

**SENATE COMMITTEE ON**  
**HUMAN SERVICES AND RURAL HEALTH POLICY**

**February 4, 2009**  
**8:00 A.M.**

**Hearing Room B**

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**      **Sen. Bill Morrisette, Chair**  
                                 **Sen. Jeff Kruse, Vice-Chair**  
                                 **Sen. Laurie Monnes Anderson**  
                                 **Sen. Chris Telfer**  
                                 **Sen. Joanne Verger**

**STAFF PRESENT:**        **Jennifer Kellar, Committee Administrator**  
                                 **Paula Moskal, Committee Assistant**

**MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD:**   **SB 162 – Work Session**  
   **SB 158 – Public Hearing**  
   **SB 163 – Public Hearing**

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**8:02:00 AM** Meeting Called to Order  
**8:02:34 AM** SB 162 - Work Session  
**8:02:41 AM** Jennifer Kellar, Committee Administrator  
**8:03:14 AM** MOTION: Sen. Monnes Anderson moves SB 162 DO PASS  
**8:03:33 AM** VOTE: 4-0-1  
**8:03:34 AM** Ayes: Sens. Morrisette, Monnes Anderson, Telfer, Verger;  
Excused: Sen. Kruse  
**8:03:54 AM** CARRIER: SEN. MORRISETTE will lead discussion on the floor  
**8:03:59 AM** SB 158 - Public Hearing  
**8:05:24 AM** Grant Higginson, MD, MPH, Administrator, Office of Community  
Health & Health Planning, Public Health Division, Department of  
Human Services  
**8:05:25 AM** {Exhibit} 1: Higginson  
**8:10:37 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:10:41 AM** Higginson  
**8:10:57 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:11:07 AM** Higginson  
**8:12:38 AM** Vice-Chair Kruse  
**8:12:43 AM** Higginson  
**8:12:55 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:13:01 AM** Higginson  
**8:15:40 AM** Sen. Telfer  
**8:16:27 AM** Higginson  
**8:19:13 AM** Sen. Monnes Anderson  
**8:20:19 AM** Higginson  
**8:20:35 AM** Sen. Verger  
**8:20:53 AM** Higginson  
**8:22:40 AM** Sen. Verger  
**8:23:20 AM** Sen. Monnes Anderson  
**8:24:15 AM** Higginson  
**8:25:04 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:25:20 AM** Gwen Dayton, Executive Vice President and General Counsel,  
Oregon Association of Hospitals & Health Systems  
**8:26:19 AM** Sen. Monnes Anderson  
**8:26:44 AM** Dayton  
**8:28:04 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:28:15 AM** Lynn Stapes, Administrator, McKenzie Surgery Center, Eugene;  
President, Oregon Ambulatory Surgery Center Association  
(OASCA)

**8:28:16 AM** {Exhibit} 2: Stapes  
**8:29:44 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:29:49 AM** Stapes  
**8:30:14 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:30:16 AM** Stapes  
**8:30:46 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:31:11 AM** SB 163 - Public Hearing  
**8:31:12 AM** Jennifer Kellar, Committee Administrator  
**8:31:49 AM** Mary Gear, Administrator, Office of Licensing and Quality of Care,  
Seniors & People with Disabilities Division, Department of Human  
Services  
**8:31:50 AM** {Exhibit} 3: Gear  
**8:34:52 AM** Sen. Monnes Anderson  
**8:35:00 AM** Gear  
**8:35:38 AM** Sen. Monnes Anderson  
**8:36:34 AM** Gear  
**8:37:24 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:37:42 AM** Gear  
**8:38:19 AM** Sen. Verger  
**8:39:11 AM** Gear  
**8:41:02 AM** Sen. Verger  
**8:41:27 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:42:34 AM** Gear  
**8:42:49 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:43:04 AM** Sen. Telfer  
**8:43:59 AM** Gear  
**8:45:15 AM** Sen. Telfer  
**8:45:38 AM** Gear  
**8:46:24 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:48:03 AM** The following written testimony was submitted for the record  
without public testimony:  
**8:48:04 AM** {Exhibit} 4: Karen Mainzer, Seniors & People with Disabilities  
Division, Department of Human Services  
**8:48:05 AM** Meeting Adjourned

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**8:05:25 AM** {Exhibit} 1: SB 158, written testimony, Grant Higginson, 3 pp

**8:28:16 AM** {Exhibit} 2: SB 158, written testimony, Lynn Stapes, 1 p

**8:31:50 AM** {Exhibit} 3: SB 163, written testimony, Mary Gear, 2 pp

**8:48:04 AM** {Exhibit} 4: SB 163, suggested amendments, Karen Mainzer, 2 pp

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