

## HOUSE COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS AND LABOR

April 24, 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. Chris Edwards  
Rep. Sal Esquivel  
Rep. Bill Kennemer  
Rep. Greg Matthews  
Rep. Kim Thatcher  
Rep. Brad Witt

**MEMBER EXCUSED:** Rep. Paul Holvey

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

**MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD:** HB 3479 – Public Hearing  
HB 2430 – Public Hearing  
HB 3345 – Public Hearing  
HB 3201 – Work Session  
HB 2705 – Work Session  
HB 2707 – Work Session  
HB 2953 – Work Session  
HB 2745 – Work Session  
HB 3132 – Work Session  
HB 3127 – Work Session  
HB 2398 – Work Session  
HB 2429 – Work Session

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**4/24/2009 8:11:20 AM**

**8:11:21 AM** Meeting Called to Order  
**8:11:23 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**8:11:27 AM** HB 3479 - Public Hearing  
**8:11:30 AM** Theresa Van Winkle, Committee Administrator  
**8:12:43 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**8:13:04 AM** Kara Thallon, Lobbyist, Oregon Restaurant Association  
**8:13:35 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**8:13:54 AM** Van Winkle  
**8:14:12 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**8:14:28 AM** HB 2430 - Public Hearing  
**8:14:30 AM** Theresa Van Winkle, Committee Administrator  
**8:14:49 AM** {Exhibit} 1: Van Winkle  
**8:15:19 AM** Bob Shiprack, Lobbyist, Oregon State Building and Construction  
Trades Council  
**8:17:04 AM** Michael Anderson, Executive Director, Oregon Opportunity Network  
**8:18:37 AM** Don Geddes, Partner, Walsh Construction  
**8:20:03 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**8:22:12 AM** Vice-Chair Cameron  
**8:22:16 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**8:22:28 AM** Vice-Chair Cameron  
**8:22:35 AM** Anderson  
**8:23:41 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**8:24:39 AM** Jack Roy, Oregon Southern Idaho District Council of Laborers  
**8:24:46 AM** {Exhibit} 2: Roy  
**8:25:35 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**8:25:57 AM** Cherry Harris, Operating Enginners Local 701  
**8:29:27 AM** Joe Esmonde, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers  
**8:30:01 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**8:31:44 AM** Martha Mckennan, Executive Director, Northwest Housing  
Alternatives  
**8:33:24 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**8:33:27 AM** Rep. Kennemer  
**8:33:30 AM** The following written testimony was submitted for the record  
without public testimony:  
**8:33:30 AM** {Exhibit} 3: John Jackley, Director, Communications and Business  
Equity Department, Portland Development Commission  
**8:33:31 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**8:34:11 AM** HB 3345 - Public Hearing  
**8:34:19 AM** Theresa Van Winkle, Committee Administrator

**8:34:34 AM** {Exhibit} 4: Van Winkle  
**8:34:56 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**8:35:22 AM** Martin Alby, Attorney, Oregon Trial Lawyers Association (OTLA)  
**8:35:30 AM** Chris Moore, Attorney, OTLA  
**8:36:55 AM** Jennifer Flood, Ombudsman for Injured Workers, Department of Business and Consumer Services  
**8:38:01 AM** Chris Davies, Vice-President of Corporate Policy and External Affairs, State Accident Insurance Fund (SAIF) Corporation  
**8:38:18 AM** Drew Hagedorn, Lobbyist, Oregon Self-Insurers Association  
**8:38:27 AM** Sally Curry, Liberty Northwest  
**8:38:38 AM** Vice-Chair Cameron  
**8:38:58 AM** Davies  
**8:39:25 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**8:39:52 AM** Van Winkle  
**8:40:22 AM** HB 3201 - Work Session  
**8:40:43 AM** Rep. Tina Kotek, House District 44  
**8:42:09 AM** {Exhibit} 5: Kotek  
**8:42:16 AM** {Exhibit} 6: Kotek  
**8:44:41 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**8:44:51 AM** Rep. Esquivel  
**8:45:34 AM** Rep. Matthews  
**8:47:01 AM** Vice-Chair Cameron  
**8:48:44 AM** Kotek  
**8:50:53 AM** Rep. Esquivel  
**8:51:49 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**8:51:52 AM** Rep. Matthews  
**8:52:32 AM** Rep. Witt  
**8:53:00 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**8:53:20 AM** HB 2705 - Work Session  
**8:53:21 AM** Theresa Van Winkle, Committee Administrator  
**8:53:39 AM** {Exhibit} 7: Van Winkle  
**8:54:02 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**8:54:30 AM** Vice-Chair Barton  
**8:54:41 AM** Van Winkle  
**8:55:16 AM** John Shilts, Administrator, Workers Compensation Division, Department of Consumer and Business Services  
**8:57:26 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**8:57:31 AM** MOTION: Rep. Cameron moves -1 amendments  
**8:57:50 AM** VOTE: 9-0-1  
**8:57:51 AM** Ayes: Edwards C., Esquivel, Kennemer, Matthews, Thatcher, Witt, Barton, Cameron, Schaufler; Excused: Holvey  
**8:57:55 AM** MOTION: Rep. Cameron moves HB 2705 DO PASS as AMENDED  
**8:58:08 AM** VOTE: 9-0-1  
**8:58:14 AM** Ayes: Edwards C., Esquivel, Kennemer, Matthews, Thatcher, Witt, Barton, Cameron, Schaufler; Excused: Holvey  
**8:58:25 AM** CARRIER: REP. ESQUIVEL will lead discussion on the floor

**8:58:40 AM** HB 2707-Work Session  
**8:58:42 AM** Theresa Van Winkle, Committee Administrator  
**8:59:09 AM** {Exhibit} 8: Van Winkle  
**8:59:29 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**8:59:46 AM** John Shilts, Administrator, Workers Compensation Division,  
Department of Consumer and Business Services  
**9:01:54 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:02:03 AM** MOTION: Rep. Cameron moves -2 amendments  
**9:02:11 AM** VOTE: 9-0-1  
**9:02:12 AM** Ayes: Edwards C., Esquivel, Kennemer, Matthews, Thatcher, Witt,  
Barton, Cameron, Schaufler; Excused: Holvey  
**9:02:26 AM** MOTION: Rep. Cameron moves HB 2707 DO PASS as AMENDED  
**9:02:30 AM** VOTE: 9-0-1  
**9:02:40 AM** Ayes: Edwards C., Esquivel, Kennemer, Matthews, Thatcher, Witt,  
Barton, Cameron, Schaufler; Excused: Holvey  
**9:02:44 AM** CARRIER: REP. WITT will lead discussion on the floor  
**9:03:10 AM** HB 2953 - Work Session  
**9:03:18 AM** Theresa Van Winkle  
**9:03:45 AM** {Exhibit} 9: Van Winkle  
**9:04:05 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:04:12 AM** MOTION: Rep. Cameron moves -1 amendments  
**9:04:22 AM** VOTE: 9-0-1  
**9:04:30 AM** Ayes: Edwards C., Esquivel, Kennemer, Matthews, Thatcher, Witt,  
Barton, Cameron, Schaufler; Excused: Holvey  
**9:04:30 AM** MOTION: Rep. Cameron moves HB 2953 DO PASS as AMENDED  
**9:04:40 AM** VOTE: 9-0-1  
**9:04:41 AM** Ayes: Edwards C., Esquivel, Kennemer, Matthews, Thatcher, Witt,  
Barton, Cameron, Schaufler; Excused: Holvey  
**9:04:49 AM** CARRIER: REP. KENNEMER will lead discussion on the floor  
**9:05:00 AM** HB 2745-Work Session  
**9:05:03 AM** Theresa Van Winkle, Committee Administrator  
**9:05:24 AM** {Exhibit} 10: Van Winkle  
**9:05:39 AM** Rep. Sal Esquivel, House District 6  
**9:06:38 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:06:42 AM** Vice-Chair Barton  
**9:07:32 AM** Rep. Kennemer  
**9:07:51 AM** Rep. Esquivel  
**9:08:23 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:08:44 AM** MOTION: Rep. Cameron moves -1 amendments  
**9:08:46 AM** VOTE: 9-0-1  
**9:08:53 AM** Ayes: Edwards C., Esquivel, Kennemer, Matthews, Thatcher, Witt,  
Barton, Cameron, Schaufler; Excused: Holvey  
**9:09:10 AM** MOTION: Rep. Esquivel moves HB 2745 DO PASS as AMENDED  
**9:09:33 AM** VOTE: 9-0-1  
**9:09:41 AM** Ayes: Edwards C., Esquivel, Kennemer, Matthews, Thatcher,  
Barton, Cameron, Schaufler; Excused: Holvey

**9:09:44 AM** CARRIER: REP. ESQUIVEL will lead discussion on the floor  
**9:09:45 AM** HB 3132 - Work Session  
**9:09:48 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:10:28 AM** Theresa Van Winkle, Committee Administrator  
**9:12:02 AM** MOTION: Rep. Edwards C. moves to SUSPEND HBL  
COMMITTEE RULE #18  
**9:12:39 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:13:21 AM** Rep. Thatcher  
**9:13:26 AM** Rep. Cameron  
**9:13:31 AM** Van Winkle  
**9:13:42 AM** VOTE: 9-0-1  
**9:13:43 AM** Ayes: Edwards C., Esquivel, Kennemer, Matthews, Thatcher, Witt,  
Barton, Cameron, Schaufler; Excused: Holvey  
**9:13:48 AM** Van Winkle  
**9:13:56 AM** {Exhibit} 11: Van Winkle  
**9:14:04 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:14:13 AM** Rep. Cameron moves HB 3132 WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION &  
REFER to Ways and Means  
**9:14:26 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:14:35 AM** Rep. Kennemer  
**9:14:43 AM** Rep. Edwards C.  
**9:15:18 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:16:00 AM** VOTE: 8-1-1  
**9:16:10 AM** Ayes: Edwards C., Esquivel, Matthews, Thatcher, Witt, Barton,  
Cameron, Schaufler; Nays: Kennemer; Excused: Holvey  
**9:16:48 AM** Van Winkle  
**9:16:49 AM** The following written testimony was submitted for the record  
without public testimony:  
**9:16:49 AM** {Exhibit} 12: Dale Orr, Actuarial Analysis Section Manager, Public  
Employees Retirement System (PERS)  
**9:16:56 AM** Meeting Recessed  
**9:22:14 AM** Meeting Reconvened  
**9:22:21 AM** HB 3127 - Work Session  
**9:22:23 AM** Kevin Christiansen, Committee Administrator  
**9:22:48 AM** Rep. John Huffman, House District 59  
**9:23:47 AM** {Exhibit} 13: Huffman  
**9:24:54 AM** Simon Blatz, Owner, Precision Lockout Services  
**9:25:01 AM** {Exhibit} 14: Blatz  
**9:26:19 AM** Les Harvey, Owner, Locksmithing Company, Beaverton  
**9:27:43 AM** Rep. Huffman  
**9:27:55 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:28:16 AM** Harvey  
**9:29:19 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:29:24 AM** Rep. Matthews  
**9:30:30 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:30:38 AM** Rep. Huffman

**9:31:00 AM** Rep. Matthews  
**9:31:32 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:31:35 AM** Vice-Chair Cameron  
**9:32:11 AM** Rep. Huffman  
**9:32:36 AM** Harvey  
**9:32:50 AM** Vice-Chair Cameron  
**9:33:10 AM** Rep. Witt  
**9:33:56 AM** Rep. Thatcher  
**9:34:07 AM** Blatz  
**9:34:27 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:34:30 AM** MOTION: Rep. Esquivel moves -1 amendments  
**9:34:45 AM** Christiansen  
**9:34:55 AM** Vice-Chair Cameron  
**9:35:13 AM** VOTE: 9-0-1  
**9:35:18 AM** Ayes: Edwards C., Esquivel, Kennemer, Matthews, Thatcher, Witt, Barton, Cameron, Schaufler; Excused: Holvey  
**9:35:26 AM** MOTION: Rep. Barton HB 3127 DO PASS as AMENDED & REFER to Ways and Means  
**9:35:58 AM** Vice-Chair Cameron  
**9:36:05 AM** Rep. Matthews  
**9:36:26 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:36:36 AM** VOTE: 9-0-1  
**9:36:41 AM** Ayes: Edwards C., Esquivel, Kennemer, Matthews, Thatcher, Witt, Barton, Cameron, Schaufler; Excused: Holvey  
**9:36:51 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:36:54 AM** HB 2398 - Work Session  
**9:37:06 AM** Kevin Christiansen, Committee Administrator  
**9:38:03 AM** {Exhibit} 15: Christiansen  
**9:38:55 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:38:56 AM** MOTION: Rep Edwards C. moves -4 amendments  
**9:39:22 AM** Rep. Thatcher  
**9:39:39 AM** Rep. Esquivel  
**9:39:43 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:39:47 AM** VOTE: 9-0-1  
**9:39:50 AM** Ayes: Edwards C., Esquivel, Kennemer, Matthews, Thatcher, Witt, Barton, Cameron, Schaufler; Excused: Holvey  
**9:39:55 AM** MOTION: Rep. Edwards moves HB DO PASS as AMENDED & REFER to Ways and Means  
**9:40:24 AM** VOTE: 9-0-1  
**9:40:25 AM** Ayes: Edwards C., Esquivel, Kennemer, Matthews, Thatcher, Witt, Barton, Cameron, Schaufler; Excused: Holvey  
**9:40:30 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:40:46 AM** HB 2429 - Work Session  
**9:41:30 AM** Hassina Squires, Lobbyist, Special District Association of Oregon  
**9:41:34 AM** {Exhibit} 16: Squires  
**9:43:28 AM** Chair Schaufler

**9:43:31 AM** Squires  
**9:45:19 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:45:25 AM** Bob Shiprack, Lobbyist, Oregon Building and Construction Trades Council  
**9:47:02 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:47:08 AM** Vice-Chair Barton  
**9:47:21 AM** Christiansen  
**9:47:29 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:47:35 AM** Christiansen  
**9:47:35 AM** {Exhibit} 17: Christiansen  
**9:47:38 AM** {Exhibit} 18: Christiansen  
**9:47:48 AM** {Exhibit} 19: Christiansen  
**9:47:50 AM** {Exhibit} 20: Christiansen  
**9:48:21 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:48:31 AM** Christiansen  
**9:48:39 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:48:49 AM** Vice-Chair Barton  
**9:49:19 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:49:26 AM** Rep. Witt  
**9:49:52 AM** Rep. Esquivel  
**9:51:01 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:51:10 AM** Rep. Esquivel  
**9:51:59 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:52:53 AM** Squires  
**9:53:45 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:53:52 AM** Vice-Chair Cameron  
**9:55:14 AM** Rep. Kennemer  
**9:55:57 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**9:56:09 AM** Rep. Matthews  
**9:58:33 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**10:00:22 AM** Theresa Van Winkle, Committee Administrator  
**10:00:45 AM** Chair Schaufler  
**10:01:11 AM** Meeting Adjourned

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- 8:14:49 AM {Exhibit} 1: HB 2430, -1 amendments, staff, 7 pp
  - 8:24:46 AM {Exhibit} 2: HB 2430, written testimony, Jack Roy, 1 p
  - 8:33:30 AM {Exhibit} 3: HB 2430, written testimony, John Jackley, 2 pp
  - 8:34:34 AM {Exhibit} 4: HB 3345, -1 amendments, staff, 2 pp
  - 8:42:09 AM {Exhibit} 5: HB 3201, -1 amendments, Rep. Tina Kotek, 5 pp
  - 8:42:16 AM {Exhibit} 6: HB 3201, -2 amendments, Rep. Tina Kotek, 5 pp
  - 8:53:39 AM {Exhibit} 7: HB 2705, -1 amendments, staff, 1 p
  - 8:59:09 AM {Exhibit} 8: HB 2707, -2 amendments, staff, 1 p
  - 9:03:45 AM {Exhibit} 9: HB 2953, -1 amendments, staff, 1 p
  - 9:05:24 AM {Exhibit} 10: HB 2745, -1 amendments, staff, 1 p
  - 9:13:56 AM {Exhibit} 11: HB 3132, -1 amendments, staff, 1 p
  - 9:16:49 AM {Exhibit} 12: HB 3132, informational memo, Dale Orr, 2 pp
  - 9:23:47 AM {Exhibit} 13: HB 3127, -1 amendments, Rep. John Huffman, 3 pp
  - 9:25:01 AM {Exhibit} 14: HB 3127, informational packet, Simon Blatz, 14 pp
  - 9:38:03 AM {Exhibit} 15: HB 2398, -4 amendments, staff, 6 pp
  - 9:41:34 AM {Exhibit} 16: HB 2429, written testimony, Hasina Squires, 4 pp
  - 9:47:35 AM {Exhibit} 17: HB 2429, -1 amendments, staff, 2 pp
  - 9:47:38 AM {Exhibit} 18: HB 2429, -2 amendments, staff, 2 pp
  - 9:47:48 AM {Exhibit} 19: HB 2429, -4 amendments, staff, 1 p
  - 9:47:50 AM {Exhibit} 20: HB 2429, -5 amendments, staff, 1 p
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