12.

207 REP. CEDRIC HAYDEN: Will sit as member of the Legislative Advisory Committee.

314 MASON: Continues testimony in favor of HJR 12.

330 GORDLY: Was consideration given to using inmate labor on this project?

337 MASON: I don't know.

339 ROBERTS: Explains problems involved.

PUBLIC HEARING ON HB 2493 Witnesses: Tom Clifford, Legislative Counsel

353 SEXTON: Summarizes and reviews amendments on HB 2493. (EXHIBIT B)

385 ROBERTS: Is there no limit on bills that constituents can request?

388 SEXTON: Under -1 Amendments that is correct.

425 SEXTON: Clarifies the difference between the two amendments and introduces proposed letter of recommendation to Legislative Counsel. (EXHIBIT C)

491 WATT: Reads letter enclosed in Exhibit B.

TAPE 34, SIDE A House Legislative Rules and Reorganization February 24, 1993 - Page 4 042 TOM CLIFFORD, LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL: Submits and reviews written testimony explaining HB 2493. (EXHIBIT D)

126 WATT: Have you ever charged for services?

127 CLIFFORD: No. Continues testimony

141 WATT: Do you feel compelled to make charge that is in letter?

144 CLIFFORD: The statute leaves that up to your committee.

150 WATT: Discusses letter with Committee.

201 CLIFFORD: Clarifies testimony.

204 REP, DELNA JONES: Questions whether to go to the Attorney General for an opinion because of costs involved.

213 CLIFFORD: States that all drafts will come to Legislative Counsel anyway for proofreading and printing at prefiling time. 229: REP. ELDON JOHNSON: Has reservations about restricting agencies by issuing

charges. 247 ROBERTS: Problem is that legislators submit same bills. Need some type of economy to check for this. 260CLIFFORD: Talks about the Confidentiality Policy. Legislative Counsel works with Legislators to encourage them to work with others who propose similar bills. 274 ROBERTS: How often does first person say no? 278 CLIFFORD: Upwards of half. Often because these are done by phone or mail, instead of in person. 303 HAYDEN: Asks for a recess before vote is taken. 315 WATT: Calls a five minute recess. Reopens Public Hearing on HB 2493 at 2:30pm

WORK SESSION ON HB 2493

323 SEXTON: Addresses concerns of committee members.

MOTION: WATT: Moves to send the letter. (EXHIBIT B)

VOTE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote AYE. Representative Gordly, Jones and Vice Chair Roberts are ABSENT. House Legislative Rules and Reorganization February 24, 1993 - Page 5 MOTION: JOHNSON: Moves that -1 and -2 amendments be added to HB 2493.

362 WATT: Discusses questions regarding amendments with committee.

389 CLIFFORD: Clarifies deadline issues. Offers some suggestions.

VOTE: In a roll call vote, all member present vote AYE. Representatives Gordly and Jones are ABSENT.

468 REP. MICHAEL PAYNE: Proposes amendment to give Senators the same number of measures as Representatives.

492 WATT: Asks for a specific number.

493 PAYNE: Proposes reducing number to 20 for Senators.

MOTION: PAYNE: Moves to adopt -3 amendments to HB 2493.

VOTE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote AYE. Representatives Gordly and Jones are ABSENT.

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049 ROBERTS: Still has problem with priorities.

056 CLIFFORD: Clarifies House Rule 13.15

067 WATT: Adjourns meeting at 2:45 pm.

Submitted by: Reviewed by: Betina Rothauser Adrienne Sexton
Committee Coordinator Committee Administrator

EXHIBIT LOG:

A - Testimony on HJR 12 - Chet Orloff, Oregon Historical Society - 1 page
B - HB 2493 -1, -2 amendments - 4 pages
C - Testimony on HB 2493 - Chair Watt and Vice-Chair Roberts - 3 pages
D - Testimony on HB 2493 - Tom Clifford, Legislative Counsel - 1 page