

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

**April 13, 2009
1:00 P.M.**

Hearing Room E

MEMBERS PRESENT: **Rep. Sara Gelser, Chair**
 Rep. Michael Dembrow, Vice-Chair
 Rep. Sherrie Sprenger, Vice-Chair
 Rep. Chris Harker
 Rep. John Huffman
 Rep. Betty Komp
 Rep. Ron Maurer
 Rep. Arnie Roblan
 Rep. Kim Thatcher
 Rep. Suzanne VanOrman

STAFF PRESENT: **Kevin Christiansen, Committee Administrator**
 Debbie Malone, Committee Assistant

MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD: **Oregon Educators Benefit Board – Informational Meeting**
 HB 2016 – Public Hearing
 HB 3239 – Public Hearing
 HB 3246 – Public Hearing
 HB 2939 – Public Hearing

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1:05:20 PM Chair Gelser
1:05:22 PM Meeting Called to Order
1:06:30 PM Oregon Educators Benefit Board-Informational Meeting
1:07:00 PM {Exhibit} 1: Denise Hall, Deputy Administrator, Oregon Educators
Benefit Board
1:13:58 PM Rep. VanOrman
1:14:33 PM Hall
1:14:50 PM Rep. Maurer
1:15:59 PM Hall
1:16:01 PM Rep. Maurer
1:16:07 PM Hall
1:16:28 PM Rep. Maurer
1:16:41 PM Hall
1:16:55 PM Rep. Roblan
1:17:37 PM Chair Gelser
1:18:20 PM Rep. Maurer
1:18:31 PM Chair Gelser
1:18:39 PM HB 2016-Public Hearing
1:18:40 PM HB 3239-Public Hearing
1:18:42 PM HB 3246-Public Hearing
1:18:59 PM Kevin Christiansen, Committee Administrator
1:20:47 PM Rep. Chris Edwards, House District 14
1:21:09 PM Chair Gelser
1:21:35 PM Rep. C Edwards
1:25:59 PM Chair Gelser
1:26:02 PM Rep. Roblan
1:26:18 PM Rep. C Edwards
1:26:58 PM Rep. Maurer
1:27:46 PM Rep. C Edwards
1:29:33 PM Rep. Maurer
1:30:04 PM Rep. C Edwards
1:30:14 PM Rep. Komp
1:30:31 PM Rep. C Edwards
1:31:25 PM Chair Gelser
1:31:42 PM Rep. C Edwards
1:32:13 PM Rep. VanOrman
1:32:42 PM Rep. C Edwards
1:33:56 PM Rep. Maurer
1:34:05 PM Chair Gelser

1:34:17 PM Rep. C Edwards
1:34:22 PM Rep. Maurer
1:36:39 PM Chair Gelser
1:37:24 PM Karen Smith, Oregon Community Colleges Association
1:41:10 PM Debbie Johnson, RN, Health Resource Coordinator, Beaverton
School District
1:42:15 PM Tim Witcher, Director, Business Operations, North Clackamas
School District
1:46:58 PM Rep. Maurer
1:47:23 PM Witcher
1:49:00 PM Rep. Maurer
1:49:10 PM Johnson
1:50:05 PM Rep. Roblan
1:50:11 PM Johnson
1:51:32 PM Rep. Roblan
1:52:19 PM Rep. Maurer
1:52:38 PM Witcher
1:54:18 PM Rep. Roblan
1:54:39 PM Johnson
1:55:04 PM Witcher
1:55:33 PM Rep. Komp
1:55:50 PM Witcher
1:57:20 PM Chair Gelser
1:58:16 PM Jeston Black, Oregon Education Association
2:02:11 PM Rob Wagner, American Federation of Teachers
2:05:17 PM Tricia Smith, Oregon School Employees Association
2:07:45 PM Rep. Maurer
2:08:35 PM Black
2:08:55 PM Rep. Maurer
2:09:20 PM Smith
2:09:53 PM Chair Gelser
2:10:09 PM HB 2939-Public Hearing
2:10:14 PM Kevin Christiansen, Committee Administrator
2:10:53 PM Chair Gelser
2:11:02 PM Vice-Chair Dembrow
2:12:01 PM Chair Gelser
2:12:37 PM Wim Wiewel, President, Portland State University
2:12:40 PM Chair Gelser
2:12:45 PM Sen. Dave Nelson, Senate District 29
2:14:15 PM Sen. Frank Morse, Senate District 8
2:19:21 PM {Exhibit} 2: Adela Aguilar, Co-Chair Oregon Students of Color
Coalition
2:22:56 PM Chair Gelser
2:23:06 PM {Exhibit} 3 : Wiewel
2:25:36 PM Chair Gelser
2:25:45 PM Rep. Thatcher

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2:28:43 PM Rep. Thatcher
2:28:56 PM Wiewel
2:29:11 PM Chair Gelser
2:29:51 PM {Exhibit} 4: Jim Ludwick, President, Oregonians for Immigration Reform

2:33:53 PM Dee Sutton Velez, Oregon Citizen
2:37:16 PM {Exhibit} 5: Brenda Hallgrimson, Oregon Citizen
2:43:41 PM Chair Gelser
2:44:15 PM {Exhibit} 6: Logan Gillis, Legislative Aide, Rep. Dembrow
2:46:32 PM {Exhibit} 7: Rachel Cushman, Co-Chair, Oregon Students of Color Coalition

2:50:04 PM {Exhibit} 8: Vidal Fuentes Ramos, Student, Portland
2:54:26 PM Chair Gelser
2:54:34 PM Fuentes Ramos
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2:55:34 PM Fuentes Ramos
2:55:47 PM Chair Gelser
2:56:22 PM Ron Swaten, Citizen
2:58:23 PM Chair Gelser
2:58:26 PM Swaten
2:58:42 PM Chair Gelser
2:59:04 PM The following written testimony was submitted for the record without public testimony.
2:59:04 PM {Exhibit} 9: Susan Castillo, State Superintendent of Public Instruction
2:59:04 PM {Exhibit} 10: David Olen Cross, Citizen, Salem
2:59:04 PM {Exhibit} 11: Katherine Gorham, Teacher, Eugene School District
2:59:04 PM {Exhibit} 12: Kari Herinckx, Member, Oregon Students of Color Coalition
2:59:04 PM {Exhibit} 13: David McDonald, Associate Provost, Western Oregon University
2:59:04 PM {Exhibit} 14: Mark Reynolds, English Language Teacher, Hood River Valley High School
2:59:04 PM {Exhibit} 15: Christian Rogers, Vice President, Associated Students of Western Oregon University
2:59:04 PM {Exhibit} 16: Edith Mischke, Citizen
2:59:05 PM Meeting Adjourned

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- 1:07:00 PM** {Exhibit} 1: Oregon Educators Benefit Board, written testimony, Denise Hall, 3 pp
 - 2:19:21 PM** {Exhibit} 2: HB 2939, written testimony, Adela Aguilar, 2 pp
 - 2:23:06 PM** {Exhibit} 3 :HB 2939, written testimony, Wim Wiewel, 1 p
 - 2:29:51 PM** {Exhibit} 4: HB 2939, written testimony, Jim Ludwick, 6 pp
 - 2:37:16 PM** {Exhibit} 5: HB 2939, written testimony, Brenda Hallgrimson, 2 pp
 - 2:44:15 PM** {Exhibit} 6: HB 2939, written testimony of Dexter Johnson, Logan Gillis, 2 pp
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