

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

**April 29, 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**  
                                     **Laura Brokaw, Committee Assistant**

**MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD:**   **HB 2050 – Public Hearing & Work Session**  
                                     **HB 2581 A – Public Hearing**  
                                     **HB 2135 A – Public Hearing**  
                                     **HB 2138 A – Public Hearing**

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**4/29/2009 8:10:15 AM**

**8:10:23 AM** Meeting Called to Order  
**8:10:24 AM** Vice-Chair Kruse  
**8:10:27 AM** HB 2050 - Public Hearing  
**8:10:29 AM** Jennifer Kellar, Committee Administrator  
**8:10:57 AM** {Exhibit} 1: Kevin George, Manager, Foster Care Program,  
Department of Human Services  
**8:16:35 AM** Vice-Chair Kruse  
**8:17:43 AM** Sen. Verger  
**8:18:44 AM** George  
**8:19:19 AM** Sen. Verger  
**8:19:24 AM** George  
**8:20:46 AM** Sen. Verger  
**8:21:21 AM** Vice-Chair Kruse  
**8:22:44 AM** Sen. Monnes Anderson  
**8:24:11 AM** George  
**8:25:56 AM** Sen. Monnes Anderson  
**8:26:35 AM** George  
**8:28:14 AM** Sen. Monnes Anderson  
**8:28:51 AM** Vice-Chair Kruse  
**8:30:11 AM** Sen. Monnes Anderson  
**8:30:27 AM** George  
**8:31:29 AM** Vice-Chair Kruse  
**8:32:02 AM** Sen. Monnes Anderson  
**8:32:03 AM** Vice-Chair Kruse  
**8:32:21 AM** HB 2050 - Work Session  
**8:32:25 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:32:27 AM** MOTION: Chair Morrisette moves HB 2050 DO PASS  
**8:32:39 AM** Vice-Chair Kruse  
**8:33:01 AM** VOTE: 4-0-1  
**8:33:01 AM** Ayes: Monnes Anderson, Telfer, Kruse, Morrisette; Excused:  
Verger  
**8:33:05 AM** Vice-Chair Kruse  
**8:33:07 AM** CARRIER: SEN. KRUSE will lead discussion on the floor  
**8:33:29 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:33:52 AM** HB 2581 A - Public Hearing  
**8:33:59 AM** Jennifer Kellar, Committee Administrator  
**8:34:29 AM** {Exhibit} 2: Scott Ekblad, Director, Office of Rural Health, Oregon  
Health & Science University  
**8:37:49 AM** Chair Morrisette

**8:37:57 AM** Ekblad  
**8:38:01 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:38:06 AM** Ekblad  
**8:40:19 AM** Sen. Monnes Anderson  
**8:40:37 AM** Ekblad  
**8:40:49 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:40:54 AM** Ekblad  
**8:41:20 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:41:23 AM** Ekblad  
**8:41:32 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:41:39 AM** {Exhibit} 3: Doug Barber, representing Oregon Academy of Family Physicians  
**8:44:18 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:44:26 AM** Barber  
**8:44:32 AM** Kellar  
**8:44:34 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:44:41 AM** Sen. Telfer  
**8:44:45 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:44:49 AM** Ekblad  
**8:45:01 AM** Sen. Monnes Anderson  
**8:45:26 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:45:30 AM** Barber  
**8:46:06 AM** Sen. Monnes Anderson  
**8:46:26 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:46:48 AM** HB 2135 A - Public Hearing  
**8:47:14 AM** Jennifer Kellar, Committee Administrator  
**8:47:43 AM** {Exhibit} 4: Dr. Katrina Hedberg, Interim State Epidemiologist, Department of Human Services  
**8:50:46 AM** Sen. Monnes Anderson  
**8:51:22 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:51:35 AM** Sen. Monnes Anderson  
**8:51:35 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:51:54 AM** Hedberg  
**8:52:01 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:52:11 AM** {Exhibit} 5: David Rebanal, Program Officer, Northwest Health Foundation  
**8:52:55 AM** {Exhibit} 6: Rebanal  
**8:55:18 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:56:15 AM** Shawn Miller, representing Oregon Rental Housing Association  
**8:59:25 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:59:27 AM** Kellar  
**8:59:32 AM** Sen. Monnes Anderson  
**8:59:44 AM** Vice-Chair Kruse  
**8:59:53 AM** Chair Morrisette  
**8:59:58 AM** HB 2138 A - Public Hearing  
**9:00:11 AM** Jennifer Kellar, Committee Administrator

**9:00:59 AM** {Exhibit} 7: Mary Gear, Administrator, Licensing & Quality of Care,  
Department of Human Services

**9:04:01 AM** {Exhibit} 8: John Caldwell, Citizen, Lake Oswego

**9:08:56 AM** Sen. Monnes Anderson

**9:09:10 AM** Caldwell

**9:10:38 AM** Chair Morrisette

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**9:11:40 AM** Chair Morrisette

**9:11:42 AM** Caldwell

**9:11:51 AM** Chair Morrisette

**9:12:17 AM** Caldwell

**9:12:40 AM** Chair Morrisette

**9:12:43 AM** Gear

**9:13:16 AM** Chair Morrisette

**9:13:25 AM** Caldwell

**9:13:31 AM** Chair Morrisette

**9:13:39 AM** Caldwell

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**9:14:22 AM** Chair Morrisette

**9:14:35 AM** Scott Ferguson, Executive Director, Capitol Manor Retirement  
Community

**9:16:16 AM** Sen. Monnes Anderson

**9:16:48 AM** Chair Morrisette

**9:16:53 AM** Ferguson

**9:18:38 AM** {Exhibit} 9: Ruth Gulyas, Executive Director, Oregon Alliance of  
Senior & Health Services

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**9:22:30 AM** Meeting Adjourned

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