SENATE COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RESOURCES

June 16, 1993 Hearing Room B 3:00 p.m. Tapes 80 - 81

MEMBERS PRESENT: Sen. Bill McCoy, Chair Sen. Dick Springer, Vice-Chair Sen. Neil Bryant Sen. Wes Cooley Sen. Grattan Kerans

VISITING MEMBER: Rep. Mary Alice Ford

STAFF PRESENT: Mike Meriwether, Committee Administrator Alyssa Valenti, Committee Assistant

MEASURES CONSIDERED: Executive Appointments, Physical Therapist Licensing Board Executive Appointments, Commission for the Blind HB 2140 HB 2077 HB 2078 HB 3030

WITNESSES: Barbara S. Beardsley, Physical Therapist Licensing Board Reappointee Dorthea I. Petersen, Physical Therapist Licensing

Board Appointee Steven R. Evers, O.D., Commission for the Blind

Reappointee Steve P. Hanamura, Commission for the Blind

Reappointee Kae L. Mulvey, Commission for the Blind Reappointee Ralph D. Policar, Commission for the Blind Appointee Jackie B. Shepherd, Commission for the Blind Appointee Richard Marion, Chair, Board of Radiologic Technology Rep. Mary Alice Ford, District 8 Rey Ramsey, Director, Oregon Housing and Community

Services Department Mary Shortall, Deputy Administrator, Senior and

Disabled Services Division Jim Snodgrass, Program Disability Specialist, Senior

and Disabled Services Division Pam Delaney, Executive Officer, Board of Examiners of Speech Pathology and Audiology

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TAPE 80, SIDE A

006 CHAIR McCOY: Calls the meeting to order at 3:05 p.m.

EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS, PHYSICAL THERAPY LICENSING BOARD

017 DORTHEA I. PETERSEN: Gives background information for

appointment to the Physical Therapy Licensing Board.

036 SEN. KERANS: Have you attended any of the board meetings?

039 DORTHEA I. PETERSEN: Responds.

044 BARBARA S. BEARDSLEY: Gives background information for reappointment to the Physical Therapist Licensing Board.

073 SEN. KERANS: What problems/concerns could the board be facing in the future?

076 BARBARA S. BEARDSLEY: Responds.

WORK SESSION, PHYSICAL THERAPY LICENSING BOARD EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS

094 MOTION: SEN. KERANS: Moves the executive appointments EN BLOC of BARBARA S. BEARDSLEY AND DORTHEA I. PETERSEN to the PHYSICAL

THERAPIST LICENSING BOARD with a DO PASS recommendation.

103 VOTE: In a roll call vote, all members are present and vote AYE.

106 CHAIR MCCOY: It is so ordered.

EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS, COMMISSION FOR THE BLIND

127 DR. STEVEN R. EVERS: Gives background information for appointment to the Commission for the Blind.

150 STEVE P. HANAMURA: Gives background information for appointment to the Commission for the Blind.

163 KAE L. MULVEY: Gives background information for appointment to the Commission for the Blind.

174 SEN. KERANS: Asks for the witnesses outlook on the next 1-2 year period. Asks if they agree with Dr. Evers testimony, and to expand on

the problems facing the Commission.

180 STEVE HANAMURA: Responds. 194 KAE L. MULVEY: Responds.

212 CHAIR MCCOY: Asks the appointees to comment on the proposed merge of the Deaf School and the Blind School.

216 KAE L. MULVEY: Responds.

241 SEN. BRYANT: Asks Dr. Evers his opinion on the merger of the two schools.

254 DR. STEVEN EVERS: Responds.

268 KAE L. MULVEY: Continues testimony on the merger.

287 STEVE HANAMURA: Discusses merger issues.

WORK SESSION, COMMISSION FOR THE BLIND EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS

302 MOTION: SEN. KERANS: Moves the executive appointments EN BLOC of DR. STEVEN R. EVERS, STEVE P. HANAMURA, AND KAE L. MULVEY to the

COMMISSION FOR THE BLIND with a DO PASS recommendation.

313 VOTE: CHAIR MCCOY: Hearing no objection, it is so ordered.

EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS, COMMISSION FOR THE BLIND (CONT'D)

327 RALPH D. POLICAR: Gives background information for executive appointment to the Commission for the Blind.

375 SEN. KERANS: Asks questions on Vision Northwest, referred to in Ralph Policar's testimony.

380 RALPH D. POLICAR: Responds. Discusses Vision Northwest.

418 SEN. KERANS: Your work with the Commission has made you a believer in the mission and goals of the Commission?

423 RALPH D. POLICAR: Responds.

TAPE 81, SIDE A

008 JACKIE B. SHEPHERD: Gives background information for executive appointment to the Commission for the Blind.

WORK SESSION, COMMISSION FOR THE BLIND EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS

030 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR SPRINGER: Moves the executive appointments EN BLOC of RALPH D. POLICAR and JACKIE B. SHEPHERD to the COMMISSION FOR THE BLIND with a DO PASS recommendation.

033 VOTE: CHAIR MCCOY: Hearing no objection, it is so ordered.

WORK SESSION, HB 2140

039 MIKE MERIWETHER, COMMITTEE ADMINISTRATOR: Gives update on HB 2140.

050 MOTION: SEN. KERANS: Moves HB 2140 to the Floor with a DO PASS recommendation.

058 VOTE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote AYE. VICE-CHAIR SPRINGER IS EXCUSED.

060 CHAIR MCCOY: It is so ordered.

PUBLIC HEARING, HB 2077

062 MIKE MERIWETHER: Gives overview of HB 2077.

082 RICHARD MARION, CHAIR, BOARD OF RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY: Submits and summarizes testimony on EXHIBIT A in SUPPORT of HB 2077.

126 SEN. KERANS: Who is responsible for the supervision and certification of the equipment? Are you aware of any recent problems of its

miscalibration?

136 RICHARD MARION: Responds.

144 SEN. KERANS: The Health Division is responsible for the regulation?

145 RICHARD MARION: Responds.

146 SEN. KERANS: We are hearing concerns regarding less than adequate mammograms, and how they are taken. Are you aware of problems in that

regard?

157 RICHARD MARION: Responds.

174 SEN. COOLEY: In the outlying areas, there are people performing these functions that aren't licensed? Asks questions on limited licenses.

178 RICHARD MARION: That was not my intent. Continues with testimony.

191 SEN. COOLEY: Are all users in the State in the medical field required to have a license, or are there some that are exempt because of their

other degrees? 194 RICHARD MARION: Responds. Discusses radiation operator requirements.

207 SEN. COOLEY: Does this prohibit them from radiation treatment, or does it just allow them to do x-rays?

210 RICHARD MARION: Responds.

230 SEN. COOLEY: Asks questions regarding licensure.

231 RICHARD MARION: Responds.

256 SEN. KERANS: Asks questions on training requirements.

270 RICHARD MARION: Responds.

285 SEN. KERANS: Do you think that the public health and safety is protected by the 40 hour education rule, or should it be more?

295 RICHARD MARION: Responds.

318 SEN. COOLEY: Asks questions on illegal operation of equipment, and

what kinds of penalties apply.

324 RICHARD MARION: Responds.

346 SEN. KERANS: Discusses jurisdiction issues.

358 RICHARD MARION: Responds. Continues with testimony.

409 SEN. KERANS: Speaks to the bill.

Submitted for the record: EXHIBIT B from DAVID TAYLOR, OREGON SOCIETY OF RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGISTS, in SUPPORT of HB 2077.

WORK SESSION, HB 2077

429 MOTION: SEN. KERANS: Moves HB 2077 to the Floor with a DO PASS recommendation.

435 VOTE: CHAIR MCCOY: Hearing no objection, it is so ordered.

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PUBLIC HEARING, HB 3030

008 MIKE MERIWETHER: Gives overview of HB 3030. 020 REP. MARY ALICE FORD, DISTRICT 8: Testifies in SUPPORT of HB 3030.

051 REY RAMSEY, DIRECTOR, OREGON HOUSING AND COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT: Testifies in SUPPORT of HB 3030.

069 SEN. KERANS: What are the limitations on the size of a unit, and the number of bedrooms, and the number of non-disabled persons who might

live in such a unit? Are you familiar with these issues?

073 REP. FORD: Responds.

080 SEN. KERANS: Discusses housing units.

089 REY RAMSEY: Responds.

093 SEN. KERANS: Is the administrative cost recovered out of the sale of the bonds?

094 REY RAMSEY: Responds.

095 REP. FORD: Speaks to the bill.

120 MARY SHORTALL, DEPUTY ADMINISTRATOR, SENIOR AND DISABLED SERVICES DIVISION: Submits and summarizes testimony on EXHIBIT C in SUPPORT of HB 3030.

151 JIM SNODGRASS, PROGRAM DISABILITY SPECIALIST, SENIOR AND DISABLED SERVICES DIVISION: Testifies in SUPPORT of HB 3030.

195 SEN. COOLEY: Asks questions on determining the cost of the

units.

201 JIM SNODGRASS: Responds.

247 SEN. COOLEY: Speaks to the bill.

252 JIM SNODGRASS: Concludes testimony.

259 CHAIR MCCOY: Speaks to the bill.

WORK SESSION, HB 3030

 $270\,$ MOTION: SEN. COOLEY: Moves HB 3030 to the Floor with a DO PASS recommendation.

273 VOTE: CHAIR MCCOY: Hearing no objection, it is so ordered. SEN. BRYANT IS EXCUSED.

PUBLIC HEARING, HB 2078 276 MIKE MERIWETHER: Gives overview of HB 2078.

288 PAM DELANEY, EXECUTIVE OFFICER, BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF SPEECH PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY: Testifies in SUPPORT of HB 2078.

307 CHAIR MCCOY: Asks questions on fees.

308 PAM DELANEY: Responds.

312 SEN. KERANS: What is the fee now?

313 PAM DELANEY: Responds.

WORK SESSION, HB 2078

320 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR SPRINGER: Moves HB 2078 to the Floor with a DO PASS recommendation.

325 VOTE: CHAIR MCCOY: Hearing no objection, it is so ordered. SEN. BRYANT IS EXCUSED.

CHAIR McCOY ADJOURNS MEETING AT 4:30 p.m.

EXHIBIT LOG:

A - Testimony on HB 2077 - Richard Marion - 6 pages B - Testimony on HB 2077 - David Taylor - 1 page C - Testimony on HB 3030 - Mary Shortall - 1 page

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