

# SENATE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

February 21, 2008  
1:00 P.M.

Hearing Room C  
Tapes 18 – 19

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Sen. Rick Metsger, Chair  
Sen. Bruce Starr, Vice-Chair  
Sen. Gary George  
Sen. Larry George  
Sen. Betsy Johnson  
Sen. Rod Monroe  
Sen. Joanne Verger

**STAFF PRESENT:** Patrick Brennan, Committee Administrator  
Debbie Malone, Committee Assistant

**ISSUES HEARD:** Freight Rail Issues – Informational Meeting

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<u>TAPE #</u> <u>AND SIDE</u>	<u>COUNTER</u> <u>NUMBER</u>	<u>BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF SUBJECT MATTER</u> <u>OR CHANGE IN SPEAKER</u>
<b>18A</b>	003	Chair Rick Metsger calls the meeting to order at 1:00 p.m.
<b><u>FREIGHT RAIL ISSUES – INFORMATIONAL MEETING</u></b>		
	021	Terry Finn, Burlington Northern Santa Fe (BNSF) Railway
	118	Ann-Marie Lundberg, Tangent Services ( <b>EXHIBIT A</b> )
	217	Bruce Carswell, Portland & Western Railroad
	314	Chair Metsger
	366	Sen. Johnson
	389	Sen. G. George
	406	Mr. Finn
	435	Sen. G. George
	443	Ms. Lundberg
	456	Sen. Verger
	472	Mr. Carswell
<b>19A</b>	039	Sen. Verger
	049	Vice-Chair Starr
	058	Ms. Lundberg
<b>19A</b>	079	Sen. L. George
	095	Mr. Finn
	113	Mr. Carswell
	140	Sen. G. George ( <b>EXHIBIT B</b> )
	150	Chair Metsger
	166	Lana Butterfield, Executive Director, Oregon Rail Users League ( <b>EXHIBIT C</b> )

	186	Chair Metsger recesses the meeting at 1:44 pm. Reconvenes the meeting at 2:17 p.m.
	195	Chair Metsger
	202	Kelly Taylor, Rail Division Administrator, Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT) <b>(EXHIBIT D)</b>
	402	Chair Metsger
	406	Ms. Taylor
	416	Chair Metsger
	419	Ms. Taylor
	421	Sen. Johnson
	435	Ms. Taylor
	443	Sen. Johnson
	467	Ms. Taylor
<b>18B</b>	043	Sen. Verger
	049	Ms. Taylor
	054	Sen. Verger
	064	Ms. Taylor
	071	Vice-Chair Starr
	074	Ms. Taylor
	076	Vice-Chair Starr
	093	Chair Metsger
	162	Sen. Verger
	168	Ms. Taylor
	218	Roger Martin, Union Pacific Railroad <b>(EXHIBIT E)</b>
	390	Chair Metsger
	439	Sen. L. George
<b>19B</b>	018	Ms. Taylor
	043	Sen. L. George
	046	Sen. G. George
	060	Chair Metsger
	062	Sen. Johnson
	069	Chair Metsger adjourns the meeting at 3:07 p.m.

**EXHIBIT SUMMARY**

- A. Freight Rail Issues, written testimony, Ann-Marie Lundberg, 2 pp**
- B. Freight Rail Issues, Sen. Gary George, 29 pp**
- C. Freight Rail Issues, written testimony, Lana Butterfield, 1 p**
- D. Freight Rail Issues, written testimony, Kelly Taylor, 7 pp**
- E. Freight Rail Issues, written testimony, Roger Martin, 2 pp**