

SENATE COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RESOURCES

Wednesday April 24, 1991 Hearing Room A 3:15 p.m. Tapes 74
- 76 MEMBERS PRESENT: Sen. Bill McCoy, Chair Sen. Cliff Trow,
Vice-Chair Sen. Shirley Gold Sen. Paul Phillips MEMBER EXCUSED: Sen.
Bill Kenemer VISITING MEMBER: Sen. Frank Roberts Rep. Judy Bauman
STAFF PRESENT: Janice J. Fiegenger, Committee Administrator Mike
Meriwether, Research Assistant Debbie Schieno, Committee Assistant Andra
Woodrum, Page MEASURES CONSIDERED: SB 739-Relating to public health.
SB 567-Relating to Oregon Youth Conservation Corps. SB 730 Relating to
children. SB 1081-Relating to sexual abuse of children.

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TAPE 74, SIDE A 002 CHAIR McCOY: Calls the meeting to order at 3:17
p.m. PUBLIC HEARING ON SENATE BILL 567 010 SEN. FRANK ROBERTS, DISTRICT
9: Explained SB 567 and the purpose of the bill. This is a scaled down
program which lacks many of the characteristics that can be achieved in
a residential program. It has demonstrated, even with the modest program
and the modest appropriations, that a great deal can be accomplished for
youth. SB 567 would attempt to maintain the present program, placing it
under the Community Children and Youth Services Program. >Any projects
approved under the Youth Conservation Corp. Program would be those that
would have to be reviewed by the local community commission. They would
have to be seen as being in accordance with and sympathetic to the other
types of community needs. This would make the program much more
responsive to local control. >Outlined the proposed amendments SB 567-1.
(EXHIBIT A) 126 SEN. TROW: Expressed his admiration for Sen. Roberts'
involvement in this program. - 130 DIANE IVERSON, OREGON COMMUNITY
CHILDREN AND YOUTH SERVICE COMMISSION (EXHIBIT B): Testified in support
of SB 567 and outlined Exhibit B. ' 157 DUANE WOLF, YCC ADVISORY BOARD:
Explained the program and the process of the employment opportunities.
During the past summer they were able to put projects in every one of
the 36 counties in the State of Oregon. >The Corp meets the objective,
providing a format where youth in the State of Oregon can learn work
ethics and be trained for employment. >This is a golden opportunity to
further enhance the reputation of the State of Oregon. 279 JIM FORBES,
LOOPING GLASS FAMILY AND YOUTH SERVICE: Looking Glass has been in
operation since 1970. It was started as a runaway center. The programs
have been expanded over the years to provide for early intervention and
dealing with a wider diversity of young people. TAPE 75. SIDE A 009
REP. JUDY BAUMAN, DISTRICT 13: Testified in support of SB 567. This
program continues Oregon's commitment to provide opportunity, not give
it away, but to create the challenge where young people can learn the
satisfaction of a job well done and a contribution to the community. 048
DONNELL LINTON, YCC PROGRAM STUDENT: He has been in the program for 8
months. The program has been helpful in giving him an education and job
experience. 063 SERINA REAVES, YCC PROGRAM STUDENT: She has been in the
program for 4 months. The program has helped her present herself
properly in finding a good. She is currently studying for her GED. 080
LINDA DeSPAIN, PLANNING DIRECTOR, LANE-METRO YOUTH CORP. (EXHIBIT C):
Testified in support of SB 567 and outlined Exhibit C. 263 ED
ARMSTRONG, WASHINGTON COUNTY PROVIDER (EXHIBIT D): Testified in support
of SB 567 and outlined Exhibit D. Although their program only serves 12
young people, they really serve their community. Regardless, if they had
an OICC

grant for next year, their corp will continue. They could not have done this without the seed money from OICC. 363 WES MARE, OAKRIDGE CITY ADMINISTRATOR: Testified in support of SB 567 and explained their program. TAPE 74, SIDE B WORR SESSION ON SENATE BILL 567 008 NOTION: SEN. TROW moved the SB 567-1 amendments. VOTE: Hearing no objection, Chair McCoy so moves. 010 NOTION: Sen. Trow moved SB 567, as amended, to the Ways and Means Committee with a do pass recommendation. VOTB: In a roll call vote, the motion carries. Sen. Kennemer was excused. (TAPE 74, SIDE B) PUBLIC HEARING ON SENATE BILL 1081 030 SEN. PAUL PHILLIPS, DISTRICT 4 (EXHIBIT E, F AND G): Testified in support of SB 1081 and outlined the bill. He explained the hand-engrossed SB 1081-2 amendments (Exhibit E), reviewed the fiscal statement (Exhibit F) and a memo from the Oregon Community Children and Youth Services Commission, stating their support. (Exhibit G) 127 MURIEL GOLDMAN, MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION OF OREGON (EXHIBIT H): Testified in support of SB 1081 and outlined Exhibit H. 183 PAM PATTON, MORRISON CENTER (EXHIBIT I): Testified in support of SB 108 1 and outlined proposed amendments to the bill, Exhibit I. 292 ORIN BOLSTAD, DIRECTOR, MORRISON CENTER (EXHIBIT J): Testified in support of SB 1081 and outlined Exhibit J. TAPE 75, SIDE B 004 BOB KING, DIRECTOR, CLACKAMAS COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH: Testified in support of SB 1081. Offered proposed amendments. Line 4, delete "Oregon Community and Youth Services Commission" and insert "Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities Division". Line 18, should read "ORS 436.10 - 437 .00". 018 SEN. PHILLIPS: He would rather keep the language. 035 JOHN BALL, DIRECTOR, COMMUNITY CHILDREN AND YOUTH SERVICES COMMISSION: Testified in support of SB 1081. In their structure, they do not claim to fully fund programs at the local level. Many times the money is used to fund part of a program, with the local commission or the non-profit provider being responsible for the additional funds. WORK SESSION ON SENATE BILL 1081 082 MOTION: SEN. PHILLIPS moves the hand-engrossed SB 1081-2. VOTE: Hearing no objection, Chair McCoy so moves. Senator Kennemer is excused. 088 MOTION: SEN. PHILLIPS moves SB 1081, as amended, to the Ways and Means Committee with a do pass recommendation. VOTE: In a roll call vote, the motion carries with all members present voting AYE. Senator Kennemer is excused. WORK SESSION ON SENATE BILL 739 102 FIEGENER: Outlined the proposed amendments to SB 739-7. (EXHIBIT K) 130 MOTION: SEN. GOLD moves the hand-engrossed SB 739-7. VOTE: Hearing no objection, Chair McCoy so moves. Senator Kennemer is excused. 141 MOTION: SEN. GOLD moves SB 739, as amended, to the Ways and Means Committee with a do pass recommendation. VOTE: In a roll call vote, the motion carries, with Senator Phillips voting NAY. Senator Kennemer is excused. PUBLIC HEARING ON SENATE BILL 730 160 FIEGENER: Outlined the Preliminary Staff Measure Summary (EXHIBIT L). 178 PAUL SNIDER, ASSOCIATION OF OREGON COUNTIES: Testified in support of SB 730 and outlined the background of the bill. 207 BOB DONOUGH, TRI-COUNTY YOUTH SERVICES CONSORTIUM (EXHIBIT M): Testified in support of SB 730 and outlined Exhibit M. 308 DONOUGH: Offered proposed amendments to Section 2 (EXHIBIT N). >They would like the bill passed as policy, if there are no new resources to deal with the problem. 381 GALEN PHIPPS, DIRECTOR, LOOKING GLASS (EXHIBIT O): Testified in support of SB 730 and explained the Looking Glass Program. . TAPE 76. SIDE A 041 TAMMY STEPHENS, LOOKING GLASS YOUTH (EXHIBIT P): Testified in support of the Looking Glass Program and explained her story. 061 CHRYTAL BARER, LOOKING GLASS PARENT (EXHIBIT Q): Testified in support of the Looking Glass Program and explained her story. 073 JASON BAKER, LOOKING GLASS YOUTH (EXHIBIT R): Testified in support of the Looking Glass Program and explained his story. 143 LINDA OLSON-OSTERLUND, BOYS AND GIRLS AID SOCIETY CRISIS INTERVENTION

SERVICES: Testified in support of SB 730. There is a growing trend of police departments not dealing with runaway children. 214 JIM FRANCESCONI: CHILDREN AND YOUTH SERVICES COMMISSION: Testified in support of SB 730 and explained his background with youth issues. There is a lack of services to young girls. There are no programs at the local level to address this population. >Addresses proposed amendments (Exhibit S). 306 JOHN BALL, DIRECTOR, COMMUNITY CHILDREN AND YOUTH SERVICES COMMISSION (EXHIBIT S): Testified in support of SB 730 and outlined proposed amendments (Exhibit S). 347 CHAIR McCOY adjourned the meeting at 5:33 p.m.

Submitted by: Reviewed by: Debbie Schieno Janice J. Fiegener
Assistant Committee Administrator

EXHIBIT LOG: A- Proposed amendments to SB 567 - Senator Roberts, 8 pages
B- Testimony on SB 567 - Diane Iverson, 16 pages C- Testimony on SB 567 - Linda DeSpain, 4 pages D- Testimony on SB 567 - Ed Armstrong, 11 pages
E- Proposed amendment to SB 1081 - Senator Phillips, 2 pages F- Fiscal analysis on SB 1081 - 1 page G- Memorandum on SB 1081 - Sen. Phillips, 2 pages
H- Testimony on SB 1081 - Muriel Goldman, 2 pages I- Testimony on SB 1081 - Pam Patton, 2 pages J- Testimony on SB 1081 - Orin Bolstad, 7 pages
K- Proposed amendments to SB 739 - Staff, 6 pages

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L- Preliminary staff summary - Staff, 1 page M- Testimony on SB 730 - Bob Donough, 119 pages N- Proposed amendments to SB 730 - Bob Donough, 1 page
O- Testimony on SB 730 - Galen Phipps, 1 page P- Testimony on SB 730 - Tammy Stephens, 1 page Q- Testimony on SB 730 - Crystal Baker, 1 page
R- Testimony on SB 730 - Jason Baker, 2 pages S- Testimony on SB 730 - John Ball, 2 pages

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