

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS AND LABOR

**February 27, 2009
8:00 A.M.**

Hearing Room E

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Mike Schaufler , Chair
Rep. Brent Barton, Vice-Chair
Rep. Kevin Cameron, Vice-Chair
Rep. Paul Holvey
Rep. Bill Kennemer
Rep. Greg Matthews
Rep. Kim Thatcher
Rep. Brad Witt

MEMBER EXCUSED: Rep. Chris Edwards
Rep. Sal Esquivel

STAFF PRESENT: Theresa Van Winkle, Committee Administrator
Tamsyn Jameson, Committee Assistant

MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD: Introduction of Committee Measures – Work Session
LC 1865 – LC 1959 – LC 2395 – LC 2656 – LC 2657 – LC
2759
– LC 2762 – LC 3324 – LC 3325 – LC 3337
HB 2624 – Public Hearing
HB 2595 – Public Hearing

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8:06:12 AM Meeting Called to Order

8:06:22 AM Introduction of Committee Measures LC 1856, LC 1959, LC 2395, LC 2656, LC 2657, LC 2759, LC 2762, LC 3324, LC 3325, LC 3337 - Work Session

8:06:33 AM MOTION: Rep. Barton moves that LC 1865, LC 1959, LC 2395, LC 2656, LC 2657, LC 2759, LC 2762, LC 3324, LC 3325, LC 3337 BE INTRODUCED as Committee Bills

8:06:33 AM {Exhibit} 1: Vice-Chair Barton

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8:06:57 AM Chair Schaufler

8:07:18 AM Rep. Kennemer

8:07:29 AM Chair Schaufler

8:07:32 AM VOTE: 8-0-2

8:07:41 AM Ayes: Holvey, Kennemer, Matthews, Thatcher, Witt, Barton, Cameron; Excused: Edwards C., Esquivel

8:07:52 AM HB 2624 - Public Hearing

8:07:55 AM Theresa Van Winkle, Committee Administrator

8:08:26 AM Chair Schaufler

8:08:43 AM Rep. Brad Witt, House District 31

8:11:50 AM Chair Schaufler

8:12:56 AM Joanne Truesdell, President, Clackamas Community College

8:17:07 AM Joy Margheim, Policy Analyst, Oregon Center for Public Policy

8:17:07 AM {Exhibit} 12: Margheim

8:19:59 AM Chair Schaufler

8:20:37 AM Rep. Thatcher

8:20:50 AM Margheim

8:21:38 AM Truesdell

8:21:56 AM Chair Schaufler

8:22:01 AM Rep. Thatcher

8:22:15 AM Truesdell

8:22:51 AM Vice-Chair Cameron
8:23:29 AM Truesdell
8:24:54 AM Vice-Chair Cameron
8:24:59 AM Rep. Witt
8:25:34 AM Rep. Kennemer
8:25:46 AM Vice-Chair Barton
8:25:56 AM Vice-Chair Cameron
8:25:59 AM Rep. Kennemer
8:26:04 AM Chair Schaufler
8:26:05 AM Rep. Matthews
8:26:28 AM Van Winkle
8:26:47 AM Chair Schaufler
8:26:57 AM Rep. Matthews
8:27:01 AM Chair Schaufler
8:27:15 AM Vice-Chair Cameron
8:27:42 AM Rep. Thatcher
8:28:04 AM Truesdell
8:28:48 AM Rep. Thatcher
8:28:54 AM Truesdell
8:29:17 AM Rep. Holvey
8:29:47 AM Chair Schaufler
8:30:19 AM Mike Sullivan, Political Director, Association of Western Pulp and Paper Workers
8:33:54 AM Chair Schaufler
8:34:37 AM Steve Lanning, Field Representative, Oregon American Federation of Labor-Congress of Industrial Organizations
8:36:40 AM Chair Schaufler
8:37:56 AM Michael Dale, Executive Director, Northwest Workers' Justice Project
8:37:56 AM {Exhibit} 13: Dale
8:41:22 AM Chair Schaufler
8:42:23 AM Tom Byerly, Administrator, Unemployment Insurance Division, Employment Department
8:42:24 AM {Exhibit} 14: Byerly
8:46:26 AM Chair Schaufler
8:46:34 AM Vice-Chair Cameron
8:47:10 AM Byerly
8:47:31 AM Vice-Chair Cameron
8:47:54 AM Byerly
8:49:20 AM Vice-Chair Cameron
8:49:40 AM Byerly
8:49:46 AM Rep. Matthews
8:50:31 AM Byerly
8:51:01 AM Rep. Matthews
8:51:16 AM Byerly
8:51:53 AM Chair Schaufler

8:52:00 AM Byerly
8:52:11 AM Rep. Kennemer
8:52:56 AM Byerly
8:53:01 AM Rep. Kennemer
8:53:43 AM Chair Schaufler
8:54:01 AM Byerly
8:56:45 AM Chair Schaufler
8:57:20 AM Byerly
8:57:37 AM Chair Schaufler
8:57:42 AM Rep. Holvey
8:58:23 AM Byerly
8:58:58 AM Rep. Holvey
8:59:29 AM Byerly
8:59:40 AM Rep. Holvey
8:59:47 AM Byerly
8:59:50 AM Chair Schaufler
9:00:02 AM Vice-Chair Cameron
9:00:32 AM Byerly
9:00:44 AM Vice-Chair Cameron
9:01:01 AM Byerly
9:01:11 AM Vice-Chair Cameron
9:01:14 AM Byerly
9:01:20 AM Chair Schaufler
9:01:26 AM Vice-Chair Cameron
9:01:40 AM Chair Schaufler
9:01:47 AM Rep. Thatcher
9:02:04 AM Byerly
9:02:39 AM Rep. Thatcher
9:02:52 AM Byerly
9:03:04 AM Rep. Thatcher
9:03:06 AM Chair Schaufler
9:03:33 AM HB 2595 - Public Hearing
9:03:38 AM Theresa Van Winkle, Committee Administrator
9:04:14 AM Brian DeLashmett, Lobbyist, Oregon Nurses Association
9:04:14 AM {Exhibit} 15: DeLashmutt
9:04:14 AM {Exhibit} 16: DeLashmutt
9:04:15 AM {Exhibit} 17: DeLashmutt
9:09:47 AM Chair Schaufler
9:10:04 AM De Lashmutt
9:12:20 AM Chair Schaufler
9:12:32 AM DeLashmutt
9:12:38 AM Chair Schaufler
9:12:50 AM DeLashmutt
9:13:48 AM Billy Lindros, Registered Hospice Nurse, Oregon Nurses
Association
9:13:48 AM {Exhibit} 18: Lindros

9:22:21 AM Chair Schaufler
9:22:55 AM Lindros
9:23:05 AM Chair Schaufler
9:23:13 AM Rep. Holvey
9:25:30 AM Chair Schaufler
9:25:32 AM Vice-Chair Barton
9:26:46 AM Chair Schaufler
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9:32:33 AM Chair Schaufler
9:33:07 AM Rep. Holvey
9:33:54 AM DeLashmutt
9:34:01 AM Chair Schaufler
9:34:56 AM Elayne Dragomirr, Registered Nurse, Oregon Nurses Association
9:35:04 AM Robin Keyser, Registered Nurse, Oregon Nurses Association
9:35:05 AM {Exhibit} 19: Keyser
9:35:14 AM Chair Schaufler
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9:52:48 AM Rep. Thatcher
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9:53:02 AM Rep. Witt
9:53:51 AM Chair Schaufler
9:54:23 AM The following written testimony was submitted for the record
without public testimony:
9:54:23 AM {Exhibit} 20: Tette Nordfedt, Registered Nurse, Sacred Heart
Hospice
9:54:23 AM {Exhibit} 21: Galen Thompson, Registered Nurse
9:54:23 AM {Exhibit} 22: Nancy McMath, Registered Nurse
9:54:23 AM {Exhibit} 23: Svetlana Shurygin, Registered Nurse
9:54:23 AM {Exhibit} 24: Kathy Stott, Registered Nurse
9:54:24 AM Meeting Adjourned

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8:06:33 AM {Exhibit} 4: Introduction of Committee Bills, LC 2656, staff, 2 pp
8:06:33 AM {Exhibit} 5: Introduction of Committee Bills, LC 2657, staff, 25 pp
8:06:33 AM {Exhibit} 6: Introduction of Committee Bills, LC 2759, staff, 7 pp
8:06:33 AM {Exhibit} 7: Introduction of Committee Bills, LC 2762, staff, 1 p
8:06:33 AM {Exhibit} 8: Introduction of Committee Bills, LC 3072, staff, 9 pp
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8:37:56 AM {Exhibit} 13: HB 2624, written testimony, Michael Dale, 2 pp
8:42:24 AM {Exhibit} 14: HB 2624, Unemployment Insurance tax schedule chart, Tom Byerly, 1 p
9:04:14 AM {Exhibit} 15: HB 2595, handout, Brian DeLashmutt, 2 pp
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