SENATE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES

DATE: August 2, 1993 TAPES: 280 PLACE: Hearing Room C TIME: 1:00 PM

MEMBERS PRESENT: Senator Ron Cease, Chair Senator Jim Bunn, Vice-Chair Senator Bob Kintigh Senator Bob Shoemaker Senator Shirley Gold

MEMBERS EXCUSED: Senator Joyce Cohen Senator Gordon Smith

GUEST MEMBERS: Rep. Ted Calouri

STAFF PRESENT: Peter Green, Committee Administrator Chris Warner, Research Associate Julie Mu§iz, Committee Assistant

MEASURES HEARD: HB 2534 WRK

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TAPE 280 SIDE A

005 CHAIR RON CEASE: Calls meeting to order at 1:29 p.m.

Work Session on HB 2534

007 SEN BOB SHOEMAKER: Explains the object of the HB 2534-A10 amendment (EXH. A) is to resolve a conflict between the cities of Portland and

Beaverton regarding which city should provide services to the urbanized suburb and area that lies between the two cities. > People who live in the areas where service boundaries overlap would

get to choose which city they want to be in. > This would force each city to do a careful job drawing their urban

services lines.

030 CHRIS WARNER, Research Associate: Talks about the language on line 6, page 2 of the hand-engrossed version of the bill.

bs: There would only be an election if there were proposed overlapping

urban service boundaries.

050 SEN JIM BUNN: Currently, do people not in the disputed area have the ability to say "no"?

SEN SHOEMAKER: No. There are no laws regarding urban service

boundaries. I think that's appropriate within an urban area.

068 CHAIR CEASE: Would deleting lines 6-8 on page 2 do what we want in the bill?

078 REP. CALOURI: Explains the issue of rejection of boundaries. Notes there no one is present from the City of Beaverton because they did not receive notice of the work session.

090 CHARLIE HALES, City of Portland: No one sent us word on this work session.

100 CHAIR CEASE: I thought this bill was ready to go.

118 SEN J BUNN: Is the A-engrossed bill worse than no bill at all?

120 HALES: Suggests throwing out the amendment. Doesn't see need for legislative intervention on use of this particular planning tool.

Believes resolution at the local level is possible. > Overviews debate on the topic. > Feels amendment would create a mechaniSMthat encourages the cities to be unreasonable.

204 SEN SHOEMAKER: These urban service boundary lines control which city will plan for providing services. Each city stakes out its own urban

service boundaries. After the boundaries are chosen and the cities

overlap, those people ought to choose what city they want to be in.

215 CHAIR CEASE: This is a contentious issue. The parties involved haven't come to agreement. Since we're not ready to move on this, let's

adjourn.

230 REP. CALOURI: Prepared to support the most recent amendment. If you don't take action on this now, then you've allowed only one of the

parties involved to continue as they have been.

265 CHAIR CEASE: Adjourns meeting at 1:47 p.m.

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